

Section 38 of the Arms Export Control Act (22 U.S.C. § 2778) (“AECA”). Specifically, Awer was convicted for knowingly and willfully attempting to export firearms and ammunitions from the United States to Barbados without having first obtained the required licenses or written approval from the United States Department of State. As a result of his conviction, the Court sentenced Awer to 46 months in prison, two years of supervised release, and a \$100 court assessment.

Pursuant to Section 1760(e) of the Export Control Reform Act of 2018 (“ECRA”),<sup>1</sup> the export privileges of any person who has been convicted of certain offenses, including, but not limited to, Section 38 of the AECA, may be denied for a period of up to ten (10) years from the date of his/her conviction. 50 U.S.C. 4819(e) (Prior Convictions). In addition, any Bureau of Industry and Security (“BIS”) licenses or other authorizations issued under ECRA, in which the person had an interest at the time of the conviction, may be revoked. *Id.*

BIS received notice of Awer’s conviction for violating Section 38 of the AECA, and has provided notice and opportunity for Awer to make a written submission to BIS, as provided in Section 766.25 of the Export Administration Regulations (“EAR” or the “Regulations”). 15 CFR 766.25.<sup>2</sup> BIS has not received a written submission from Awer.

Based upon my review of the record and consultations with BIS’s Office of Exporter Services, including its Director, and the facts available to BIS, I have decided to deny Awer’s export privileges under the Regulations for a period of 10 years from the date of Awer’s conviction. The Office of Exporter Services has also decided to revoke any BIS-issued licenses in which Awer had an interest at the time of his conviction.<sup>3</sup>

Accordingly, it is hereby *ordered*:

*First*, from the date of this Order until February 14, 2030, Akeem Shonari Awer, with a last known address of Inmate Number: 18325–104, Big Spring Correctional Institution, 2001 Rickabaugh Drive, Big Spring, TX

79720, and when acting for or on his behalf, his successors, assigns, employees, agents, or representatives (“the Denied Person”), may not, directly or indirectly, participate in any way in any transaction involving any commodity, software, or technology (hereinafter collectively referred to as “item”) exported or to be exported from the United States that is subject to the Regulations, including, but not limited to:

A. Applying for, obtaining, or using any license, license exception, or export control document;

B. Carrying on negotiations concerning, or ordering, buying, receiving, using, selling, delivering, storing, disposing of, forwarding, transporting, financing, or otherwise servicing in any way, any transaction involving any item exported or to be exported from the United States that is subject to the Regulations, or engaging in any other activity subject to the Regulations; or

C. Benefitting in any way from any transaction involving any item exported or to be exported from the United States that is subject to the Regulations, or from any other activity subject to the Regulations.

*Second*, no person may, directly or indirectly, do any of the following:

A. Export, reexport, or transfer (in-country) to or on behalf of the Denied Person any item subject to the Regulations;

B. Take any action that facilitates the acquisition or attempted acquisition by the Denied Person of the ownership, possession, or control of any item subject to the Regulations that has been or will be exported from the United States, including financing or other support activities related to a transaction whereby the Denied Person acquires or attempts to acquire such ownership, possession or control;

C. Take any action to acquire from or to facilitate the acquisition or attempted acquisition from the Denied Person of any item subject to the Regulations that has been exported from the United States;

D. Obtain from the Denied Person in the United States any item subject to the Regulations with knowledge or reason to know that the item will be, or is intended to be, exported from the United States; or

E. Engage in any transaction to service any item subject to the Regulations that has been or will be exported from the United States and which is owned, possessed or controlled by the Denied Person, or service any item, of whatever origin, that is owned, possessed or controlled by the Denied Person if such

service involves the use of any item subject to the Regulations that has been or will be exported from the United States. For purposes of this paragraph, servicing means installation, maintenance, repair, modification or testing.

*Third*, pursuant to Section 1760(e) of ECRA (50 U.S.C. 4819(e)) and Sections 766.23 and 766.25 of the Regulations, any other person, firm, corporation, or business organization related to Awer by ownership, control, position of responsibility, affiliation, or other connection in the conduct of trade or business may also be made subject to the provisions of this Order in order to prevent evasion of this Order.

*Fourth*, in accordance with Part 756 of the Regulations, Awer 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 set forth in Part 756 of the Regulations.

*Fifth*, a copy of this Order shall be delivered to Awer and shall be published in the **Federal Register**.

*Sixth*, this Order is effective immediately and shall remain in effect until February 14, 2030.

**John Sonderman,**

*Director, Office of Export Enforcement.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

### National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

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### Mid-Atlantic Fishery Management Council (MAFMC); Public Meetings

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

**ACTION:** Notice of public meetings.

**SUMMARY:** The Mid-Atlantic Fishery Management Council (Council) will hold public meetings of the Council and its Executive Committee.

**DATES:** The meetings will be held Tuesday, October 5, 2021 through Wednesday, October 6, 2021. For agenda details, see **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION**.

**ADDRESSES:** This meeting will be conducted entirely by webinar. Webinar registration details will be available on the Council’s website at <https://www.mafmc.org/briefing/october-2021>.

<sup>1</sup> ECRA was enacted as part of the John S. McCain National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2019, and, as amended, is codified at 50 U.S.C. 4801–4852. Awer’s conviction post-dates ECRA’s enactment on August 13, 2018.

<sup>2</sup> The Regulations are currently codified in the Code of Federal Regulations at 15 CFR parts 730–774 (2021).

<sup>3</sup> Pursuant to recent amendments to the Regulations, the Director of the Office of Export Enforcement is now the authorizing official for issuance of denial orders. (85 FR 73411, November 18, 2020).

