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Advisory Announcement

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Bristol Bay Eastside Salmon Announcement #30 Emergency Orders 35, 36

This is the Alaska Department of Fish & Game in King Salmon with an announcement for permit holders in the Egegik and Ugashik districts. The time is 12:00 noon and the date is Thursday, July 3.

Egegik District

Egegik River escapement through July 1 is 655,000 sockeye. The inriver estimate is 50,000 fish. Harvest from July 2 was 401,000, bringing the season total to 3.1 million fish. There are 164 vessels currently registered in the district.

The Egegik District will open to commercial fishing with drift gillnet gear for 7 hours from 5:45 a.m. to 12:45 p.m. Friday, July 4 and again for 7 hours from 6:00 p.m. Friday, July 4 to 1:00 a.m. Saturday, July 5. Commercial fishing with set gillnet gear will open for 8 hours from 5:45 a.m. to 1:45 p.m. Friday, July 4.

Ugashik District

Ugashik River escapement through July 2 is 100,000 sockeye. The inriver estimate is 100,000 fish. Harvest from July 2 was 185,000, bringing the season total to 1.5 million fish. There are 149 vessels currently registered in the district.

The Ugashik District will open to commercial fishing with drift gillnet gear for 8 hours from 5:00 p.m. Friday, July 4 to 1:00 a.m. Saturday, July 5. Commercial fishing with set gillnet gear will open for 12 hours from 5:00 p.m. Friday, July 4 to 5:00 a.m. Saturday, July 5.

Permit holders in the Egegik and Ugashik districts should stand by at 12:00 noon Friday, July 4 for the next possible announcement.

This has been the Alaska Department of Fish and Game in King Salmon.

Connected EO's: 2F-T-35-25, 2F-T-36-25