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Notification for Scientific Research in Subarea 88.1 - information submitted by New Zealand

In addition to COMM CIRC 12/18–SC CIRC 12/09, New Zealand has requested that the attached information be circulated to all Members of the Commission.

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Dear Drew

I refer to my letter dated 3 February 2012 regarding the pre-recruit survey in CCAMLR Subarea 88.1 (circulated to Members under COMM CIRC 12/18).

I wish to inform you that the San Aotea II commenced the pre-recruit survey on Sunday 5 February. It is estimated that it will take approximately fourteen days to complete the survey, subject to weather and ice conditions.

I should be grateful if you would circulate this letter to CCAMLR Members for their information.

Yours sincerely

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Carolyn Schwalger New Zealand CCAMLR Commissioner