

## EVENT INVITATION

# Unifying Efforts to Eradicate Illegal Fishing

## Building on Successes and Inspiring Global Action



The Environmental Justice Foundation, Oceana, The Pew Charitable Trusts and WWF are pleased to invite you to a welcome reception for

## OUR OCEAN conference 2017

4<sup>th</sup> October 2017 | 18:00-20:00

Hilton Malta Vjal Portomaso, St Julian's PTM 01, Malta | Gazebo (poolside area)

The event will celebrate the commencement of the **Our Ocean conference 2017**, present key milestones in the efforts to eradicate illegal fishing and inspire ambitious commitments. A short film will be screened, highlighting the achievements and impacts of the EU IUU Regulation as a force for change. Remarks will be made by the European Commissioner for Environment, Maritime Affairs and Fisheries, Mr Karmenu Vella, and the hosting NGOs. A reception will follow.

Please contact Mrs Sophie Nodzinski at [sophie.nodzinski@ejfoundation.org](mailto:sophie.nodzinski@ejfoundation.org) by Friday, 22<sup>nd</sup> September to confirm your attendance and the names of all delegates attending the event.

The Environmental Justice Foundation (EJF), Oceana, The Pew Charitable Trusts, and WWF are working together to secure the harmonised and effective implementation of the EU Regulation to end illegal, unreported and unregulated (IUU) fishing.

