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RE: C5 BSAI Pacific cod Trawl Catcher Vessel LAPP - Initial Review

Current trawler bi-catch limits are way too high and are having an unacceptable negative impact on other fisheries and the ecosystem as a whole. Please make bi-catch a primary factor when establishing quotas. Make decisions based on science and sound management to maintain a strong fishery now, and for future generations to come. This is opposed to the current method which seems to be based primarily on the financial statements and lobby efforts.