

New England Fishery Management Council Scallop Oversight Committee Meeting

Westin Waterfront Hotel – Boston, MA Wednesday, March 27, 2013

SCALLOP COMMITTEE MEMBERS

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AGENDA

9:30 a.m.	Welcome and Introductions
9:35	 Identify potential range of alternatives and PDT tasks for Framework 25 Specifications for 2014 and default measures for 2015 Accountability measures for southern windowpane flounder sub-ACL Consider three recommendations from Scallop PDT
11:30	Update on recent Scallop RSA projects – Earl Meredith, NMFS
12:00	Approve 2014 research priority recommendations
12:30 p.m.	Lunch break
1:30	Scallop Management Action Timing – NMFS
2:30	Summary of 2012 fishing year to date – preliminary scallop and YT catch
3:00	Review draft outline of Performance Evaluation of LAGC IFQ Program and identify potential indicators for PDT to develop further
4:00	Other Business (review any potential action items from AP discussion of LAGC regulations)

MEETING MATERIALS

- 1. Draft Framework 25 Action Plan
- 2. Scallop PDT Meeting Summary February 12, 2013
- 3. Draft 2014 research priorities
- 4. Summary of fishery data for FY2011 and FY2012 to date
- 5. Draft Outline for Performance Evaluation of LAGC IFQ Program
- 6. Scallop Management Action Timing Presentation (to be handed out)
- 7. Correspondence