



Time Bound Statement with Targets: Founder

As a Production/Markets **Founder** Partner with the GDST, Blue Ocean Mariculture endorses the [GDST Standards and Guidelines for Interoperable Seafood Traceability Systems](#) and is committed to its adoption and implementation across the seafood sector worldwide. We recognize that, although implementation of GDST standards may require a phased approach:

- 1) Interoperable traceability is critically important to responsibly produced, globally traded seafood.
- 2) GDST's Core Normative Standards are mandatory for interoperable traceability implementation.
- 3) Dialogue participation gives GDST partners a voice to effect change and help evolve the standard.

As a **Founder** level Partner, Blue Ocean Mariculture will work to adopt and implement the GDST standards **in our operations and supply chain** for our production of *Seriola rivoliana* within the next 2 years; and will define and share specific measurable targets for that adoption/ implementation with GDST.

Authorized signer of Blue Ocean Mariculture:

Dick Jones, CEO

Signature

August 28, 2023

Date