

Submitted by the Alaska Department of Fish and Game at the request of board member Kluberton

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Draft Language in response to RC 97

5 AAC 33.366 is amended by adding a new subsection to read:

5 AAC 33.366. Northern Southeast seine fishery management plans.

(c) The department may allow operation of purse seines in District 12 south of Point Marsden. Before opening fishing areas and times under this subsection, the department must consider conservation concerns for all salmon species in the area, and

(1) the portion of District 12 within two miles of the Admiralty Island shoreline south of the latitude of Point Hepburn at 57° 56.21' N. lat. and north of the latitude of Fishery Point at 57° 47.36' N. lat. may not open before July 17;

(2) the portion of District 12 within two miles of the Admiralty Island shoreline south of the latitude of Fishery Point at 57° 47.36' N. lat. and north of the latitude of Parker Point at 57° 36.73' N. lat. may not open before July 21.