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Continuation of the Crab Observer Oversight Task Force

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Pursuant to Alaska Board of Fisheries' (board) discussion and requests of crab fishery stakeholders and their representatives, the board determined that continuation of the Crab Observer Oversight Task Force (task force) for the Bering Sea/Aleutian Islands crab observer program and program receipts system is useful.

At its October 2022 work session, the board received a report from the task force. The board approved maintaining the task force for an additional three years. The board reappointed the following existing task force members for three-year terms:

Lance Farr

Linda Kozak

Craig Lowenberg

Jamie Goen

Jeff Stephan

Doug Wells

Paul Wilkins

In addition, the board appointed the following new members to the task force for three-year terms:

Gabriel Prout

Joshua Songstad

Nikolai Sivertstol

The board requests the task force present a report to the board summarizing task force activities during the next Statewide King and Tanner Crab meeting.