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This is the Alaska Department of Fish and Game in King Salmon with an announcement for Naknek-Kvichak District fishermen. The time is 9:00 a.m. and the date is Wednesday, July 3, 2019.

On July 2, the Naknek River escapement was 57,000 for a cumulative of 555,000. The Kvichak River escapement was 10,000 for a cumulative of 29,000. The Kvichak in-river estimate is 10,000. Harvest on July 2 was an estimated 275,000 for a cumulative of 1.6 million. There are 297 vessels registered to fish in the district.

The Naknek Section will open to drift gillnet gear for an 18-hour period from 2:00 a.m. until 8:00 p.m. Thursday, July 4. The current set gillnet period in the Naknek-Kvichak District will be extended for 25 hours from 7:00 p.m. Wednesday, July 3 until 8:00 p.m. Thursday, July 4.

Fishermen in the Naknek-Kvichak District should stand-by at 9:00 a.m. Thursday, July 4 for the next possible announcement.

This has been the Alaska Dept. of Fish & Game in King Salmon.

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