

WASHINGTON DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND WILDLIFE COMMITMENT
TO THE 2001 STOCK ASSESSMENT PROCESS

The Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife (WDFW) reviewed a draft Stock Assessment Review (STAR) Panel schedule for 2001. The proposed schedule includes participation by WDFW assessment scientists on two STAR Panels. WDFW fully supports the STAR process and will provide the names of our reviewers to the National Marine Fisheries Service prior to the November Council meeting. Additionally, WDFW will support 2001 stock assessment efforts by providing summarized catch and biological information and possibly by direct participation on stock assessment team(s).

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