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Corrigendum

Resolution 1, annex II, chapter 17

1.   Paragraph 17.49 should read

17.49. States should take effective action, including bilateral and
multilateral cooperation, where appropriate at the subregional,
regional and global levels, to ensure that high seas fisheries are
managed in accordance with the provisions of the United Nations
Convention on the Law of the Sea. In particular, they should:

     (a) Give full effect to these provisions with regard to fisheries
populations whose ranges lie both within and beyond exclusive economic
zones (straddling stocks);

     (b) Give full effect to these provisions with regard to highly
migratory species;

     (c) Negotiate, where appropriate, international agreements for the
effective management and conservation of fishery stocks;

     (d) Define and identify appropriate management units;

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(e) Convene, as soon as possible, an intergovernmental conference under United Nations auspices, taking into account relevant activities at the subregional, regional and global levels, with a view to promoting effective implementation of the provisions of the United Nations Conventionon the Law of the Sea on straddling fish stocks and highly migratory fish stocks. The conference, drawing, <u>inter alia</u>, on scientific and technical studies by FAO, should identify and assess existing problems related to the conservation and management of such fish stocks, and consider means of improving cooperation on fisheries among States, and formulate appropriate recommendations. The work and the results of the conference should be fully consistent with the provisions of the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea, in particular the rights and obligations of coastal States and States fishing on the high seas.

2.   Delete paragraph 17.50 and renumber the remaining paragraphs accordingly.