New England Fishery Management Council Scallop Advisory Panel Meeting

Omni – Providence, RI Wednesday, November 13, 2013

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AGENDA

9:00 a.m.	Welcome and Introductions
9:05	Review Framework 25 potential specification alternatives and projection results (Council Staff)
10:00	AP discussion of specification alternatives
11:00	Review PDT recommendations related to refinements of specification alternatives and provide input for Committee to consider
12:00	Lunch break
1:00	Brief overview of the regional ocean planning effort, progress to date, and discussion of fishing characterization maps that have been developed (NROC Staff)
1:30	Review and discuss final alternatives for unused 2012 and 2013 Closed Area I trips
2:30	Review and provide input on alternatives in FW25 related to AMs for SNE/MA windowpane flounder
3:30	Provide additional input to Committee for potential scallop work priorities for 2014
4:30	Other Business

MEETING MATERIALS

- 1. Draft Framework 25
- 2. Preliminary analyses of specification alternatives
- 3. Scallop PDT Summary October 29, 2013 (distributed later)
- 4. AP input on gear modification for WP AM
- 5. Appendix related to WP AM
- 6. Potential 2014 work priorities for the Scallop FMP (distributed later)
- 7. Correspondence (none at time of mailing)