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Circular Communication to Commissioners, Contracting Governments and Members of the Scientific Committee

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Date and Venue for the Commission's 66th Meeting

I am very pleased to report that the Commission will be returning to Slovenia for its next meeting in 2016. Member governments were unanimous in their praise for both the natural beauty and the extensive conference facilities following IWC65 in 2014.

The experience was also positive for our generous hosts and the Government of Slovenia has invited both the Scientific Committee and the Commission to return in 2016. Circular Communication IWC.ALL.233 of 23 June 2015 confirmed that the Scientific Committee will meet in Bled from 7-19 June 2016.

In addition, we are now able to confirm that the Commission meeting will take place from 20-28 October 2016 at the Grand Hotel Bernardin, Portorož. A timetable will be circulated in due course and all details will be made available through the IWC website.

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