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In discussions with the district managers of 6, 8, 11, and 15, on their plan for dealing with 2017 gillnet fishery management and king salmon conservation, there were no indications that draconian actions such as those proposed in this RC would be necessary. There were references as to probable actions for the future seasons, if kings on these systems showed no improvement.

As the current chair of the Petersburg Advisory Committee to the boards of Fish and Game, I would like the opportunity to discuss this RC at the AC level to decide whether it has real merit. It would be my assumption that the Juneau, Haines, and Wrangell AC's would also like to visit the issue. Since there will be a Southeast Finfish BOF in Sitka next January, I would respectfully ask that this RC be tabled until that time to allow input from regional AC's and stakeholders.

Respectfully,

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