

IORA Sustainable Development Programme (ISDP)

## IORA Workshop on “Seafood handling, post-harvest processing and storage of fisheries and aquaculture products”

Date: 1 - 2 September, 2016

Comoros

Draft Agenda

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### DAY 1: 1<sup>st</sup> September 2016

Welcome dinner to all participants on 31 August 2016 at 19.00 hrs

TIME	EVENT
0800 – 0830	Arrival and Registration of Participants
<b>INAUGURATION</b>	
0830 – 0900	<b>Opening Remarks by:</b> Comoros (Host)  <b>Remarks by:</b> IORA Secretariat (5 minutes)  <b>Keynote Address and Inauguration by:</b> H.E Moustadrane Abdou, Vice-president in charge of the Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries, Comoros
0900 - 0915	<b>Group Photo followed by COFFEE BREAK</b>
0915 - 0920	Outline of Arrangements & Adoption of Agenda
TIME	SESSIONS
0920 – 1045	<b>Session 1:</b> The Status of seafood handling, processing and storage in the Indian Ocean region: Best practices in IORA Member States  <b>Chaired by:</b> Mr Abdillah Imam, Blue Economy Committee, Comoros  <b>Speakers - 15 minutes Presentation</b> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>Mr Ir. Husen Pelu Deputy Director Fisheries product Diversification and Quality Development, Ministry of Marine Affairs and Fisheries Indonesia</li><li>Mr Redha Said Khalfan Bait Faraj Head Section Of Seafood Safety Implementation System Fishery Quality Control Center Ministry of Agriculture &amp; Fisheries Wealth Oman</li></ol>

3. Ms Mlolwa Mwanaidi Ramadhani  
Assistant Director of Fisheries Quality Assurance Standards and Marketing  
Department of Livestock and Fisheries,  
Tanzania
4. Mr. Bye Ibrahim Mahboob Abdoola  
Senior Technical Officer  
Ministry of Ocean Economy, Marine Resources, Fisheries, Shipping and Outer Islands,  
Mauritius

**Discussion Session (25 minutes)**

1045 - 1155

**Session 2:** Practical methods to improve seafood handling, processing and storage methods for local farmers/ traditional fishermen

**Chaired by:**

**Mr Redha Said Khalfan Bait Faraj**, Head Section Of Seafood Safety Implementation System, Fishery Quality Control Center, Ministry of Agriculture & Fisheries Wealth, Oman

**Speakers - 15 minutes Presentation**

1. Dr. Jai Singh Meena  
Deputy Director (Processing & Marketing)  
National Institute of Fisheries Post Harvest Technology & Training (NIFPHATT)  
India
2. Mr Mahamoudou Abidina  
Member of the Blue Economy Committee of Comoros  
Ministry of Fisheries  
Comoros
3. Mr Rabesalama Miandra Solomananjara Bienvenu Jean Aimé  
Ingénieur Halieute  
Madagascar

**Discussion Session (25 minutes)**

1155 – 1300

**LUNCH**

1300 – 1410

**Session 3:** Ensuring seafood quality and safety through improved technology for postharvest handling and processing methods

**Chaired by:**

**Mr Md Muhibuzzaman**, Deputy Secretary, Ministry of Fisheries & Livestock, Bangladesh (TBC)

**Speakers - 15 minutes Presentation**

1. Mr Redha Said Khalfan Bait Faraj  
Head Section Of Seafood Safety Implementation System  
Fishery Quality Control Center  
Ministry of Agriculture & Fisheries Wealth

Oman

2. Mrs Sepali Wickramasinghe  
Acting Director (Development & Ocean Resources)  
Ministry of Fisheries  
Sri Lanka
3. Ms Isabella Houareau  
Managing Director  
Fishing Port  
Seychelles

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**Discussion Session (25 minutes)**

**1410 – 1505**

**Session 4:** Biopreservation and storage: an ecological approach to improve the safety and quality of seafood products

**Chaired by:**

**Ms Mlolwa Mwanaidi Ramadhani**, Assistant Director of Fisheries Quality Assurance Standards and Marketing, Department of Livestock and Fisheries, Tanzania (TBC)

**Speakers - 15 minutes Presentation**

1. Mr Md Muhibuzzaman  
Deputy Secretary  
Ministry of Fisheries & Livestock  
Bangladesh
2. Mr Abdullahi Mohamed Ali  
Head of Production Section, Ministry of Fisheries  
Somalia

**Discussion Session (25 minutes)**

**1505 – 1520**

**COFFEE BREAK**

**1520 – 1615**

**Session 5:** Optimising the use of low-value fish products to enhance the marketing of seafood and aquaculture products

**Chaired by:**

**Dr. Jai Singh Meena**, Deputy Director (Processing & Marketing), National Institute of Fisheries Post Harvest Technology & Training (NIFPHATT), India

**Speakers - 15 minutes Presentation**

1. Ms. Dora Lesperance  
Fisheries Development Manager  
Seychelles
2. Ms Veronique Garrioch  
Relationships Manager  
Seafood & Marine sectors  
IBL Group  
Mauritius

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**Discussion Session (25 minutes)**

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## DAY 2: 2<sup>nd</sup> September 2016

TIME	SESSIONS
0900 – 0955	<b>Session 6:</b> Sustainable waste management in fish processing operations  <b>Chaired by:</b> Mrs Sepali Wickramasinghe, Acting Director (Development & Ocean Resources), Ministry of Fisheries, Sri Lanka (TBC)  <b>Speaker - 15 minutes Presentation</b> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Dr Majid Javanmard Director of Agricultural Research Institute Department of Food Technologies, Iranian Research Organization for Science &amp; Technology (IROST) Iran</li><li>2. Mr Rabesalama Miandra Solomananjara Bienvenu Jean Aimé Ingénieur Halieute Madagascar</li></ol> <b>Discussion Session (25 minutes)</b>
0955 – 1030	<b>Working Session:</b> Recommendations of workshop and proposed projects to improve seafood handling, post-harvest processing and storage of fisheries and aquaculture products in the Indian Ocean region.  <b>Chaired by:</b> Comoros/ IORA Secretariat
1030 - 1045	<b>COFFEE BREAK</b>
1045 - 1145	<b>Working Session (Cont'd):</b> Recommendations of workshop and proposed projects to improve seafood handling, post-harvest processing and storage of fisheries and aquaculture products in the Indian Ocean region.  <b>Chaired by:</b> Comoros/ IORA Secretariat
1145 - 1200	<b>Closing Session:</b>  <b>Summing by:</b> Blue Economy Committee, Comoros  <b>Remarks by:</b> IORA Secretariat  <b>Closing Statement by:</b> H.E Mohamed Bacar Dossar, Minister of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation, Comoros
1200 – 1300	<b>LUNCH BREAK</b>
1300	<b>Field Visit</b>