

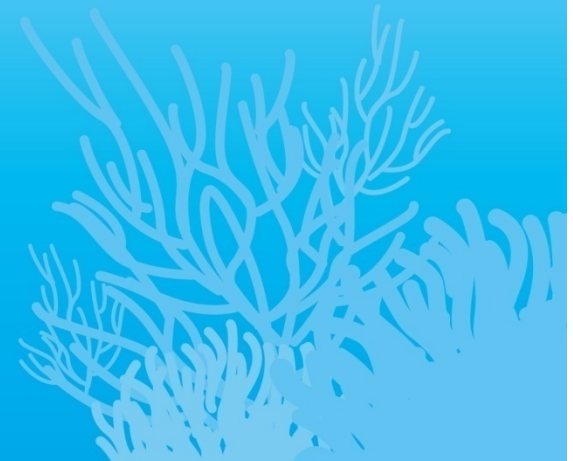


Organization and Management Procedures for the International Coral Reef Initiative



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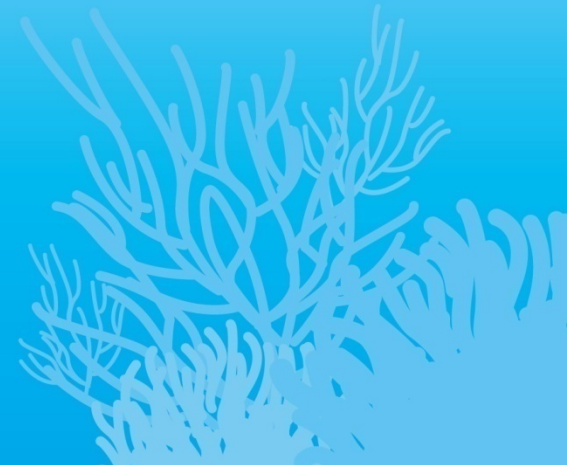
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A brief passage through time!

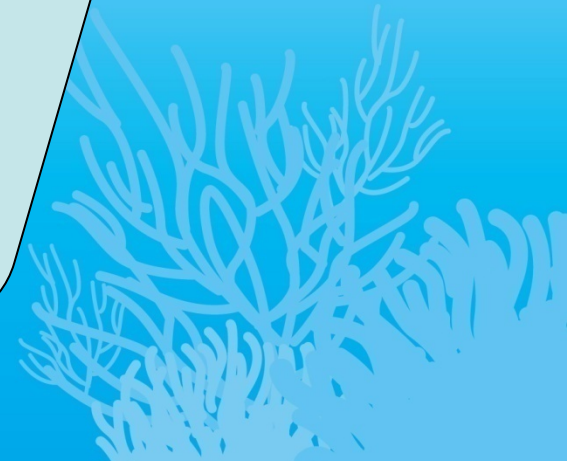
ICRI General Meeting # 13: Cancun Mexico, June 2002

“.....the Secretariat planned to prepare a working document outlining the operational procedures of the ICRI Secretariat and CPC to maximise the efficiency of effectiveness of ICRI, monitor the progress of resolutions and decisions adopted by the ICRI CPC.....”



ICRI General Meeting # 14: Gland Switzerland, May 2003

“.....introduced the Draft Resolution on the Organisation and Management Procedures for ICRI (CPC Doc 7.1.1) and proposed a general discussion of how ICRI should be organised in the futurethere was a need to clarify some of the procedures to streamline ICRI but but warned against establishing a burdensome bureaucracy with complicated procedures.....”



