Opening Remarks
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Opening by Co-Chairs
H.E. Mr. Juan Carlos Mendoza (Ambassador of Costa Rica)
Christophe Lefebvre (French Biodiversity Agency)

Video Message from H.E. Mr. Luis Guillermo Solis, President of Costa Rica

Sustainable Ocean Initiative Film Screening

Theme Presentations
Strengthening National Capacity and Empowering Indigenous Peoples and Local Communities to Accelerate Implementation of SDG 14
Jihyun Lee (Secretariat of the Convention on Biological Diversity)
Vivienne Solis Rivera (International Collective in Support of Fishworkers)

Panel Discussion on Regional Experiences
Puri Canals (Mediterranean MPA network)
Dixon Waruinge (Nairobi Convention Secretariat)
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Cristelle Pratt /Jeremy Hills (Pacific Islands Forum Secretariat)

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