

NEW ENGLAND FISHERY MANAGEMENT COUNCIL

Scallops

I. STATUS

Since the November Council meeting there have been no Scallop Committee, PDT or Advisory Panel meetings.

II. COUNCIL ACTION

- Review and possibly reconsider Scallop Framework 21 (final action taken Nov 2009)
- Under “Priorities” scallop related issues may come up related to a joint YT/scallop action

III. INFORMATION

- 1) Final EA for Scallop Framework 21 including Appendix 1 (submitted to NMFS December 18, 2009)
- 2) Specific Background documents for agenda item
 - 2a. Memo from SSC on ABC for 2010
 - 2b. Brief summary of FW21 useful values
 - 2c. Detailed overview of economic analyses in Framework 21 and additional analyses
 - 2d. Staff comments on Short Term Economic Impacts of FW21 prepared by Dr. Dan Georgianna
 - 2e. Staff memo on impacts of YT allocations in FW44 from November Council meeting
- 3) Staff presentation of Framework 21 decision (*to be distributed*)
- 4) Correspondence