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Observer Advisory Committee – Meeting Agenda DRAFT 1/27/2014

February 3, 2014 8 am - 5 pm

South Room, Renaissance Madison Hotel, Seattle, WA

Teleconference: (877) 216-1555 access code: 1003197#

(listening only, except for Committee members)

I. Introductions, review agenda

(Dan Hull)

II. Updates

a. Implementation of program and final 2014 ADP

(Martin Loefflad)

b. Outreach events

(Martin Loefflad, Sally Bibb)

III. Review of observer program analyses

a. Outline of the Observer Program Annual Report that is scheduled for review in June 2014

(M Loefflad, S Bibb)

b. Discussion paper on five regulatory amendments, and relative priorities *(Sally Bibb)*

- *Coverage category (partial/full) for BSAI trawl cod CVs*
- *Coverage category for small CPs and combination (CP/CV) vessels*
- *Observer fee basis in IFQ fisheries*
- *Observer coverage for IFQ trips with small amounts of catch*
- *Compliance monitoring options for vessels fishing IFQ in multiple areas*

c. Public comment

d. Discussion, recommendations, and prioritization of analyses

IV. Electronic Monitoring

a. Update on National EM workshop - www.eminformation.com

(Dan Hull)

b. Update on Regional Electronic Technology Implementation Plans (national initiative)

(D Hull, J Mondragon)

c. Study design summary for the 2014 cooperative research EM plan

(M Loefflad, F Wallace)

d. Discussion and recommendations

V. Scheduling & other issues

a. Update on lead level 2 observer availability