ICRI General Meeting # 14: Turks & Caicos, Nov 2003

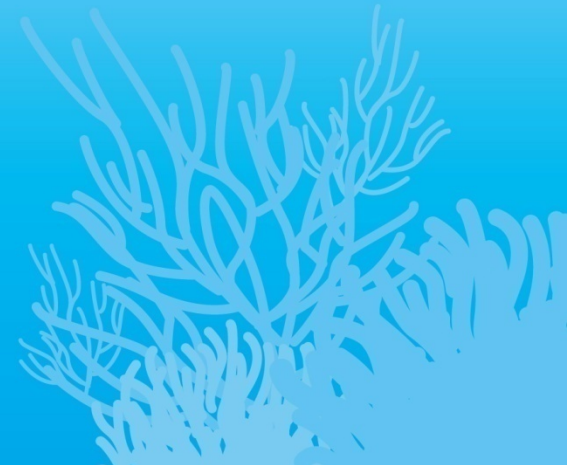
“...Following detailed discussion of the Resolution for Organisation and Management Procedures for ICRI at the previous CPC meeting in Gland, May 2003, amendments were proposed and discussed through the ICRI Forum. The Resolution was brought to this meeting to be finalised and endorsed.The endorsed document (‘the Resolution’) will be open to review after a 2- year period to assess its impact and any need for modifying the Articles.”

ICRI General Meeting # 22: Ft Lauderdale USA, Jul 2008

"... The ICRI Secretariat will conduct a review of the "Organization and Management Procedures for the International Coral Reef Initiative (ICRI)," with a view to streamlining and updating the procedures based on experiences gained since 2005 when the procedures were revised. The Secretariat will be assisted by a small working group including France, GBRMPA (Australia), GCRMN, ICRAN, IYOR Coordinator, ReefCheck, and UNEP. "

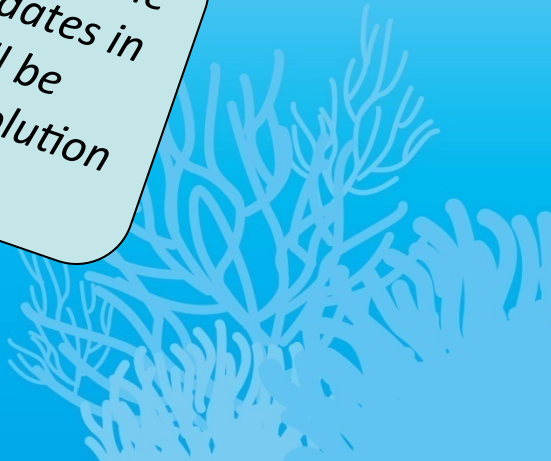
ICRI General Meeting # 23: Phuket Thailand, Apr 2009

“...streamlined revisions to the ICRI Organization and Management Procedures were approved by the General Meeting.The revisions include a streamlined motions process, condensing of the financial obligations, and creation of a broad, inclusive view of the operational networks....”



ICRI General Meeting # 27: Cairns Australia, Jul 2012

"... key ICRI documents need to be updated so they are current. The ICRI Secretariatis proposing to prepare drafts of these updates in the lead-up to ICRI GM28 in late 2013. Proposed changes will be circulated to ICRI memberswishing to participate in the evolution of these drafts."



What's changed?

- Grammar and “readability”.
- Use of “active” language.
- Removing inconsistencies.
- Avoiding text that is incompatible with a non-binding document (eg. “may” rather than “shall”).
- ICRI hosting period.



Motion to the 28th ICRI General Meeting

- **Recalling** the adoption by ICRI members at the 17th General Meeting (Seychelles, 2005) of the initial Organization and Management Procedures for the International Coral Reef Initiative (the Procedures) compiled by the then ICRI co-hosts the United Kingdom and the Seychelles;
- **Noting** the valuable revisions to the Procedures undertaken by the United States/Mexico co-hosts at the 22nd General Meeting (Fort Lauderdale 2008) and further refined at the 23rd General Meeting (Phuket, 2009);
- **Noting with thanks** the work of the ICRI Secretariat, co-hosted by France and Samoa in conjunction with the Principality Monaco in 2010 that sought ICRI members' views on the currency of the Procedures;

Motion to the 28th ICRI General Meeting

- **Recalling** that the operation of ICRI is based on principles of cooperation and consensus;
- **Wishing** to maintain effectiveness and efficiency of ICRI in general and the rotating ICRI Secretariat in particular;
- **The Membership of the International Coral Reef Initiative (ICRI):**
- **Adopts** the revised Organisation and Management Procedures for the International Coral Reef Initiative (the Procedures) dated October 2013 to guide the administration of ICRI.





Thank you so much!

