

ITA – INKATERRA'S NGO NEWS

ITA presents proposal for the creation of a Marine Protected Area in the tropical sea of Peru

The tropical sea of Peru is one of the richest seas of the world, home of important and endangered species as whales, dolphins, turtles and sharks and breathtaking landscapes. This area faces overfishing problems, contamination, and oil exploitation. In the region of Piura citizens and organizations have been working for the marine biodiversity conservation, especially the Máncora district, Organos and Cabo Blanco.

The proposal developed by Inkaterra Asociación (ITA), for the creation of a Marine Protected Area attempts to protect and optimize the marine biodiversity management as well as other economic activities in the tropical sea of Peru. After this meeting, many participants including associated local fishermen, sent to the government authorities letters for supporting this proposal.



José Purisaca, General Manager of ITA, presents to local citizens of Máncora the conservation and research work of ITA- Inkaterra Asociación.



Sea Turtles in Cabo Blanco, Piura

Regional Government of Tumbes welcomes conservation proposal for the tropical sea of Peru

On June, 26th a meeting was held between ITA and the Regional Government of Tumbes, leaded by Vice-President Orlando La Chira Pasache, and other important local stakeholders in the presence of local media. José Purisaca, General Manager of ITA, presented the proposal for the creation of a Marine Protected Area in the tropical sea of Peru, highlighting that Tumbes Region, located up north of Peru, registers 35% of the fish species of Peru.

