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DISTRICT 11 DRIFT GILLNET FISHERY EXTENSION

Juneau. . . The Alaska Department of Fish and Game announced today the drift gillnet fishery in Section 11-B will be extended for **24 hours** and will close at **12:00 noon, Thursday, September 6, 2018**.

Section 11-B: will be **extended for 24 hours and will close at 12:00 noon, Thursday, September 6**, with the following restrictions:

Limestone Inlet: will be closed;

<u>Port Snettisham</u>: will be closed south and east of a line from Sentinel Point at 57°59.74' N. latitude, 133°45.62' W. longitude to a point on the eastern shoreline at 58°01.45' N. latitude, 133°45.35' W. longitude, and north of a line from a point on the western shore at the head of Speel Arm at 58°07.09' N. latitude, 133°44.11' W. longitude to a point on the eastern shore at 58°07.59' N. latitude, 133°42.80' W. longitude;

<u>Prospect Creek</u>: will be closed west of a line running southeast from Prospect Point at 58°02.89' N. latitude, 133°47.80' W. longitude to the southernmost tip of Fannie Island at 58°02.60' N. latitude, 133°47.15' W. longitude, then running southwest to a point on the mainland shore at 58°01.34' N. latitude, 133°48.46' W. longitude.

This announcement was made via VHF radio at approximately 9:30 a.m., Wednesday, September 5, 2018.

The Emergency Order corresponding with this announcement is EO 1S6518.

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