SOUTHEAST ALASKA PERSONAL USE RED AND BLUE KING CRAB FISHERY CLOSURE

Petersburg…The Alaska Department of Fish and Game (department) announced today that the 2018/2019 Southeast Alaska personal use red and blue king crab fishery outside of Section 11-A closes by regulation [5 AAC 77.664(c)(1)] on March 31, 2019, at 11:59 p.m. The golden king crab personal use fishery in Southeast Alaska remains open through June 15, 2019 [5 AAC 77.664(c)(2)]. For details on golden king crab personal use fishing, including areas closed to fishing, see the department’s news release dated September 7, 2018.

Participants in the fishery must report their king crab harvest by June 16, 2019, either online at http://www.adfg.alaska.gov/sf/PU, or by returning a hard copy to the address listed on Page 2 of the permit. For questions please contact Southeast Alaska Crab Group Staff at 907-465-4250 or 907-772-3801.