The States will issue notice of the public meeting(s) in a local newspaper(s) at least 45 days prior to the public meeting(s), and will issue other timely notices as appropriate. Copies of the State’s most recent performance reports, as well as OCRM’s notifications and supplemental request letters to the States, are available upon request from OCRM. Written comments from interested parties regarding these Programs are encouraged and will be accepted until 15 days after the public meeting. Please direct written comments to Vickie A. Allin, Chief, Policy Coordination Division, Office of Ocean and Coastal Resource Management, NOS/NOAA, 1305 East-West Highway, Silver Spring, Maryland, 20910. When the evaluation is completed, OCRM will place a notice in the Federal Register announcing the availability of the Final Evaluation Findings.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Vickie A. Allin, Chief, Policy Coordination Division, Office of Ocean and Coastal Resource Management, NOS/NOAA, 1305 East-West Highway, Silver Spring, Maryland, 20910, (301) 713–3090, ext. 126.


Dr. David L. Evans, Acting Assistant Administrator for Ocean Services and Coastal Zone Management. [FR Doc. 96–33086 Filed 12–27–96; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 3510–08–M

National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration
[I.D. 121996C]

North Pacific Fishery Management Council; Committee Meeting

AGENCY: National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS), National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), Commerce. ACTION: Notice of public meeting.

SUMMARY: The Pacific Northwest Crab Industry Advisory Committee (PNCIAC), will meet on January 6, 1997, in Seattle, WA.

DATES: The meeting will be held on January 6, 1997, from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

ADDRESS: The meeting will be held at Leif Erickson Lodge Hall, 2245 NW 57th Street, Seattle, WA.


SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The PNCIAC’s agenda includes the following:

1. Alaska Department of Fish and Game proposal for a cost recovery funded observer program.

2. Emergency petition for revised pot limits in the Bristol Bay red king crab fishery.

3. Proposal to reduce the minimum size limit of Bristol Bay red king crab to 6 inches.

4. Other related crab management issues.

Special Accommodations

This meeting is physically accessible to people with disabilities. Requests for sign language interpretation or other auxiliary aids should be directed to Arni Thomson, Alaska Crab Coalition, 206–547–7560, at least 5 working days prior to the meeting date.

Dated: December 23, 1996.

Gary C. Matlock, Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, National Marine Fisheries Service. [FR Doc. 96–33180 Filed 12–27–96; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 3510–22–F

[I.D. 122096A]

Pacific Fishery Management Council; Public Meeting

AGENCY: National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS), National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), Commerce. ACTION: Notice of public meeting.

SUMMARY: The Pacific Fishery Management Council will hold a public meeting.

DATES: The meeting will be held on January 9, 1997, beginning at 9:00 a.m. and will run until business for the day is concluded. The meeting will reconvene on January 10, 1997, at 8:00 a.m. and will run until business for the day is concluded.

ADDRESS: The meeting will be held at the Red Lion Downtown Portland, 1401 SW Lincolin, Portland, OR 97201, in the Multnomah Falls Room.

Council address: Pacific Fishery Management Council, 2130 SW Fifth Avenue, Suite 224, Portland, OR 97201.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Lawrence D. Six, Executive Director; telephone: (503) 326–6352.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The purpose of the meeting is to develop options for long term management of the limited entry fixed gear sablefish fishery.

Special Accommodations

The meeting is physically accessible to people with disabilities. Requests for sign language interpretation or other auxiliary aids should be directed to Vickie A. Allin, Chief, Policy Coordination Division, Office of Ocean and Coastal Resource Management, NOS/NOAA, 1305 East-West Highway, Silver Spring, Maryland, 20910, (301) 713–3090, ext. 126.


Dr. David L. Evans, Acting Assistant Administrator for Ocean Services and Coastal Zone Management. [FR Doc. 96–33086 Filed 12–27–96; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 3510–08–M

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Endangered Species; Permits

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

ACTION: Receipt of an application for modification 1 to scientific research permit 991 (P599) and issuance of an amendment of enhancement permit 747 (P45H).

SUMMARY: Notice is hereby given that the California Department of Water Resources in Sacramento, CA (CDWR) has applied in due form for modification 1 to scientific research permit 991 and that an amendment of enhancement permit 747 was issued to the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service in Sacramento, CA (FWS) authorizing takes of an endangered species.

DATES: Written comments or requests for a public hearing on the modification application must be received on or before January 29, 1997.

ADDRESS: The application and related documents are available for review in the following offices, by appointment:

Office of Protected Resources, F/PR3, NMFS, 1315 East-West Highway, Silver Spring, MD 20910–3226 (301–713–1401); and

Director, Southwest Region, NMFS, 501 West Ocean Blvd., Suite 4200, Long Beach, CA 90802–4213 (310–980–4016).

Written comments or requests for a public hearing should be submitted to the Chief, Endangered Species Division, Office of Protected Resources.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: CDWR requests modification 1 to permit 991, and the amendment of permit 747 was issued, under the authority of section 10 of the Endangered Species Act of 1973 (ESA) (16 U.S.C. 1531–1543) and the NMFS regulations governing ESA-listed fish and wildlife permits (50 CFR parts 217–227).