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Call for Applications to the IWC Small Cetaceans Conservation Research Fund

I am pleased to announce that thanks to voluntary contributions from France, Italy, Netherlands, United Kingdom and a consortium of NGOs, there are sufficient funds (£50,000) in the IWC Small Cetacean Conservation Research Fund to put out a second call for tenders (the first was in 2011 and final reports will be presented at the forthcoming Scientific Committee meeting in Jeju).

The IWC Scientific Committee has established an application and review process and the call for research proposals and details of the application and review process can be found at:

http://iwc.int/sm_fund

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