

## **OPENING SESSION OF LDAC WORKING GROUP MEETINGS**

## IMPLEMENTING THE EXTERNAL DIMENSION OF THE EU COMMON FISHERIES POLICY: OPPORTUNITIES AND CHALLENGES

Tuesday 4 April 2017, 09.00- 10:30h

Hotel Renaissance. Rue du Parnasse 19. Schuman

1050 Brussels, Belgium

09:00-09:10 h

1. Welcome and opening remarks by the LDAC Chair

09:10-10:15 h

- 2. The implementation of the CFP External Dimension
- 2.1. EC perspective: Mr. Anders JESSEN (HoU B2 DG MARE)
- 2.2. NGOs perspective: Ms. Mireille THOM (WWF)
- 2.3. Exchange of views from the floor

10:15-10:30 h

- 3. Way forward: LDAC advice and future meetings
- 3.1. Proposal for development of a LDAC advice: identification of key topics
- 3.2. Future LDAC events and participation of LDAC at UN SDG Workshop (New York, June) and "Our Oceans" Conference (Malta, October)

**CLOSING OF THE MEETING**