Transformations for a Sustainable Ocean Economy

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Introduction

- High Level Panel for Sustainable Ocean Economy proposed on December 4
- Includes 14 Countries
- Integrates scientific, economic, and political knowledge



Sustainable Ocean Food

 Extremely accessible however it is harvested in an extremely unsustainable way

Proposed action

- Eliminate unreported fishing
- Strengthen fishery management organization
- Minimize waste in supply chains



Sustainable Ocean Energy

- Clean energy could lead to job production

Proposed Action

- Invest in research
- Integrate into a variety of industries
- Set up goals and policies

Sustainable Ocean Based Tourism

- Stimulates the economies of coastal towns
- Pollution and degradation threaten the industry

Proposed Action

- Investments that support new infrastructure
- Marine restoration and protection

2030 Outcome

- Food: Fish stocks are restored and harvested at sustainable levels, aquaculture is sustainably grown to meet global needs, waste is minimized
- **Energy**: Ocean based renewable energy is fast growing and on the path to becoming a leading source of energy for the world
- **Tourism:**Coastal and ocean based tourism is sustainable, reduces pollution, and supports ecosystem regeneration.

Sources

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