



**PROJECT INCEPTION REPORT FOR THE DEEP SEA  
FISHING AUTHORITY RESEARCH GRANT UNDER THE  
THEME “TUNA FISHERIES FOR GROWTH OF  
INDUSTRIAL ECONOMY”**



**Title of project:** Delineation of the genetic stock structure of the Queen mackerel to enhance fisheries management in Tanzania (DGS-Fish)

**Amount applied for:** USD 20,000

**Name of PI:** Dr. Cyrus Rumisha

### **1. Introduction**

The principal investigator “Cyrus Rumisha” attended an inception workshop which was conducted on 29<sup>th</sup> February 2020 at the MVUVI House in Dar es Salaam. The PI presented the proposal and answered the questions which were raised by the panelists.

### **2. Response to comments raised during the inception workshop**

All issues raised by the panelists were addressed as shown below;

- We have decreased the number of sample sites to seven as suggested by the panelists. Therefore, we will maintain five sites in mainland Tanzania (Tanga, Dar es Salaam, Mafia, Kilwa, and Mtwara) and two in Zanzibar (Unguja and Pemba).
- We have increased the number of samples per site to 50 as suggested by the panelists during the inception workshop.
- We have revised the budget as suggested by the panelists. Both the revised proposal and budget are attached to this report.

Thank you for your consideration

Yours sincerely,

**Dr. Cyrus Rumisha**

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