

ENFORCEMENT CONSULTANTS REPORT ON NATIONAL MARINE FISHERIES
SERVICE (NMFS) OFFICE OF LAW ENFORCEMENT (OLE) STRATEGIC REVIEW

The Enforcement Consultants (EC) have reviewed Agenda Item I.1, Supplemental Attachment 4, Draft National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration Office of Law Enforcement (NOAA OLE) West Coast Division Enforcement Priorities (2018-2022). The EC supports these priorities, as they guide overall enforcement efforts associated with the Pacific Council's management objectives. The states also use the regional priorities to assist in establishing state-specific joint enforcement agreement priorities each year. As these priorities are broad, the states appreciate NOAA OLE working closely with the state fisheries enforcement agencies who are area-specific experts embedded in their communities. This collaboration ensures agency partners and NOAA OLE fully understand the initiatives developed from these priorities to ensure they make sense and can be employed most effectively.

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