

I have the further honor to propose certain amendments to the Treaty as follows:

1. Annex A is amended so that it reads in its entirety as follows:

ANNEX A

1.

- a. Each Party agrees to provide annually to the other Party a list of its fishing vessels which propose to fish albacore tuna off the coast of the other Party. The list will include (1) vessel name, (2) home port, (3) radio call sign or vessel identification marking that identifies the flag state of the vessel ("Vessel Identification Marking"), (4) fishing vessel registration number, and (5) captain or operator's name, if known.
- b. Each Party may provide the other Party with additions or deletions to its list at any time.
- c. As soon as possible after receipt, and subject to paragraph 1(d) below, the receiving Party shall satisfy itself that the list received meets the criteria of paragraph 1(a) and shall so inform the other Party in order to enable the albacore fishery to proceed pursuant to this Treaty.
- d. Should, due to serious or repeated fisheries violations or offenses, one Party object to the inclusion of a particular vessel on the list of the other Party, the two Parties shall consult. In this event, actions pursuant to paragraph 1(c), with regard to other vessels shall not be delayed. Following consultations, each Party shall notify its vessels which both Parties agree shall not be included on the list referred to in paragraph 1(c).

2. If required by either Party, each vessel shall, prior to entering and leaving the fishing zone of such Party, so inform the appropriate authorities and provide the vessel name, radio call sign or Vessel Identification Marking,