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RE: C2 BSAI Halibut ABM – Initial Review

Bycatch is a loophole for draggers, and should be outlawed. Longlining targets the specie, while a big sock shaped net dragged over the bottom is not. Please reduce bycatch and also please require 100% monitoring for the Trawlers who over the last century started on the east coast, and then moved to the gulf of mexico, then the pacific coast, now here in Alaska. Everywhere they went, they destroyed the local fisheries. thank you for letting me provide input.