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The Council requests a discussion paper on management options available to promote conservation of AI Pacific cod and the sustained participation of AI fishing communities. In particular, the Council is interested in an update to the June 2019 discussion paper, including changes to BSAI Amendment 113 to include the modifications approved by the Council in December 2018, an update on the status of the Amendment 113 litigation, a discussion of how Amendment 113 addresses the national standards, and a thorough examination of options available under MSA 303A for Limited Access Privilege Programs and outside of 303A to meet these objectives.