

PRODUCTION SUBCOMMITTEE

Representative Bill Williams, Chair

AGENDA

October 16, 2003

10:00 am – 2:00 pm

House Finance Committee Room 519

State Capitol Fifth Floor

Teleconference Call-in Number 888-263-1555

From Juneau 463-5073

- A. Discussion on the following issues:
 - a. The impact of allowing salmon fishermen who hold multiple permits to fish in more than one administrative area in the same year
 - The impact of *requiring* salmon fishermen to utilize *different* vessels
 - The impact of *requiring* salmon fishermen to utilize the *same* vessel

- B. Discussion on removing the 58' seine vessel restriction from statute
 - a. *Allowing* the Board of Fisheries to address each area as proposals are submitted by fishermen in a normal board cycle
 - b. *Requiring* the Board of Fisheries to address each area on a mandated schedule

- C. Continue discussion on “An Act relating to the reduction of the number of limited entry permits in a commercial fishery to the optimum number without establishing a buy-back program.”
 - a. Amendments suggested by CFEC
 - b. Discussion and consideration of additional amendments

- D. Continue discussion on “An Act relating to a buy-back surcharge on the renewal of entry permits and administration of an entry permit buy-back program.”
 - a. Can any elements of this bill be incorporated into “An Act relating to the reduction of the number of limited entry permits in a commercial fishery to the optimum number without establishing a buy-back program.”?
 - b. Do we want to proceed with this bill as a separate bill?

- E. Continue discussion on “An Act relating to commercial fishing privileges of persons who hold multiple entry permits for a salmon fishery.”
 - a. Can any elements of this bill be incorporated into other pieces of legislation?
 - b. Do we want to proceed with this bill?

F. Next Meeting Date/Topics

G. Adjourn