ISAC Subcommittee on Prevention

Fall 2015 Meeting - Beltsville, MD

Breakout Session Agenda

Session 1: Wednesday, October 28, 2015

- 1. Department of Defense (DOD) to provide information on the Regional Biosecurity Plan for Micronesia and Hawaii and how it addresses international and inter-island trade and movement of goods in the region.
- 2. Subcommittee member updates.

Session 2: Thursday, October 29, 2015

1. Discussion regarding IUCN and teleconference with Christy Martin, Coordinating Group of Alien Pest Species (CGAPS) and Josh Atwood, Hawaii Invasive Species Council (HISC) on the IUCN World Conservation Conference (WCC) to be held in Hawaii in 2016. The IUCN WCC offers an unprecedented opportunity for achieving real influence in setting the international conservation agenda. Invasive species is the second largest driver of biodiversity loss worldwide. In 2010, the Convention of Biological Diversity adopted Aichi Target 9 which states:

By 2020, invasive alien species and pathways are identified and prioritized, priority species are controlled and eradicated, and measures are in place to manage pathways to prevent their introduction and establishment.

IUCN is playing a significant role in achieving this goal, which requires Parties to:

- Identify invasive alien species and prioritize for management action.
- Identify key pathways of introduction and prioritize for management action including preventive measures.
- 2. Review of status and next steps for work on Trade and Non-Contiguous Areas of the U.S.