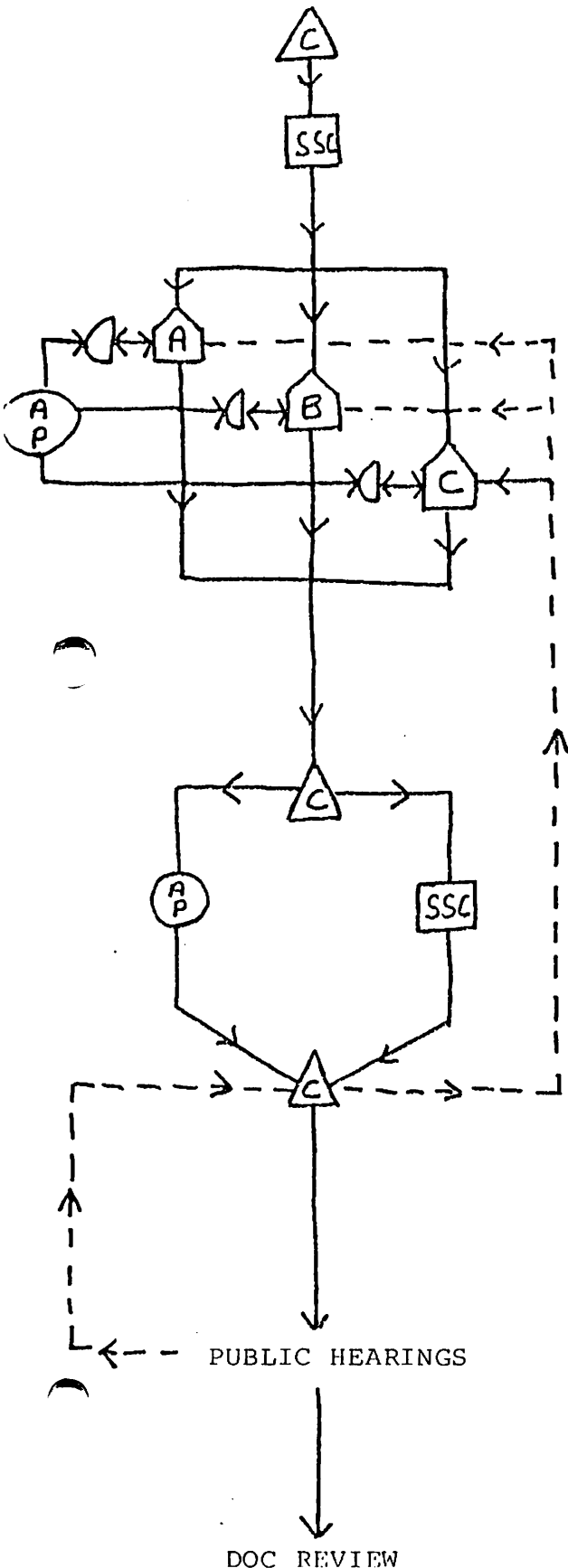


Flow Diagram for the Development of Management Plans/DEIS and revised MP/DEIS - North Pacific Fishery Management Council



Council designates management units and priorities.

SSC with Council approval designates Management Plan Development Team (MPDT) for each designated management unit.

Advisory Panel designates sub-panels for each management unit. The responsibilities of each sub-panel include:

- (1) Interaction with MPDT
- (2) Interaction with constituency

MPDT develops draft Management Plan for its unit and submits to Council.

Council broadly reviews for policy questions and then distributes to Council members, S & SC, and AP for first review.

Results of the review reported to the Council which then:
(1) Makes decision and promulgates for public hearing, and/or
(2) Returns to MPDT for next draft.

This process is repeated until the Council has an acceptable plan, at which point the Plan is released for public hearings, further review by the Council, and decision for final drafting and/or referral to the Department of Commerce.



COUNCIL



ADVISORY PANEL



SUB-PANEL



SCIENTIFIC AND STATISTICAL COMMITTEE



MANAGEMENT PLAN DEVELOPMENT TEAM

- NOTE:
- (1) The Executive Director and staff will have the responsibility of expediting the flow of information and of exercising control over the various documents.
  - (2) Once the draft management plan has been submitted to the Council, only the MPDT is involved in making further revisions directed by the Council, unless further consultation with the AP sub-panel is required.