Supplementary Material

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Facebook: Eastern Mediterranean Shark Club
A public group founded by Stamatis Zogaris (zogaris@hcmr.gr) which can be considered as "citizen science" and from a brief search includes numerous sightings, at least on the following species:

- *Hexanchus griseus*
- *Oxynotus centrina*
- *Mobular mobular*
- *Odontaspis ferox*
- *Cetorhinus maximus*
- *Carcharodon carcharias*
- *Isurus oxyrinchus*

(NOTE: non exhaustive search conducted. More sightings can be traced in the above link.)