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

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Substitute language for proposal 109:

Explanation:

1) Remove the 48-hour restriction after September 15 for department management concerns.

5 AAC 15.357(b)(4) is repealed:

(4) <u>repealed 2023</u>. [BEGINNING SEPTEMBER 15, FISHING PERIODS IN THE CHIGNIK BAY AND CENTRAL DISTRICTS, AND THE INNER CASTLE CAPE SUBSECTION OF THE WESTERN DISTRICT, MAY BE NO MORE THAN 48 HOURS PER WEEK, AND SHALL BE BASED ON THE DEPARTMENT'S EVALUATION OF THE SOCKEYE SALMON RUN STRENGTH AND THE SUBSISTENCE NEEDS FOR CHIGNIK LAKE LATE-SEASON SOCKEYE SALMON.]

¹ 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.