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**Advisory Announcement** 

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## DISTRICTS 12 AND 14 SALMON PURSE SEINE FISHERY ANNOUNCEMENT

#### District 12

The following area will be open to purse seining from 5:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m., Friday, July 28, 2023:

Section 12-A: will be open in the following areas:

Point Augusta: will be open within 1.0 nautical miles (nmi) of the Chichagof Island shoreline east of a line from a marker at 58°02.44′ N lat, 134°57.50′ W long to a point at 58°03.00′ N lat, 134°57.85′ W long, south of 58°03.00′ N lat, and north of the latitude of a regulatory marker at 58°01.63′ N lat (located 1.0 nmi south of Point Augusta Light);

Tenakee Inlet: will be open to normal markers west of a line from East Point at 57°48.33′ N lat, 134°56.92′ W long to a point at 57°46.34′ N lat, 134°56.07′ W long to South Passage Point at 57°45.85′ N lat, 134°56.32′ W long.

#### District 14

The following areas will be open to purse seining from 5:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m., Friday, July 28, 2023:

Section 14-C: will be open within 1.0 nmi of the Chichagof Island shoreline.

Additional time and area are warranted due a marked increase in pink salmon escapement and abundance observed in today's aerial survey. Without this expansion in time and area, opportunity for additional harvest of pink salmon in Districts 12 and 14 would likely be foregone.

All other District 12 and 14 times and areas announced in the purse seine fishery advisory announcement released Tuesday, July 25, 2023, remain unchanged.

The Emergency Order corresponding with this announcement is EO 1S4923.

Advisory Announcement web site: <a href="http://www.adfg.alaska.gov/index.cfm?adfg=cfnews.main">http://www.adfg.alaska.gov/index.cfm?adfg=cfnews.main</a>.

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