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**Adherence of Iceland to the Convention and Iceland's Commissioner**

The Secretariat has been informed by the Embassy of the United States of America in London that on 8 June 2001, Iceland deposited an instrument of adherence to both the International Convention for the Regulation of Whaling (done at Washington, 2 December 1946) and the Protocol to the Convention (done at Washington, 19 November 1956).

The instrument of adherence states, in translation, that Iceland *“adheres to the aforesaid Convention and Protocol with a reservation with respect to paragraph 10 (e) of the Schedule attached to the Convention. The reservation forms an integral part of this instrument of adherence”*.

The Government of Iceland has informed the Secretariat that its Commissioner to the IWC is Mr. Thordur Asgeirsson, Director of Fisheries. Mr. Asgeirsson's contact details are as follows:

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