*Council address:* Mid-Atlantic Fishery Management Council, 800 N State St., Suite 201, Dover, DE 19901; telephone: (302) 674-2331; [www.mafmc.org](http://www.mafmc.org).

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

Christopher M. Moore, Ph.D. Executive Director, Mid-Atlantic Fishery Management Council; telephone: (302) 526-5255. The Council's website, [www.mafmc.org](http://www.mafmc.org) also has details on the meeting location, proposed agenda, webinar listen-in access, and briefing materials.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The following items are on the agenda, although agenda items may be addressed out of order (changes will be noted on the Council's website when possible.)

**Tuesday, October 5th**

*Executive Committee (Closed Session)*

Recommend Spiny Dogfish Advisory Panel Vacancy Appointments.

*Executive Committee—2022*

*Implementation Plan (Open Session)*

Review progress on 2021 Implementation Plan.

Review staff recommendations for 2022 actions and deliverables.

Public comment opportunity.

Approve draft actions and deliverables for further development in 2022 Implementation Plan.

*HMS Diet Study Report*

Walt Golet, University of Maine/Gulf of Maine Research Institute.

*Chub Mackerel Specifications Review*

Review recommendations from the Advisory Panel, SSC, and Monitoring Committee.

Review previously set 2022 chub mackerel specifications and recommend any changes if necessary.

*Atlantic Mackerel Rebuilding*

Review SSC's September 2021 meeting results regarding rebuilding.

Provide additional guidance regarding rebuilding plan modifications, if appropriate.

**Wednesday, October 6th**

*Spiny Dogfish Specifications*

Review SSC, Advisory Panel, Monitoring Committee, staff, and Committee recommendations for 2022 fishing year specifications.

Review staff trip limit analysis.

Review previously implemented 2022 specifications (including trip limit) and recommend changes if necessary.

*Private Tilefish Reporting*

Report from GARFO on Tilefish permitting and reporting numbers.

*North Atlantic Right Whales*

Atlantic Large Whale Take Reduction Team scoping for risk reduction measures for Atlantic trap/pot and gillnet fisheries.

*Overview of June 2021 Scallop FMP Biological Opinion*

New Incidental Take Statement, RPMs and Terms and Conditions, and Sea Turtle Monitoring Plan.

*Business Session*

Committee Reports (SSC, Executive Committee); Executive Director's Report; Organization Reports; and Liaison Reports.

*Other Business and General Public Comment*

Although non-emergency issues not contained in this agenda may come before this group for discussion, in accordance with the Magnuson-Stevens Fishery Conservation and Management Act (Magnuson-Stevens Act), those issues may not be the subject of formal action during these meetings. Actions will be restricted to those issues specifically identified in this notice and any issues arising after publication of this notice that require emergency action under section 305(c).

**Special Accommodations**

These meetings are physically accessible to people with disabilities. Requests for sign language interpretation or other auxiliary aid should be directed to Shelley Spedden, (302) 526-5251, at least 5 days prior to the meeting date.

Dated: September 8, 2021.

**Tracey L. Thompson,**

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

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**DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**

**Environmental Management Site-Specific Advisory Board, Portsmouth**

**AGENCY:** Office of Environmental Management, Department of Energy.

**ACTION:** Notice of in-person/virtual hybrid meeting.

**SUMMARY:** This notice announces an in-person/virtual hybrid meeting of the Environmental Management Site-Specific Advisory Board (EM SSAB), Portsmouth. The Federal Advisory Committee Act requires that public notice of this in-person/virtual hybrid meeting be announced in the **Federal Register**.

**DATES:** Thursday, October 7, 2021; 6:00 p.m.–7:30 p.m.

**ADDRESSES:** This hybrid meeting will be conducted in person for Board members, Department of Energy (DOE) representatives and support staff, and virtually for all other participants. Members of the public will observe the meeting via YouTube at this link: <https://youtu.be/-7KxGKUPxhg>.

Board members, DOE representatives and support staff will participate in-person at: The Ohio State University, Endeavor Center, 1862 Shyville Road, Piketon, OH 45661.

Board liaisons and supporting contractors will participate via virtual platforms.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Eric Roberts, SSAB Board Support Manager, by Phone: (270) 554-3004 or Email: [eric@pgdpcab.org](mailto:eric@pgdpcab.org).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

*Purpose of the Board:* The purpose of the Board is to make recommendations to DOE-EM and site management in the areas of environmental restoration, waste management, and related activities.

**Tentative Agenda**

- Review of Agenda
- Cleanup Progress and Demolition Data
- Administrative Issues
- Reading of Public Comments

*Public Participation:* The in-person/online virtual hybrid meeting is open to the public and can be observed at <https://youtu.be/-7KxGKUPxhg>. Written statements may be filed with the Board either before or after the meeting as there will not be opportunities for live public comment during this online virtual meeting. Comments received by no later than 5:00 p.m. ET on Monday, October 4, 2021, will be read aloud during the meeting. Comments will also be accepted after the meeting, by no later than 5:00 p.m. ET on Friday, October 15, 2021. Please submit comments to the SSAB Board Support Manager at the aforementioned email address. Please put "Public Comment" in the subject line. The Deputy Designated Federal Officer is empowered to conduct the meeting in a fashion that will facilitate the orderly conduct of business. Individuals wishing to submit public comments should email them as directed above.

*Minutes:* Minutes will be available by writing or calling Eric Roberts, SSAB Board Support Manager, Emerging Technology Center, Room 221, 4810 Alben Barkley Drive, Paducah, KY 42001; Phone: (270) 554-3004. Minutes will also be available at the following