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PORT MOLLER COMMERCIAL SALMON FISHERY ANNOUNCEMENT # 19 For Emergency Order #4-FS-M-PM-19-14

PORT MOLLER BIGHT, BEAR RIVER, THREE HILLS, ILNIK, AND OUTER PORT HEIDEN SECTIONS

The Port Moller Bight, Bear River, and Three Hills sections will open to commercial salmon fishing from 6:00 a.m. Monday, July 21 until 6:00 p.m. Thursday, July 24.

The Ilnik Section will open to commercial salmon fishing from 6:00 a.m. Monday, July 21 until 6:00 p.m. Thursday, July 24, however that portion of the Ilnik Section located from Unangashak Bluffs to Strogonof Point will be closed to commercial salmon fishing from 3 nm to 1.5 nm for 24 hours from 6:00 p.m. Wednesday, July 23 until 6:00 p.m. Thursday, July 24.

The Outer Port Heiden Section will open to commercial salmon fishing from 6:00 a.m. Monday, July 21 until 6:00 p.m. Wednesday, July 23.

Statistical charts and harvest strategies are available at the Sand Point, Cold Bay, and Port Moller Fish and Game offices. Commercial salmon fishing regulations, commercial harvest, escapement, and news releases can be found on the ADF&G website at: <u>http://www.adfg.alaska.gov/index.cfm?adfg=commercialbyareaakpeninsula.salmon</u>

Salmon fishery announcements will be broadcast on VHF channel 72 daily at 9:00 a.m. and 8:00 p.m. and may also be obtained from ADF&G in Port Moller at 375-2716.