Amendment 20 & 21 (TIQ & ISA)
Deeming - Round 1
NMFS Report
Overview

- Draft Schedule & Rulemaking Plans
- Ownership Data Proposed Rule
- Draft Regulatory Structure
- Initial Issuance of Quota Share & Appeals Process
- Thoughts on Tracking & Monitoring
Draft Schedule & Rulemaking plans

- Combined Review of Amendments 20 & 21
- NEPA: DEIS in November 2009
- If Approved, 3 Rulemakings to Implement
  - Ownership Data Rule (now)
  - “Grand Framework” Rule (summer 2010)
  - Follow-Up Rule (Fall 2010)
Ownership Data Rule

- Published Today -- Comments until Oct 16
- Primary Purpose: Collect Ownership Interest Information
  - Accumulation Limits
  - Expedite Initial Issuance of Quota Shares
- Secondary Purposes:
  - Use of NORPAC & PacFIN; Freeze Date
Draft Regulatory Structure

- Completely Reorganized
- Make Our Jobs Easier
- Make it Easier on Fishermen & Public
Initial Issuance & Appeals process

- Scheduled: September 2010
- Facilitated by Ownership Data Rule
- “Pre-Appeal” Process
- Initial Administrative Decision
- Deadline for Appeal
Tracking & Monitoring

- State Fish Ticket System as the Foundation
- Electronic Submission
- NOAA
- QS/QP Tracking
- Onshore Compliance Monitors
- 100% Observers (NWC)
- Discussions with States
- Cameras on Whiting Catcher Vessels??