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KODIAK COMMERCIAL SALMON FISHERY ANNOUNCEMENT # 38
For Emergency Order #4-FS-K-38-14

The **Izhut Bay Section** of the **Afognak District** will **open** to commercial salmon fishing at **noon Tuesday August 19** and will remain **open until further notice.**

Closed Water Adjustments:
Closed waters are ***increased*** in Pasagshak Bay to those waters of Pasagshak Bay north of a line from a point at 57°26.04' N lat., 152°31.13' W long., to a point at 57°25.44' N lat., 152°29.39' W long., **until further notice** for both commercial and subsistence fishing.

In that **portion of the Northwest Kodiak and Southwest Kodiak districts south of the latitude of Cape Kuliuk**, **until further notice**, **Chinook (king) salmon 28 inches or greater in length may not be retained by purse seine gear** in the commercial fishery and must be returned to the water unharmed.

Other closed waters are as shown on the Kodiak Area Salmon Statistical Chart and detailed in the Commercial Salmon Fishing Regulations (5AAC 18.350).

Statistical Charts, Harvest Strategies, and Commercial Salmon Fishing Regulations are available at the Kodiak Fish and Game office. Recent salmon fishery information may be obtained by calling the Department's 24-hour record-a-phone at 486-4559.

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