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Advisory Announcement

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Prince William Sound Area **Directed Pollock Pelagic Trawl Fishery Closes** **Emergency Order # 2-GF-E-04-20**

The directed fishery for walleye pollock *Gadus chalcogrammus* using pelagic trawl gear in the Prince William Sound (PWS) Registration Area will close at 12:00 noon February 29.

The directed walleye pollock pelagic trawl fishery in the PWS Inside District opened January 20 with a guideline harvest level (GHL) of 5.08 million pounds (2,304 metric tons). Based on projected harvest levels, the GHL will be achieved.

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