

HIGHLY MIGRATORY SPECIES ADVISORY SUBPANEL REPORT ON
DRAFT INTER-AMERICAN TROPICAL TUNA COMMISSION
RESOLUTION ON ALBACORE TUNA

The Highly Migratory Species Advisory Subpanel (HMSAS) discussed the Inter-American Tropical Tuna Commission (IATTC) albacore tuna resolution. Members of the HMSAS expressed concern that fishing effort for North Pacific albacore needs to be limited stock-wide, and action to protect the fish solely within the IATTC could unnecessarily restrict U.S. fishermen. Concern was expressed over potential unilateral management of U.S. fishermen.

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