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**General Schedule and Deadlines for the 67<sup>th</sup> Meeting of the International Whaling Commission**

As previously announced, the 67<sup>th</sup> Meeting of the International Whaling Commission will take place in September 2018 at the kind invitation of the government of Brazil. The IWC website contains further details regarding the venue, accommodation, visas, and other relevant information.

Given the need to ensure timely submission of documents in advance of IWC67, this circular provides the dates for pre-meetings, Sub-committee meetings, and Plenary. These are as follows:

04-05 September: Pre-meetings TBD  
06-08 September: Sub-Committee meetings  
09 September: Other meetings TBD  
10-14 September: Plenary

The deadlines are thus as follows:

02 June: 100-day deadline (draft agenda is circulated)  
12 June: 90-day deadline (for applications to Voluntary Fund for Governments of Limited Means)  
12 July: 60-day deadline (final agenda is circulated; full draft texts of Schedule Amendments and Resolutions are circulated)

We thank you for your attention to these important dates. Additional information will be provided as it becomes available.

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*c.c. Accredited observers to the IWC*

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