LIST OF QUESTIONS TO THE PANEL REGARDING ESTIMATION OF THE EXTENT AND TRENDS OF WEST COAST ROCK LOBSTER POACHING

1) For the data available, how might the analysis methods being used be improved?

2) Have the results obtained from the current methods been accurately summarised?  
   *Note that the current approach uses DAFF MCS data to provide poaching trend information, and TRAFFIC analyses to identify an absolute magnitude.*

3) The DAFF MCS confiscations and effort data, and the TRAFFIC analyses, suggest different trends in the extent of poaching over time; how best might these differences be taken into account?

4) How best might one determine reliably whether and to what extent the magnitude of poaching might change in the future?  
   *Note that the basis for future management recommendations needs to incorporate the ability to react appropriately and timeously to adequate evidence for such possible changes.*

5) If additional compliance measures of a different nature are introduced, with possible impacts on the behaviour of poachers, how best might the existing poaching trend index derived from DAFF MCS data be calibrated?

6) Are there any suggestions for other possible approaches to quantify poaching magnitudes and trends, either with the data currently available, or with additional data which could be practically collected?