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## AGENDA FOR THE 4<sup>TH</sup> TECHNICAL COMMITTEE ON ALLOCATION CRITERIA

**Date:** 5–7 February 2018

**Location:** Seychelles

**Venue:** Savoy Hotel, Beau Vallon

**Time:** 9:00–17:00 daily

**Chairperson:** Mr Don MacKay

1. **OPENING OF THE SESSION** (Chairperson & IOTC Secretariat)
2. **LETTER OF CREDENTIALS** (IOTC Secretariat)
3. **ADMISSION OF OBSERVERS** (Chairperson)
4. **ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA AND ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE SESSION** (Chairperson)
5. **BACKGROUND OF THE WORK OF THE TCAC TO-DATE** (IOTC Secretariat)
  - Review of the work of the TCAC to-date
  - Decisions of the Commission related to the work of the TCAC
  - Introduction to allocation criteria systems in other tuna RFMOs
6. **PROPOSALS FOR A QUOTA ALLOCATION SYSTEM in IOTC**
  - Discussion on the basis of Appendix VII to the Report of the 3rd Session of the TCAC (IOTC-2016-TCAC03-R) Possible Principles for Allocation, as per Recommendation TCAC03.03
  - Continuation of deliberations from the 21st Session of the Commission on IOTC-2017-S21-PropN *On the Allocation of Fishing Opportunities for IOTC species*
  - Presentation and discussion of proposals from Members
7. **PROPOSALS FOR ALTERNATIVE MANAGEMENT MEASURES**
  - Presentation and discussion of proposals from Members
8. **OTHER BUSINESS**
9. **ADOPTION OF THE REPORT**