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## To: NCCs Focal Points, TWGs Chairs and Members, and Partners

## SUBJECT: Follow-up of the CTI-CFF First Regional Exchange on Seascapes

Dear Colleagues,

Greetings from the Interim Regional Secretariat!

We would first like to express our gratitude for your attendance in the CTI-CFF First Regional Exchange on Seascapes that took place this past April 2014 in Manila. This Regional Exchange was a success in bringing together representatives from all Technical Working Groups from all CTI countries and in advancing the understanding and application of large-scale marine management by way of a seascapes and integrated EBM approach. Attached you will find the **Summary Report** and a condensed **Summary Activity Report** from the CTI-CFF First Regional Exchange on Seascapes.

As a means of preparing for the next Regional Exchange on Seascapes, we have also developed a survey for participants to provide feedback and comments on the First Regional Exchange, and recommendations for the upcoming Second Regional Exchange. We kindly ask that you take 10-15 minutes to complete the online survey, which can be accessed through the following link:

https://www.surveymonkey.com/s/N5PMQBX

Finally, we have received nominations for the members of Seascape Working Group (SWG) Sub-Committee to formulate and develop Seascapes "General Model" from most CTI member countries and we will be in contact with those nominees shortly to begin the planning process.

Thank you very much, and we look forward to your positive response and continued cooperation.

Sincerely,

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