1. Continue to work with ICRI Secretariat to disseminate information on key science and management issues for fish aggregations, and the need to ensure fish aggregations are included in coral reef management planning. SCRFA provided 2 short films “Snapper Spawn” and “Spawning Aggregations - Natural Numbers Ep 05” for dissemination. Also regular updates on fish aggregations via an email list.

2. Engage ICRI members to contribute information to the SCRFA Fish Aggregation Database to fill information gaps. At the last ICRI meeting, SCRFA requested that members provide contacts or information to help fill the information gaps about fish spawning aggregations for many of the ICRI member countries. To date some communications have been made to SCRFA, and further follow-up may result in some additional records being added to the SCRFA Fish Aggregation Database. Further requests and effort in needed to ensure member countries are better represented in the database.

3. Depending if adequate information is obtained, produce an updated version of the Status Report – World’s Fish Aggregations. Further records are currently being added to the Database. SCRFA will continue to add and update information, and also seek funding to assist in analysing the data and produce an updated status report.


5. Link with the Regional Lionfish Committee to provide an update to ICRI about the impact of lionfish on fisheries species in the Caribbean. No progress has been made on this to date due to funding and time constraints.

6. Provide an update to ICRI on land-use and fishing impact on bumphead parrotfish, a fish species essential to coral reef health. No progress has been made on this to date due to funding and time constraints.