# **SPORT FISHING** *Emergency Order*

### ALASKA DEPARTMENT OF FISH & GAME

Under Authority of AS 16.05.060

Emergency Order No. 1-KS-E-13-14

Effective	12:01 a.m. Wednesday,
Date:	June 18, 2014

Issued at Juneau, Tuesday, June 17, 2014

Expiration Date: Wednesday, December 31, 2014 at 11:59 p.m. unless superseded by subsequent emergency order.

#### EXPLANATION:

This emergency order opens Glacier, Moraine and Crystal lakes, located within the Mendenhall Glacier Recreation Area in Juneau, and establishes a bag and possession limit of four king salmon with no size limit for these lakes. This action becomes effective June 18 for the remainder of the year.

#### **REGULATION:**

The following provisions are added and become effective from 12:01 a.m. Wednesday, June 18 through Wednesday, December, 31, 2014:

## 5 AAC 47.023. Special provisions for seasons, bag, possession, and size limits, and methods and means for the fresh waters of Southeast Alaska Area.

(e) In the Juneau vicinity:

(1) in all drainages crossed by the Juneau City and Borough road system,

(M) in Glacier Lake, Moraine Lake, and Crystal Lake, the bag and possession limit is 4 king salmon, no size limit.

Cora Campbell Commissioner

By delegation to:

Daniel J. Teske Juneau Area Management Biologist

#### **JUSTIFICATION**

The Alaska Board of Fisheries authorized the department to use its emergency order authority to increase sport bag and possession limits and annual limits for hatchery produced fish when there are no other competing user groups (5 AAC 75.003). Two thousand juvenile hatchery-produced king salmon were stocked in Glacier, Moraine and Crystal lakes on May 30, 2014 to provide additional sport fishing opportunity. Therefore, the department is establishing a bag and possession limit of four king salmon of any size for these waters.

#### DISTRIBUTION

The distribution list for this emergency order is on file at the Region 1 office of the Alaska Department of Fish and Game, Division of Sport Fish, P.O. Box 110024, Juneau, AK 99811, (907) 465-4270.