

above, the Department is extending the deadline for issuing the preliminary results of this new shipper review by 120 days to no later than October 4, 1999. We plan to issue the final results within 90 days after the date the preliminary results are issued. This extension is in accordance with section 751(a)(2)(B)(iv) of the Act.

Dated: May 17, 1999.

Bernard Carreau,

Deputy Assistant Secretary for Import Administration.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

[I.D. 051499B]

Mid-Atlantic Fishery Management Council (MAFMC); Meeting

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

ACTION: Notice of public meeting.

SUMMARY: The Mid-Atlantic Fishery Management Council's Dolphin/Wahoo Committee with Advisors will hold a public meeting.

DATES: The meeting will be held on Monday, June 7, 1999, from 1:00-4:00 p.m.

ADDRESSES: This meeting will be held at the Hilton Norfolk Airport, 1500 N. Military Highway @ Northampton Boulevard, Norfolk, VA, telephone: 757-466-8000.

Council address: Mid-Atlantic Fishery Management Council, 300 S. New Street, Dover, DE 19904.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Daniel T. Furlong, Executive Director, Mid-Atlantic Fishery Management Council; telephone: 302-674-2331, ext. 19.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The purpose of this meeting is to review the South Atlantic Council's Dolphin/Wahoo options paper and develop recommendations to be presented to the South Atlantic Dolphin/Wahoo Advisors during its June 14-18, 1999 Council meeting.

Although other issues not contained in this agenda may come before the Committee for discussion, in accordance with the Magnuson-Stevens Fishery Conservation and Management Act, such issues may not be the subject of formal action during this meeting. Action will be restricted to those issues specifically identified in this notice.

Special Accommodations

This meeting is physically accessible to people with disabilities. Requests for sign language interpretation or other auxiliary aids should be directed to Joanna Davis at the Council office (see **ADDRESSES**) at least 5 days prior to the meeting date.

Dated: May 17, 1999.

Bruce C. Morehead,

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

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

[I.D. 050399C]

North Pacific Fishery Management Council; Public Meetings; Correction

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

ACTION: Notice of public meetings; correction.

SUMMARY: In the **Federal Register** notice dated May 10, 1999, in the **SUMMARY** section, a city was cited incorrectly.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Council staff, telephone: 907-271-2809.

Correction

In the **Federal Register** of May 10, 1999, in FR Doc. 99-1697, on page 25026, in the second column, correct the **SUMMARY** caption to read:

SUMMARY: The North Pacific Fishery Management Council (Council) and its advisory committees will meet in Kodiak, AK the week of June 7, 1999.

Dated: May 17, 1999.

Bruce C. Morehead,

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

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Patent and Trademark Office

Requirements for Patent Applications Containing Nucleotide Sequence and/or Amino Acid Sequence Disclosures

ACTION: Proposed collection; comment request.

SUMMARY: The Department of Commerce (DoC), as part of its continuing effort to reduce paperwork and respondent burden, invites the general public and

other Federal agencies to comment on the continuing and proposed information collection, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, Pub. L. 104-13 (44 U.S.C. 3506(c)(2)(A)).

DATES: Written comments must be submitted on or before July 23, 1999.

ADDRESSES: Direct all written comments to Linda Engelmeier, Departmental Forms Clearance Officer, Office of the Chief Information Officer, Department of Commerce, Room 5033, 14th and Constitution Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20230 (or via the Internet at LEngelme@doc.gov).

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Requests for additional information should be directed to the attention of Esther M. Kepplinger, Director, Technology Center 1750/1760, Comments-Patents, Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, DC 20231, by telephone at (703) 308-1495, or by facsimile transmission to (703) 305-3599.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

I. Abstract

This information collection is required by 37 CFR 1.821-1.825. These rules require the use of a standard format for patent applicants to describe the nucleotide and amino acid sequence data within their patent applications, which is consistent with World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO) Standard ST.25 (effective July 1, 1998). See *Requirements for Patent Applications Containing Nucleotide Sequence and/or Amino Acid Disclosures*; Final Rule Notice, 63 FR 29620 (June 1, 1998). Under this standard format, sequence listings are presented in an international, language neutral format using numeric identifiers rather than the former subject headings.

The Patent and Trademark Office (PTO) uses this sequence listing information in a variety of ways. It enables the PTO to effectively examine the nucleotide and amino acid sequences and to process the data more efficiently. The PTO also uses the data after examination to support publication of issued patents. The PTO also uses the sequences during participation with the European and Japanese Patent Offices in a Trilateral Sequence Exchange Project, thereby facilitating the international exchange of published sequence data. After patent publication, the public and the bar associations can search the nucleotide/amino acid sequence listings. Applicants also use the sequence data when preparing both national and international patent applications.