

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

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Substitute language for proposal 140:

5 AAC 09.365 is amended by adding a new subsection to read:

5 AAC 09.365. South Unimak and Shumagin Islands June Salmon Management Plan.

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(h) If chum salmon harvest equals or exceeds 300,000 fish by June 18, based on fish ticket information, the commissioner shall reduce fishing time in the South Unimak and Shumagin Islands by 44 hours during each of the remaining fishing periods in June for purse seine gear.

If chum salmon harvest equals or exceeds 450,000 fish by June 23, based on fish ticket information, the commissioner shall close the South Unimak and Shumagin Islands June fishery for the remainder of June for purse seine gear.

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.