SUMMARY OF CHANGES IN THE REGULATIONS OF THE ALASKA DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND GAME

The regulation changes that became effective May 19, 2005 for Title 5 of the Alaska Administrative Code dealing with aquatic farm and hatchery operations are summarized below:

5 AAC 41.200. Applicability of regulations. This was amended to include transport permits.

5 AAC 41.220. Aquatic farm and hatchery operation permit applications; This was amended to better reflect management practices and to be more concise.

5 AAC 41.230. Additional information. This was amended to establish a deadline for submittal of information.

5 AAC 41.240. Review and determination. This was amended to better reflect management practices and to be more concise.

5 AAC 41.245. Acquisition of wild resources. This was repealed and its substance moved to a new section 5 AAC 41.285.

5 AAC 41.250. Permit conditions. This was amended to better reflect management practices and to be more concise.

5 AAC 41.255. Amendments to aquatic farm or hatchery operation permits. This was amended to better reflect management practices and to be more concise.

5 AAC 41.260. Inspection of an aquatic farm or hatchery. This was amended to clarify that a representative of ADF&G will conduct an inspection and the commissioner of ADF&G will issue a notice of non-compliance.

5 AAC 41.275. Annual Hatchery Management Plan. This was repealed.

5 AAC 41.280. Permit renewal or transfer. This was amended to better reflect management practices and to be more concise.

5 AAC 41.285. Aquatic stock acquisition on an aquatic farm or hatchery site. This was added to establish when wild stock becomes the property of an aquatic farm or hatchery permit holder and incorporate the substance of 5 AAC 41.245.

5 AAC 41.290. Aquatic stock acquisition off an aquatic farm site. This was amended to better reflect management practices and to be more concise.

5 AAC 41.295. Stock transport permits. This was amended to better reflect management practices and to be more concise.

5 AAC 41.390. Appeals process. This was added to establish an appeal process for a person adversely affected by a commissioner decision under 5 AAC 41.

5 AAC 41.400, **Definitions.** This was amended to better reflect management practices and to be more concise.