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FMP Amendment Status	Lead Council and SF Staff	Date of Council Final Action	Start of Regional Review	Transmittal Date of Action to NMFS HQ for Review	Proposed FMP Amendment Notice of Availability Published in <i>Federal Register</i>	Proposed Rule Published in <i>Federal Register</i>	Final Rule Published in <i>Federal Register</i>
Amendments 128 (BSAI) and 116 (GOA); Small Sablefish Release	Cleaver Smith	April 2025	PR: 10/1/2026				
Amendment 58 (KTC) and Amendment 129 (BSAI); Remove Economic Data Reports MSA Decision Day: 10/15/2026	Marrinan Warpinski/Henderson	October 2025	PR: 6/2/2026	PR: 6/22/2026	July 17, 2026 91 FR 44797 EOC: 09/15/2026		
Amendments 59 and 60 (KTC); Crab Arbitration and Crab C Shares	Marrinan/Holman Warpinski/Olson	December 2025	PR: 9/18/2026				
Amendment 130 (BSAI) Chum Salmon Bycatch	Happala, Shaftel	Feb 2026					

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Cook Inlet Salmon Harvest Specifications	Stram Zaleski	February 2026	PR: 2/27/26 FR: 5/13/26	PR: 3/16/2026 FR: 5/22/2026	April 15, 2026 91 FR 20085 EOC: April 30, /2026	June 18, 2026 91 FR 36761 Eff: 6/17/2026
Trawl Catcher/Processor Haul Designation	NA Taylor		PR: 1/27/25 FR: 1/16/2026	PR: 4/24/25 FR: 2/27/2026	October 2, 2025 90 FR 47716 EOC: 11/3/25	June 25, 2026 91 FR 38309 Eff: 7/27/ 2026
Area 4 Halibut IFQ Vessel Use Caps	Henry Henderson	April 2025	PR: 5/13/2026	PR: 7/1/2026	September 3, 2026 91 FR 56606 EOC: 10/5/26	
Pelagic Trawl Gear Definition	Holman Taylor	June 2025	PR: 3/20/2026	PR: 6/11/2026		
Maximum Retainable Amounts	Holman Kraski/Taylor	October 2025				
Sablefish and Groundfish Season Timing	NA M. Zaleski		PR: 8/14/2026	PR: 9/9/2026		

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Cost Recovery Fee Notice BSAI Crab Rationalization 2026/2027	Hadfield	7/15/2026	7/16/2026	July 28, 2026 91 FR 47223
Cost Recovery Fee Notice for PCTC Program for 2026	Hadfield	7/27/26	7/16/26	August 5, 2026 91 FR 50519

EOC means end of comment period.

Eff means effective date