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Triple K Fisheries

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RC submission

After reviewing Board generated proposal 148, we would like the following to be removed and included in the plan.

Remove the verbiage through the document ...accounting for anticipated harvests, ...1) there is no way to anticipate any kind of harvest since this fishery has never been prosecuted in this direction until now. 2) And projection error, this is a moot point as error factors should already be added into the projection. Remember that a cushion of 1500 fish is already added to the goal.

Include 600' in the Kasilof District between July 1 to July 31 at the Commissioner's discretion to help curtail an over escapement of sockeye into the Kasilof river as language in 5 AAC 21.359. Kenai River Late-Run King Salmon Management Plan (e)(3)(A)-(E) which is already in place for conservation of Kings.

Leave the 36-hour window, (F) closed for one continuous 36-hour period per week beginning between 7:00 p.m. Thursday and 7:00 a.m. Friday. We do not approve of a 48-hour window being implemented.