

**AQUATIC RESOURCES AUTHORITY OF PANAMA
INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION & HIGH SEAS FISHERIES AFFAIRS**

Technical Circular ARAP/IFA/TC/006/2020

To:	Shipowners, Captains and Legal Representative
Subjet:	Initial Inspection or Recognition Coordination for a vessel dedicated to fishing or fishing support.
Ref.:	ADM / ARAP Resolution NO. 105 of December 23, 2019

The Aquatic Resources Authority of Panama, in order to comply with Resolution ARAP / ADM No. 105 of December 23, 2019, is informed, as of the date, the necessary logistics coordination is required for all ships that has not carried out an initial inspection or reconnaissance inspection, carried out promptly, with the determination to ensure compliance with national and international standards.

Based on what was stated in the previous paragraph, we are grateful to carry out the necessary coordination with the General Directorate of Inspection, Surveillance and Control, in order to carry out the respective inspections using the contacts detailed below.

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We appreciate the necessary steps in order to complete the pending inspections.