## ALASKA DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND GAME DIVISION OF COMMERCIAL FISHERIES

## **NEWS RELEASE**



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Bristol Bay Eastside Salmon Announcement # 22 Emergency Order 28, 29

This is the Alaska Department of Fish and Game in King Salmon with an announcement for Egegik and Ugashik District fishermen. The time is 12:00 p.m. and the date is Friday July 1, 2016.

In Egegik: escapement on June 30 was 114,000 and cumulative escapement is 481,000 sockeye. Harvest on June 30 was 220,000 and cumulative harvest is 976,000 fish.

Commercial fishing will be permitted in the Egegik District with drift and set gillnet gear from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Saturday July 2 2016..... an 8-hour period.

In Ugashik: Escapement on June 30 was 24,000, cumulative escapement is 77,000. Cumulative catch is 357,000.

Commercial fishing in the Ugashik District will be permitted with set gillnet gear from 7:00 a.m. until 4:00 p.m. Saturday July 2...... a 9-hour period. Commercial fishing with drift gillnet gear will be permitted from 8:00 a.m. until 12:00 p.m. Saturday July 2, 2016...... a 4-hour period.

Ugashik fishermen are reminded that the Ugashik River Special Harvest Area between the King Salmon and Dog Salmon Rivers must be opened by EO and is currently closed.

Fishermen in both districts should stand by 12:00 p.m. Saturday July 2 for the next possible announcement.

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

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Connected EO's: 2F-T-28-16 and 2F-T-29-16

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