

## **PROACTIVE VESSEL REGISTER**

### **Commitment to increase sourcing from ISSF Proactive Vessel Register registered fishing vessels**

The Grupo Conservas Garavilla (GCG) considers the ISSF PVR to be an effective, credible and objectively verifiable way to identify those fishing vessels whose owners are committed to improving the sustainability of fisheries, making significant efforts to improve responsible tuna fishing practices and undertaking the ISSF's multi-year commitments.

GCG is mainly supplied with tuna from companies which are ISSF members and, therefore, they are fully committed to the sustainability of the resource. In any case, GCG is committed to ensuring that all the tuna used comes from catches made by vessels registered on the ISSF PVR.

To this end, we have encouraged all our tuna suppliers to register their vessels on the ISSF PVR in order to increase the amount of available fish caught by vessels in the PVR, and therefore with responsible fishing practices that are periodically audited by independent international bodies of accredited prestige.

At GCG we redouble our efforts in defense of the sustainability of tuna fisheries globally, we encourage our suppliers, and all fleets regardless of the fishing method they use, to join the PVR, thus increasing the availability of tuna caught by vessels on the register so that we can progressively increase the supply of tuna caught by vessels on the PVR.

The success achieved in previous years, the collaboration of our suppliers and the ratification of the commitments regarding the sustainability of resources and the defense of marine habitats, allow GRUPO CONSERVAS GARAVILLA to acquire the COMMITMENT that 100% of the TUNA used in our factories which has been caught by the large purse seine fleet, will come from vessels registered on the PVR list of the International Seafood Sustainability Foundation (ISSF). Likewise, although tuna from the longline fleet represents a minimal part of our supply (0.15% of tuna in 2019), all of this tuna comes from longline vessels registered on the corresponding ISSF PVR list.

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