

## **Statement of Intent**

As a member of the International Seafood Sustainability Foundation (ISSF), Chotiwat Manufacturing Public Co., Ltd. is proud to support responsible and sustainable tuna fisheries through the ProActive Vessel Register (PVR). ISSF created the PVR to provide vessel owners with an opportunity to identify themselves as active participants in meaningful tuna sustainability efforts. At the same time, the PVR provides validated information to tuna purchasers and interested stakeholders that reflect the positive steps each vessel is taking in implementing a series of commitments designed to improve tuna fishing practices. It is important to note, however, that when a vessel chooses to list on the PVR, they are not seeking or securing endorsement by ISSF, rather they are committing to being transparent in their practices. Chotiwat is committed to increasing the amount of fish that we source from vessels that are part of the PVR. Specifically, we commit to:

- Work with our suppliers to make sure that they are providing us with an increasing amount of supply from vessels on the PVR
- Directly engage our suppliers and boat owners and encourage them to partner with us by joining the PVR
- Implement an internal program to review and monitor our progress, and find innovative ways to increase our sourcing from vessels listed on the PVR

From Q1/2024 to Q4/2024, 82.60% of our longline purchases were from vessels on the PVR. Chotiwat is committed to increasing purchases from longline vessels registered on the PVR.

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