

Submitted by Board Member Jensen, prepared by the Alaska Department of Fish and Gameⁱ.

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Substitute language for Proposal 253

5 AAC 31.243 Trawl shrimp harvest and reporting requirements in Registration Area E is amended to read:

(a) No more than **40** [20] percent, by weight, of the shrimp **brought** on board a vessel **during a trip** may be pink shrimp **and no more than 5 percent may be** [OR] other pandalid species of shrimp.

(b) Within the 24 hours after the completion of a trip, a CFEC permit holder must report the harvest for the trip, including discards, by species, to the department by telephone to a telephone number specified on the registration form at the time of registration; **discards of pandalid species of shrimp are reported as deadloss at the time of delivery on an ADF&G fish ticket and are counted towards the guideline harvest level by section.**

(c) The department will issue log sheets **and shrimp catch sampling forms** that must be completed and returned with each fish ticket to the department office in **Homer**, Anchorage or Cordova to the address specified on the log sheet; **log sheets must have entries for each tow and catch sampling forms must be completed at least once per day in each section fished.**

(d) The commissioner may require an onboard observer on a vessel during fishing operations.

(e) The department may require reporting of any other information the commissioner determines is necessary for the conservation and management of the fishery.

ⁱ Preparation of draft substitute language at the request of a Board member does not imply ADF&G support. The Department will state its position on the language during deliberation.