INSEASON ADJUSTMENTS - FINAL ACTION

The management measures for groundfish are set by the Pacific Fishery Management Council (Council) with the general understanding that these measures will need to be adjusted within the biennium to attain, but not exceed, the annual catch limits. This agenda item will consider progress to date of the groundfish fishery as well as routine inseason adjustments to the 2021 fisheries, such as catch limits adjustments and season structure. Adjustments are, in part, based on recent landings data and the latest information from the West Coast Groundfish Observer Program. The Groundfish Management Team (GMT) and the Groundfish Advisory Subpanel (GAP) are expected to provide reports under this agenda item to the Council.

Council Action:

- 1. Consider projections for the 2021 fisheries;
- 2. Adopt 2021 inseason adjustments, as necessary.

Reference Materials:

1. If received, Public Comments are electronic only (see e-portal).

Agenda Order:

G.4 Inseason Adjustments-Final Action

- **Todd Phillips**
- a. Reports and Comments of Management Entities and Advisory Bodies
- b. Public Comment
- c. **Council Action**: Adopt Final Inseason Adjustments for 2021, as Necessary, to Achieve but Not Exceed Annual Catch Limits and Other Management Objectives

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