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## **Advisory Announcement**

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### **Aleutian Islands State-Waters Sablefish Closure Reminder**

The 2025 Aleutian Islands state-waters sablefish fishery guideline harvest level will not be reached prior to closure of the federal IFQ sablefish season; therefore, the state-waters sablefish season will close at 12:00 noon on December 7, 2025, concurrent with the adjacent federal IFQ sablefish season closure. Following the closure, state-waters fishery participants must deliver their catch within 72 hours.

For more information, contact the Alaska Department of Fish and Game in Dutch Harbor at (907) 581-1239.

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