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2017 SOUTHERN SOUTHEAST INSIDE SUBDISTRICT SABLEFISH FISHERY LONGLINE PERMITS (C61C)

Douglas...The Commercial Fisheries Entry Commission (CFEC) announced that the legal gear allowed for use under the Southern Southeast Inside (SSEI) Subdistrict sablefish longline permit (C61C) will be expanded to include pot gear effective May 11, 2017.

For additional information please visit: https://www.cfec.state.ak.us/mnu_Regulations.htm

The Department reminds C61C permit holders that there are separate seasons, based on the type of gear used, for the SSEI sablefish fishery per 5 AAC 28.110 (a)(2).

The SSEI sablefish fishery using **longline gear** will open 8:00 a.m., Thursday, June 1 and close at 12:00 noon, Tuesday, August 15, 2017.

The SSEI sablefish fishery using **pot gear** will open at 8:00 a.m., Friday, September 1 and close at 12:00 noon, Wednesday, November 15, 2017.

News releases web site: <http://www.adfg.alaska.gov/index.cfm?adfg=cfnews.main>.

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