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Add a new section to Alaska Administrative Code Title 5 - Fish and Game, Chapter 18 - Kodiak Area

5 AAC 18.370. Katmai-Alinchak Salmon Management Plan.

(a) The purpose of the Katmai-Alinchak Salmon Management Plan is to allow traditional fisheries in the area to be conducted on Kodiak Area salmon stocks, while minimizing the incidental harvest of Cook Inlet sockeye salmon stocks. The board recognizes that some incidental harvest of other stocks has and will occur in this area while the seine fishery is managed for Kodiak Area salmon stocks. The board intends, however, to prevent a repetition of the nontraditional harvest pattern which occurred during 1988.

(b) From July 6 through July 25 in the Katmai and Alinchak Bay sections, the department shall manage the fishery as follows:

- (1) management of the fishery must be based on local stocks;
- (2) the fishery may remain open during normal fishing periods until the harvest exceeds 15,000 sockeye salmon;
- (3) when the harvest exceeds 15,000 sockeye salmon, the department shall restrict the fishery by emergency order to waters inshore of a line from a point  $\frac{1}{2}$  mile south of Cape Ilktugitak at (xxx N. lat., xxx W. long.), to a point  $\frac{1}{2}$  mile south of a point at (xxx N. lat., xxx W. long.), to a point  $\frac{1}{2}$  mile east of Cape Kubugakli at (xxx N. lat., xxx W. long.), to a point  $\frac{1}{2}$  mile south of Cape Kekurnoi (xxx N. lat., xxx W. long.), south to a point on the northern boundary of the Cape Igvak section.

(c) In the Katmai and Alinchak Bay sections the requirement to release seined king salmon greater than 28 inches is waived. Retention of seined king salmon over 28 inches in this area is required.

Map of new Katmai and Alinchak Bay sections (new 5 AAC 18.370)

