



SPC / FFA AND REGIONAL NEIGHBOURS
SEVENTH OBSERVER COORDINATORS' WORKSHOP



**Brisbane, Australia
19 – 22 November 2007**

PROVISIONAL AGENDA

1. Opening formalities
 - i Opening of meeting
 - ii Election of Chairman
 - iii Apologies
2. Adoption of agenda
3. Outcomes from Previous Meeting
4. Country Reports
5. Workshop
 - a Observer safety - tracking incidents of observer harassment and abuse
 - b Competency-Based-Training Standards and Certification
 - c Inter-programme liaison and logistical support
 - d 2008 training calendar
 - e FFA weekly reports / Forklength / biological sampling newsletter
 - f Electronic Monitoring
 - g Observer equipment – hand-held GPS units, computers, electronic callipers
 - h Alternative approaches to implementing observer programmes
 - i Marine mammal depredation
 - j Current biological sampling
 - k TUFMAN and the Observer Viewer System
 - l 2007 International Observers' Conference
 - m PNA observer issues
 - n Regional Observer Programme (ROP)
 - o Other matters / Next meeting/ future work shops
6. Record of proceedings
7. Close of meeting