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TO: BOARD OF FISH MEMBERS

FROM: PETER ALEXSON, HOMER, AK.  
20 YEAR TOGIAK HERRING SEINER

COMMENT ON PROPOAL #87, BRISTOL BAY HERRING

#12 SPLIT SAC/ROE HERRING 50/50 SEINE GILLNET

I AM OPPOSED TO THIS PROPOSAL.  
FOR THE LAST FEW YEARS THE GILLNET QUOTA HAS NOT BEEN  
CAUGHT, SO WHY WOULD THEY NEED MORE QUOTA.  
ALSO IF THIS CHANGE WERE TO HAPPEN THAT WOULD MEEN LESS  
HERRING TAKEN ON WHICH THE PROCESSORS RELY ON  
FOR SPRING START UP IN MANY BRISTOL BAY COMMUNITIES.

#13 CLOSE TIGIAK UNTIL 2016

I AM OPPOSED TO THIS PROPOSAL  
WITH HEALTHY BIOMASS AND MUCH NEEDED SPRING  
START UP MONEY FOR ALL INVOLVED, I HAVE A HARD TIME SEEING  
THE REASONING FOR THIS PROPOSAL.  
I HAVE HERRING SEINED IN TOGIAK FOR THE PAST 20 YEARS.  
I LIVE IN HOMER, AK. WITH MY FAMILY.  
TOGIAK SAC/ROE HERRING HAS BEEN A BIG HELP WITH FINANCES  
WHEN SALMON RUNS ARE POOR.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR TIME,  
PETE ALEXSON