## NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETINGS OF THE ALASKA BOARD OF FISHERIES

Notice is given that the Alaska Board of Fisheries (board) will meet by teleconference on November 1, 2006, beginning at 2:30 p.m. The purpose of the teleconference is to consider generating a proposal to modify the start date of the Aleutian Islands District pollock fishery.

At its recent meeting in October 2006, the board adopted a new regulation providing for a state waters pollock fishery in the Adak area. New information from the North Pacific Fishery Management Council's Steller Sea Lion Mitigation Committee has prompted to board to consider generating a proposal to modify the start date of the fishery for consideration during its December 2006 regulatory meeting.

This request may be considered under the board's Policy for Changing Board Agenda (5 AAC 39.999(b)) in order to coordinate state regulatory actions with federal fishery agencies, programs, or laws.

The board will not take oral public testimony during this session. Listen-only teleconference sites will be provided to the public in Juneau. For further information, a copy of the agenda, and addresses of the listen-in teleconference sites call Jim Marcotte at (907) 465-4110.

If you are a person with a disability who may need a special accommodation in order to participate, please contact Olivia Orsborn at (907) 465-4110 to ensure that any necessary accommodations can be provided.

Jim Marcotte, Executive Director Alaska Board of Fisheries

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