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SECTION 1-B DRIFT GILLNET FISHERY EXTENSION ANNOUNCEMENT

Ketchikan. . . The Alaska Department of Fish and Game today announced that the Section 1-B drift gillnet fishery will be extended as follows:

Section 1-B: will be extended from **12:00 noon, Tuesday, July 22, through 12:00 noon, Thursday, July 24**, with the following restriction:

Pearse and Portland Canals: will be closed north of the latitude of Akeku Point located at the southern entrance of Edwards Passage.

The Section 1-B drift gillnet fishery is being managed according to the District 1 Pink Salmon Management Plan (5 AAC 33.360). The District 1 purse seine fishery will fish at least two days during statistical week 30. Therefore, the Tree Point drift gillnet fishery will be allowed an additional two days of fishing time.

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Gillnet Hotline	225-6870	772-3700			465-8905	766-2830	