

III. In addition to the Related Persons named above, after notice and opportunity for comment as provided in section 766.23 of the Regulations, any other person, firm, corporation, or business organization related to the Denied Person by affiliation, ownership, control, or position of responsibility in the conduct of trade or related services may also be made subject to the provisions of this Order if necessary to prevent evasion of the Order.

IV. This Order does not prohibit any export, reexport, or other transaction subject to the Regulations where the only items involved that are subject to the Regulations are the foreign-produced direct product of U.S.-origin technology.

V. This Order is effective immediately and shall remain in effect until January 22, 2013.

VI. In accordance with Part 756 of the Regulations, GSI may file an appeal of this Order with the Under Secretary of Commerce for Industry and Security. The appeal must be filed within 45 days from the date of this Order and must comply with the provisions of Part 756 of the Regulations.

VII. In accordance with Part 756 of the Regulations, the Related Person may also file an appeal of this Order with the Under Secretary of Commerce for Industry and Security.

VIII. A copy of this Order shall be delivered to the Denied Person and the Related Person. This Order shall be published in the **Federal Register**.

Issued this 28th day of May, 2010.

**Bernard Kritzer,**

*Director, Office of Exporter Services.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

### National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

**RIN 0648-AY26**

### Fisheries of the Northeastern United States; Atlantic Mackerel, Squid, and Butterfish Fisheries; Scoping Process

**AGENCY:** National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS), National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), Commerce.

**ACTION:** Notice of intent to prepare an environmental impact statement (EIS); notice of initiation of scoping process; notice of scoping meetings; request for comments.

**SUMMARY:** The Mid-Atlantic Fishery Management Council (Council)

announces its intent to prepare an amendment (Amendment 14) to the Fishery Management Plan (FMP) for Atlantic Mackerel, Squid, and Butterfish (MSB) and to prepare an EIS to analyze the impacts of any proposed management measures. This amendment may address one or more of the following issues: The implementation of catch share systems for the squid fisheries; the need for additional fishery monitoring to determine the significance of river herring and shad incidental catch in the MSB fisheries; and the effectiveness and impacts of management measures to minimize bycatch and/or incidental catch of river herrings and shads. The Council is initiating a public process to determine the scope of alternatives to be addressed in the amendment and EIS. NMFS and the Council are alerting the interested public of the commencement of the scoping process and providing for public participation in compliance with environmental documentation requirements.

**DATES:** Public comments on Amendment 14 scoping must be received no later than 5 p.m., eastern standard time, on July 9, 2010.

**ADDRESSES:** Written comments on Amendment 14 may be sent by any of the following methods:

- E-mail to the following address: [info1@mafmc.org](mailto:info1@mafmc.org). Include "Scoping Comments on MSB 14" in the subject line;
- Mail to Dan Furlong, Executive Director, Mid-Atlantic Fishery Management Council, 800 North State Street, Suite 201, Dover, DE 19901. Mark the outside of the envelope "Scoping Comments on MSB 14;" or
- Fax to Dan Furlong, (302) 674-5399. Include "Scoping Comments on MSB 14" in the fax.

Requests for copies of the scoping document and other information should be directed to Dan Furlong, Executive Director, Mid-Atlantic Fishery Management Council, 800 North State Street, Suite 201, Dover, DE 19901, toll-free telephone: (877) 446-2362. The scoping document is also accessible via the Internet at <http://www.mafmc.org/fmp/msb.htm>.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Dan Furlong, Executive Director, Mid-Atlantic Fishery Management Council. Toll-free telephone: (877) 446-2362.

#### **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

#### **Background**

The Council initiated Amendment 14 to the MSB FMP for two reasons: (1) There are concerns among some stakeholders that there may be too much

harvesting capacity in the squid (both *Loligo* and *Illex*) fisheries and that uncontrolled activation of latent capacity could cause negative economic effects for participants. Implementation of catch shares may address some of these concerns; and (2) There is concern by some stakeholders that more should be done to monitor and/or minimize the incidental catch of river herrings (blueback and alewife) and shads (American and hickory) in the MSB fisheries, especially given the currently low levels of monitoring in the MSB fisheries and the likely poor stock status of shads and river herrings.

Related to the first concern, this amendment may address one or more of the following issues: The implementation of catch share systems for the squid fisheries to further refine the existing management process, the biological and socio-economic outcomes of a catch share system and how such outcomes depend on specific program design features, and the possible need for changes to existing information collection processes if a catch share system is implemented. Related to the second concern, the amendment may address: The need for additional fishery monitoring to determine the significance of river herring and shad incidental catch in the MSB fisheries, and the effectiveness and impacts of possible management measures to minimize bycatch and/or incidental catch of river herrings and shads in the MSB fisheries.

The Council will gather information during the scoping period. This is the first and best opportunity for members of the public to raise concerns related to the scope of issues that will be considered in Amendment 14. The Council needs your input both to identify management issues and develop effective alternatives. Your comments early in the amendment development process will help us address issues of public concern in a thorough and appropriate manner. Comments can be made in writing or made verbally during the scoping hearings. The Council announced the scoping meeting dates in a separate **Federal Register** notice published on May 27, 2010 (75 FR 29725). If the Council decides to move forward with Amendment 14, the Council will develop a range of management alternatives to be considered and prepare an EIS to analyze the impacts of the management alternatives being considered as required by the National Environmental Policy Act. Impacts may be direct, individual, or cumulative. A draft EIS will be distributed for public review. During a 45-day public

comment period, which will include public hearings, the public may comment on the draft EIS. Following a review of the comments, the Council will then choose final preferred management measures for submission with the final EIS to the Secretary of Commerce for publishing of a proposed and then final rule, both of which have additional comment periods.

