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CORRIGENDUM

Secretariat Analysis of Common Indicators

TABLE I: Summary of Secretariat Analysis on common indicators

On page 9, Operational Objective 10.1 should read as follows:

| Operational objective | Common Indicator | GES | Targets | Similar indicators from other Regional Seas Conventions |
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| 10.1 The impacts related to properties and quantities of marine litter in the marine and coastal environmen t are minimized ¹ | 10.1.1 Trends in the amount of litter washed ashore and/or deposited on coastlines, including analysis of its composition, spatial distribution and, where possible, source | Number/amount of marine litter items on the coastline do not have negative impacts on human health, marine life and ecosystem services | State Decreasing trend in the number of/amount of marine litter (items) deposited on the coast | OSPAR common indicator: "Beach litter". RSCAP has "Quantification of beach litter items" in its coordinated set of indicators. |
| | Trends in amounts of litter in the water column, including microplastics, and on the seafloor | Number/amount of marine litter items in the water surface and the seafloor do not have negative impacts on human health, marine life, ecosystem services and do not create risk to navigation | State Decreasing trend in the number/amount of marine litter items in the water surface and the seafloor | |

¹ Baseline is needed to be developed in line with the Marine Litter Regional Plan by COP19