

Council Meeting Webinar

Thursday, July 16, 2020

The Mid-Atlantic Fishery Management Council will hold an interim Council meeting via webinar on Thursday, July 16, 2020. The purpose of this meeting is to take final action on the Mackerel, Squid, Butterfish FMP Goals/Objectives and *Illex* Permits Amendment. Briefing materials and webinar connection information will be posted on the Council's website at http://www.mafmc.org/briefing/july-2020.

Agenda

Thursday, July 16th

9:00 a.m. Council Convenes

9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. Mackerel, Squid, Butterfish FMP Goals/Objectives and *Illex* Permits

Amendment

Review alternatives and associated analyses

Review committee recommendations

- Council discussion

12:00 p.m. – 1:00 p.m. Lunch

1:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. Mackerel, Squid, Butterfish FMP Goals/Objectives and *Illex* Permits

Amendment (Continued)

Continue Council discussion and take final action

4:00 p.m. Council Adjourns

Note: Public questions will be taken after presentations, and public comments will be taken before voting on motions.

The above agenda items may not be taken in the order in which they appear and are subject to change as necessary. Other items may be added, but the Council cannot take action on such items even if the item requires emergency action without additional public notice. Non-emergency matters not contained in this agenda may come before the Council and / or its Committees for discussion, but these matters may not be the subject of formal Council or Committee action during this meeting. Council and Committee actions will be restricted to the issues specifically listed in this agenda. Any issues requiring emergency action under section 305(c) of the Magnuson-Stevens Act that arise after publication of the Federal Register Notice for this meeting may be acted upon provided that the public has been notified of the Council's intent to take final action to address the emergency. The meeting may be closed to discuss employment or other internal administrative matters.



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MEMORANDUM

Date: July 8, 2020

To: Council

From: J. Didden, staff

Subject: July Council Meeting Briefing Materials

The Council will meet via webinar on Thursday, July 16, 2020 to consider final action on the Mackerel, Squid, Butterfish FMP Goals/Objectives and *Illex* Permits Amendment. The following briefing materials are available for review regarding this amendment:

- 1. <u>Decision Document with wrap-up analyses</u>
- 2. June 2020 MSB Committee Meeting Summary and Recommendations
- 3. Comments received before briefing book deadline
- 4. NMFS GARFO Letter Regarding Amendment
- 5. Summary of April 20, 2020 MSB Committee Meeting with follow-up analyses
- 6. The Amendment's Public Hearing Document
- 7. Public Hearing Comments and associated Written Comments are available at the page for the April 29, 2020 MSB Committee Meeting.
- 8. 2020/2021 *Illex* Quota Documents
- 9. June 2020 Council Meeting Report with decisions on 2020/2021 *Illex* Quotas

These materials are available at the links above or on the July 16, 2020 Meeting Page: https://www.mafmc.org/briefing/july-2020.