#### Scoping Hearing Schedule

Scoping hearings will be held on the following dates:

June 14, 2010, 7 p.m. – 9 p.m.: Hilton Garden Inn, Providence Airport/Warwick, One Thuber Street, Warwick, RI 02886, 401-734-9600;

June 15, 2010, 7 p.m. – 9 p.m.: Holiday Inn Express East End, 1707 Old country Rd., Route 58, Riverhead, NY 11901, 631-548-1000;

June 17, 2010, 7 p.m. – 9 p.m.: Congress Hall, 251 Beach Ave, Cape May, NJ 08204, 609-884-6592; and

June 23, 2010, 7 p.m. – 9 p.m.: Virginia Marine Resources Commission, 2600 Washington Avenue, 3rd Floor, Newport News, VA 23607.

#### Special Accommodations

The scoping hearings are accessible to people with physical disabilities. Requests for sign language interpretation or other auxiliary aids should be directed to Dan Furlong (see **ADDRESSES** above) at least 5 days prior to the meeting date.

**Authority:** 16 U.S.C. 1801 *et seq.*

Dated: June 4, 2010.

**Carrie Selberg,**

*Acting Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, National Marine Fisheries Service.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

### National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

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#### **Fisheries of the South Atlantic and Gulf of Mexico; Southeast Data, Assessment, and Review (SEDAR); assessment webinars II through IV for SEDAR 22 yellowedge grouper and tilefish.**

**AGENCY:** National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS), National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), Commerce.

**ACTION:** Notice of SEDAR 22 Gulf of Mexico yellowedge grouper and tilefish assessment webinars II through IV.

**SUMMARY:** The SEDAR 22 assessments of the Gulf of Mexico stocks of yellowedge grouper and tilefish will consist of a series of workshops and webinars: a Data Workshop, a series of Assessment webinars, and a Review Workshop. See **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION.**

**DATES:** The second, third, and fourth SEDAR 22 Assessment Process webinars will be held on Thursday, July 1, 2010 from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. (EDT), Wednesday, July 21, 2010 from 1 p.m. to 5:00 pm (EDT), and Thursday, August 12, 2010 from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. (EDT).

**ADDRESSES:** The meeting will be held via webinar. The webinar is open to members of the public. Those interested in participating should contact Julie Neer at SEDAR (See **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT**) to request an invitation providing webinar access information.

A listening station will be available at the Gulf of Mexico Fishery Management Council office located at 2203 N Lois Avenue, Suite 1100, Tampa, FL 33607. Those interested in participating via the listening station should contact Julie Neer at SEDAR (See **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT**) at least 1 day prior to the webinar.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Julie A Neer, SEDAR Coordinator, 4055 Faber Place, Suite 201, North Charleston, SC 29405; telephone: (843) 571-4366; e-mail: [Julie.neer@safmc.net](mailto:Julie.neer@safmc.net).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The Gulf of Mexico, South Atlantic, and Caribbean Fishery Management Councils, in conjunction with NOAA Fisheries and the Atlantic and Gulf States Marine Fisheries Commissions have implemented the Southeast Data, Assessment and Review (SEDAR) process, a multi-step method for determining the status of fish stocks in the Southeast Region. SEDAR is a three-step process including: (1) Data Workshop, (2) Assessment Process utilizing webinars and (3) Review Workshop. The product of the Data Workshop is a data report which compiles and evaluates potential datasets and recommends which datasets are appropriate for assessment analyses. The product of the Assessment Process is a stock assessment report which describes the fisheries, evaluates the status of the stock, estimates biological benchmarks, projects future population conditions, and recommends research and monitoring needs. The assessment is independently peer reviewed at the Review Workshop. The product of the Review Workshop is a Summary documenting Panel opinions regarding the strengths and weaknesses of the stock assessment and input data.

Participants for SEDAR Workshops are appointed by the Gulf of Mexico, South Atlantic, and Caribbean Fishery Management Councils and NOAA Fisheries Southeast Regional Office and Southeast Fisheries Science Center. Participants include data collectors and database managers; stock assessment scientists, biologists, and researchers; constituency representatives including fishermen, environmentalists, and NGO's; International experts; and staff of Councils, Commissions, and state and federal agencies.

#### **SEDAR 22 Assessment webinars II through IV:**

Using datasets recommended from the Data Workshop, participants will employ assessment models to evaluate stock status, estimate population benchmarks and management criteria, and project future conditions. Participants will recommend the most appropriate methods and configurations for determining stock status and estimating population parameters.

#### **Meeting Schedule:**

*Webinar II: July 1, 2010, from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. (EDT)*

*Webinar III: July 21, 2010, from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. (EDT)*

*Webinar IV: August 12, 2010, from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. (EDT)*

Although non-emergency issues not contained in this agenda may come before this group for discussion, those issues may not be the subject of formal action during these meetings. Action will be restricted to those issues specifically listed in this notice and any issues arising after publication of this notice that require emergency action under section 305(c) of the Magnuson-Stevens Fishery Conservation and Management Act, provided the public has been notified of the Council's intent to take final action to address the emergency.

#### **Special Accommodations**

These meetings are physically accessible to people with disabilities. Requests for sign language interpretation or other auxiliary aids should be directed to the Council office (see **ADDRESSES**) at least 10 business days prior to the meeting.

Dated: June 4, 2010.

**Tracey L. Thompson,**

*Acting Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, National Marine Fisheries Service.*

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