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## CONDITIONS FOR REDUCING MANAGEMENT RESTRICTIONS OR DELISTING A STOCK OF CONCERN

1. If the **upper bound** of the BEG range is met or exceeded in **2** consecutive years **and the forecast for the upcoming year indicates the upper bound of the BEG range will be met**, then the department may recommend removing the stock as a stock of “management concern” at the first Southeast and Yakutat board meeting after this condition is met. *(For use in RC4, RC6, and RC7)*
2. **If the mid-point of the BEG range is met or exceeded in 4 out of 6 consecutive years, and the forecast for the upcoming year indicates the mid-point of the BEG range will be met, then the department may recommend removing the stock as a stock of “management concern” at the first Southeast and Yakutat board meeting after this condition is met.** *(For use in RC4, RC6, and RC7)*
3. Management measures could be relaxed in specific areas or during specific time periods if updated stock composition and harvest data indicates areas and/or times where and/or when restrictions are no longer needed to ensure the BEG is met. *(For use in RC4, RC6, and RC7)*
4. **If the upper bound of the BEG range is met or exceeded in 2 consecutive years, management restrictions may be relaxed or set aside.** *(For use in RC4, RC6, and RC7)*
5. Should the Pacific Salmon Commission Transboundary Technical Committee determine that a harvestable surplus of the stock is available, directed king salmon fisheries may occur pursuant to the annual Transboundary River Management Plan under provisions of the Pacific Salmon Treaty. Before implementing directed fisheries, the stock status and health of nearby king salmon stocks would have to be considered. *(For use in RC6 and RC7)*

Stock status, action plan performance (including information on fishery harvest rates, stock distribution, and timing), and escapement goal review will be updated in a report to the board at the 2024 Southeast and Yakutat meeting.

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Stock	Biological Escapement Goal Range			Yield*	
	Lower Bound	Upper Bound	Mid-Point	Mid-Point	Upper Bound
Chilkat	1,750	3,500	2,625	875	1,750
Taku	19,000	36,000	27,500	8,500	17,000
King Salmon	120	240	180	60	120
Stikine	14,000	28,000	21,000	7,000	14,000
Andrew	650	1,500	1,075	425	850
Unuk	1,800	3,800	2,800	1,000	2,000
Chickamin	2,150	4,300	3,225	1,075	2,150

- Yield is the difference between the mid-point or upper bound and the lower bound.