

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

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Substitute regulatory language for Proposal 22

5 AAC 06.331(f) is amended to read:

5 AAC 06.331. Gillnet specifications and operations.

(f) A [EXCEPT AS PROVIDED IN (u) OF THIS SECTION, A] person may not operate more than two set gillnets, and the aggregate length of set gillnets operated by that person may not exceed 50 fathoms in length. Notwithstanding 5 AAC 39.240(a), a

(1) person may assist in the operation [OR TRANSPORTATION] of additional set gillnet gear when the CFEC interim-use or entry permit card holder of the additional gear is present in compliance with 5 AAC 39.107;

(2) vessel may have more than one legal limit of set gillnet fishing gear on board the vessel in the Bristol Bay Area.

Note: The following provisions in special harvest area plans would be repealed.

5 AAC 06.357(e)(1)(C): Ugashik River

5 AAC 06.358(d)(1)(E): Wood River (addressed in Proposal 84)

5 AAC 06.360(d)(4): Naknek River

5 AAC 06.373(e)(5): Alagnak River