

Submitted by the Alaska Department of Fish and Game on behalf of Board Member Payton

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Substitute Language for Proposals 10, 12, 13, and 14

5 AAC 28.648. Dutch Harbor Subdistrict Pacific Cod Management Plan

(a) This management plan governs the harvest of Pacific cod in the Dutch Harbor Subdistrict. For the purposes of this section, the Dutch Harbor Subdistrict is comprised of the state waters in the Aleutian Islands District east of 170° W. long. and the state waters of the Bering Sea District that are west of [164° W. LONG.] **162° 30' W. long.**, east of 170° W. long., and south of 55° 30' N. lat., except that the waters of the Dutch Harbor Subdistrict south of 53° 06.11' N. lat. are closed to taking Pacific cod during a state-waters season.

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(e) During a state-waters season,

(1) the guideline harvest level for Pacific cod in the Dutch Harbor Subdistrict is [6.4] **10** percent of the estimated total allowable harvest of Pacific cod for the federal Bering Sea Subarea; **if the guideline harvest level established under this paragraph is achieved in a calendar year, the guideline harvest level will be increased to 11 percent of the estimated total allowable harvest of Pacific cod for the federal Bering Sea Subarea beginning the next calendar year; guideline harvest level increases will continue in years thereafter by increments of 1 percent per year following those calendar years in which the guideline harvest level is achieved; a guideline harvest level established under this paragraph may not exceed 15 percent of the estimated total allowable harvest of Pacific cod for the federal Bering Sea Subarea;**