

NORTH PACIFIC FISHERY MANAGEMENT COUNCIL NPFMC September 2001 - 152nd Special Meeting September 7-8, 2001

AGENDA - 152nd Plenary Session Special Meeting

The sole purpose of this special September meeting is for the council to review the Draft Supplemental Environmental Impact Statement (DSEIS) and associated Draft Biological Opinion (BiOp) for Steller Sea Lion protection measures in the federal groundfish fisheries off Alaska, and send them out for public review. Final action is scheduled for early October in Seattle. Meetings to be held during the week are:

Scientific and Statistical Committee: Sep 5, Wed 8am Advisory Panel: Sep 6, Thur 8am Reception: Sep 7, Fri 6:30pm

All meetings are open to the public, except executive sessions of the Council. Other committee and workgroup meetings may be scheduled on short notice during the week and will be posted.

Note for historical documents, all motions are considered draft unless otherwise noted. Final motions are available in the minutes.

A. CALL MEETING TO ORDER

A1 Call to Order

Attachments: SSC Minutes

AP Minutes

Council Minutes

Meeting Audio

<u>Time Log</u>

- A2 Oath of Office for New Council Members
- A3 Election of Chair and Vice Chair

B. PRESENTATIONS

- B1 1. Background
- B2 2. Biological Impacts and Major Issues

Attachments: Groundfish Market Analysis

- B3 3. Social and Economic Consequences
- B4 4. Summary of DSEIS
- B5 5. Draft Biological Opinion
- B6 6. RPA Committee Report

Attachments: RPA Report

B7 7. Alaska Steller Sea Lion Restoration Team Report

Attachments: <u>Steller Sea Lion Measures</u> <u>Steller Sea Lion Management</u> <u>Steller Sea Lion Alternatives</u>

C. SSC AND AP REPORTS

C1 SSC and AP Reports

D. PUBLIC COMMENT

D1 Public Comments

E. COUNCIL ACTION

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