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Bristol Bay Eastside Salmon Announcement #53 Emergency Order 60

This is the Alaska Department of Fish and Game in King Salmon with an announcement for Naknek/Kvichak District commercial fishermen. The time is 9:00 a.m. and the date is Wednesday, July 9, 2014.

As of 6:00 a.m. this morning the Naknek River cumulative escapement was 1.26 million sockeye and the Kvichak River cumulative escapement was 3.92 million sockeye. The allocation through July 7 is 9.6% Naknek set, 7.3% Kvichak set, and 83.1% drift.

The Naknek/Kvichak District will open to drift gillnet gear for two periods: an 8-hour period from 10:30 p.m. Wednesday, July 9 until 6:30 a.m. Thursday, July 10 and for a 6.5-hour period from 10:30 a.m. until 5:00 p.m. Thursday, July 10.

The current fishing period for set gillnet gear in the Naknek/Kvichak District will be extended for an additional 25-hours, closing at 5:00 p.m. Thursday, July 10.

The next scheduled announcement will be at 9:00 a.m. Thursday, July 10.

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

Read on VHF 7: July 9, 2014 9:00 a.m.

Connected EO's: 2F-T-60-14