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SECTION 15-C DRIFT GILLNET FISHERY EXTENSION ANNOUNCEMENT

Section 15-C: waters south of the latitude of Point Bridget at 58°40.73' N lat and east of a line from a point approximately 2.0 nautical miles (nmi) east of Point Bridget at 58°40.73' N lat, 135°03.13' W long to Vanderbilt Reef Light at 58°35.46' N lat, 135°01.13' W long to Little Island Light at 58°32.41' N lat, 135°02.83' W long, **will be extended 24 hours and will close at 12:00 noon, Wednesday, August 25, 2021**, with the following restriction:

Gillnet mesh restriction: minimum allowed mesh size is six inches.

Section 15-C-Boat Harbor THA: inner waters west of 135°09.57' W long remains open until further notice.

This announcement was made on the VHF radio on channel 68 at approximately 4:30 p.m., Monday, August 23, 2021.

The Emergency Order corresponding with this announcement is EO 1S5421.

Under Alaska's Health Advisories 1, 2, 3, and 4, commercial fishing is an Essential Business and is part of Alaska's Essential Services and Critical Infrastructure. Commercial fishermen should ensure that all travel and other activities in support of commercial fishing operations follow protocols in Alaska COVID-19 Health Advisories. COVID-19 Health Advisories may be found here: <https://covid19.alaska.gov/health-advisories/>.

Advisory announcement web site: <http://www.adfg.alaska.gov/index.cfm?adfg=cfnews.main>.

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