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Amended language to Proposal 43: As an author of this proposal, I am asking the board to consider this proposal with a sunset clause in place when deliberating, allowing the board to consider permanent changes at the next Bristol Bay board cycle meeting in three years after allowing a trial period.

PROPOSAL 43 – 5 AAC 06.370. Registration and reregistration. Repeal set gillnet reregistration requirement for statistical areas within the Nushagak District as follows:

5 AAC 06.370 (a) Registration and reregistration is amended to read:

- (2) in the Nushagak section of the Nushagak District, a ...
- (B) commercial salmon set gillnet CFEC permit holder shall register for a statistical area in that district;
- (/) In the Nushagak District a CFEC salmon set gillnet permit holder intending to fish in a statistical area for which the permit holder is not registered, shall register for the new statistical area; if transferring into the Nushagak District from any other fishing district, the permit holder must register at least 48 hours before fishing in the new statistical area (in accordance with 5 AAC 06.370 (b)). [A SET GILLNET PERMIT HOLDER SHALL ALSO REGISTER THE SET GILLNET FOR THE NEW STATISTICAL AREA. REREGISTRATION IS ACCOMPLISHED BY THE PERMIT HOLDER, OR THE PERMIT HOLDER'S AUTHORIZED AGENT, COMPLETING A FORM PROVIDED BY THE DEPARTMENT AND SUBMITTING THE COMPLETED FORM, IN PERSON, TO AN AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE OF THE DEPARTMENT. THE 48-HOUR NOTIFICATION PERIOD BEGINS WHEN THE REREGISTRATION FORM IS SIGNED BY THE AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE OF THE DEPARTMENT. THE SET GILLNET PERMIT HOLDER MAY NOT FISH IN THE ORIGINAL STATISTICAL AREA DURING THE 48-HOUR NOTIFICATION PERIOD. THE NOTIFICATION PERIOD MAY BE REDUCED BY COMMISSIONER'S ANNOUNCEMENT.]

  Reregistration is not required to fish different statistical areas within the Nushagak so long as

you accurately record the fishing district and statistical area at the point of sale in accordance with 5 AAC 39.130(c)(7) [after 9:00 A.M. JULY 17].

(3) In the Igushik section of the Nushagak district a CFEC salmon set gillnet permit holder shall register the set gillnet for the Igushik section of the Nushagak District before fishing in the Igushik section; if the permit holder is transferring into or out of the Igushik section, the permit holder shall register for the new district or statistical area within the Nushagak.

Reregistration is accomplished by the permit holder, or the permit's holder's authorized agent, completing a form provided by the department and submitting the completed form, in person, to an authorized representative of the department. The 48-hour notification period begins when the reregistration form is signed by the authorized representative of the department. The set gillnet permit holder may not fish during the 48-hour notification period. The notification period may be reduced by commisioner's announcement.

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