

CLOSE OF THE MEETING

20.1 In closing the meeting, Dr Holt thanked all Members of the Scientific Committee and the staff of the Secretariat for their relentless work during the meeting and over the past intersessional period. The Scientific Committee was especially indebted to the work of the conveners of the working groups and the other CCAMLR meetings held in 2000/01 and the rapporteurs.

20.2 Dr Holt also thanked Dr Fanta for chairing a section of the meeting while he was called away to attend SCOI. He noted that, to his knowledge, it was the first time a woman had chaired the Scientific Committee.

20.3 Dr Holt also thanked Dr Miller for his long-standing contribution to the work of the Scientific Committee, and Members of the Committee joined in congratulating Dr Miller on his new appointment as Executive Secretary of the CCAMLR Secretariat.

20.4 The Scientific Committee also thanked Dr Everson for agreeing to convene the 2002 meeting of WG-FSA.

20.5 Prof. Croxall, on behalf of the Scientific Committee, thanked Dr Holt for an outstanding meeting. This had been the first meeting of the Scientific Committee chaired by Dr Holt, and his leadership had been greatly appreciated by all.

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