RESOLUTION NO. 77-24-FB

ALASKA BOARD OF FISHERIES

WHEREAS the Alaska Board of Fisheries recognizes the socio-economic advantages of pot limits in certain areas and urges the Fish and Wildlife Protection Division of the Department of Public Safety to enforce it to the best of its abilities.

FURTHERMORE, Mr. Ole Harder's proposal to individually mark crab pot buoys may be applicable in some king crab fisheries of the state while in other major production areas new refinements may be necessary to implement it on a reasonable cost-benefit basis.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Alaska Board of Fisheries urges the legislature to explore the possibilities of funding a comprehensive program that would incorporate a realistic and enforceable approach to this pot limit problem.

Gordon Jensen, Chairman
Alaska Board of Fisheries

Adopted: March 31, 1977
Vote: 7/0