

IV. Request for Comments

Comments are invited on: (a) Whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information shall have practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden (including hours and cost) of the proposed collection of information; (c) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (d) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on respondents, including through the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

Comments submitted in response to this notice will be summarized and/or included in the request for OMB approval of this information collection; they also will become a matter of public record.

Dated: April 11, 2006.

Gwellnar Banks,

Management Analyst, Office of the Chief Information Officer.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE**National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration**

[Docket No. 011206293-3182-02; I.D. 041106B]

Pacific Halibut Fishery; Guideline Harvest Levels for the Guided Recreational Halibut Fishery

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

ACTION: Notice of guideline harvest level.

SUMMARY: NMFS provides notice of the guideline harvest level (GHL) for the guided sport halibut fishery (charter fishery) in the International Pacific Halibut Commission (IPHC) regulatory Areas 2C and 3A. The GHL provides a benchmark harvest level for participants in the charter fishery. This notice is necessary to meet the management and regulatory requirements for the GHL and to inform the public about the 2006 GHL for the charter fishery.

DATES: The GHLs are effective beginning 1200 hrs, Alaska local time (A.l.t.), February 1, 2006, and will close at 2400 hours, A.l.t., December 31, 2006. This period is specified by the IPHC as the

sport fishing season in all waters of Alaska.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Jason Gasper, 907 586 7228, or e-mail at jason.gasper@noaa.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: NMFS implemented a final rule to establish GHLs in IPHC regulatory areas 2C and 3A for the harvest of Pacific halibut (*Hippoglosses stenolepis*) by the charter fishery on August 8, 2003 (68 FR 47256). The GHLs are intended to serve as a benchmark harvest level for participants in the charter fishery.

This announcement is consistent with § 300.65(c)(2), which requires that GHLs for IPHC regulatory Areas 2C and 3A be specified by NMFS and announced by publication in the **Federal Register** no later than 30 days after receiving information from the IPHC which establishes the constant exploitation yield (CEY) for halibut in IPHC regulatory areas 2C and 3A. Based on the regulations at § 300.65(c)(1), the CEY established by the IPHC in 2006 in Area 2C results in a GHL of 1,432,000 pounds (649.5 mt), and results in a GHL of 3,650,000 pounds (1,655.6 mt) in Area 3A.

This notice does not require any regulatory action by NMFS and is intended to serve as an notice of the GHLs in Areas 2C and 3A for 2006. If the GHL is exceeded in 2006, NMFS will notify the North Pacific Fishery Management Council (Council) in writing within 30 days pursuant to regulations at § 300.65(c)(3). The Council is not required to take action, but may recommend additional management measures after receiving notification that a GHL has been exceeded.

Classification

This notice does not require any additional regulatory action by NMFS and does not impose any additional restrictions on harvests by the charter fishery. If the GHL is exceeded in any year, the Council would be notified, but no action would be required to be taken. This process of notification is intended to provide the Council with an indication of the level of Pacific halibut harvest by the charter fishery in a given year and could prompt future action.

Authority: 16 U.S.C. 773 *et seq.*

Dated: April 11, 2006.

Alan D. Risenhoover,

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

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE**Department of the Navy****Notice of Intent To Grant Partially Exclusive Patent License: Bixenta Ventures LLC**

AGENCY: Department of the Navy, DOD.

ACTION: Special notice.

SUMMARY: The Department of the Navy hereby gives notice of its intent to grant to Bixenta Ventures LLC, a revocable, nonassignable, partially exclusive license to practice throughout the United States the Government-owned inventions described in U.S. Patent No. 6,873,961, Method And Apparatus For Identifying And Tracking Project Trends; U.S. Patent No. 6,801,655, Spatial Image Processor; U.S. Patent No. 6,785,623, Business To Business Electronic Test Monitoring Information System; U.S. Patent No. 6,768,815, Color Sensor; U.S. Patent No. 6,765,541, Capacitively Shunted Quadrifilar Helix Antenna; U.S. Patent No. 6,735,579, Static Memory Processor; U.S. Patent No. 6,718,816, Monolithic I.C. Implemented Calibration Circuit; U.S. Patent No. 6,718,316, Neural Network Noise Anomaly Recognition System And Method; U.S. Patent No. 6,714,481, System And Method For Active Sonar Signal Detection And Classification; U.S. Patent No. 6,703,917, Resettable Fuse/Circuit Interrupter With Visual Fault Indication; U.S. Patent No. 6,694,049, Multimode Invariant Processor; U.S. Patent No. 6,681,016, System For Transfer Of Secure Mission Data; U.S. Patent No. 6,618,713, Neural Directors; U.S. Patent No. 6,618,324, Track Quality Indicator With Hysteresis; U.S. Patent No. 6,597,634, System And Method For Stochastic Characterization Of Sparse, Four-Dimensional, Underwater-Sound Signals; U.S. Patent No. 6,594,382, Neural Sensors; U.S. Patent No. 6,590,833, Adaptive Cross Correlator; U.S. Patent No. 6,580,314, Demodulation System And Method For Recovering A Signal Of Interest From A Modulated Carrier Sampled At Two Times The Phase Generated Carrier Frequency; U.S. Patent No. 6,577,268, Outboard Radio Signal Test System And Method; U.S. Patent No. 6,571,598, Calibration Circuit For Use With A Differential Input Preamplifier In A Sensor System; U.S. Patent No. 6,566,895, Unbalanced Three Phase Delta Power Measurement Apparatus And Method; U.S. Patent No. 6,560,582, Dynamic Memory Processor; U.S. Patent No. 6,559,632, Method And Apparatus For Determining Linear And Angular Velocity Of A Moving Body; U.S. Patent

No. 6,546,045, Method For Communication Using Adaptive Modem; U.S. Patent No. 6,525,990, Target Simulation System And Method; U.S. Patent No. 6,507,827, Adaptive And Intelligent Modem; U.S. Patent No. 6,466,516, System And Apparatus For The Detection Of Randomness In Three Dimensional Time Series Distributions Made Up Of Sparse Data Sets; U.S. Patent No. 6,430,522, Enhanced Model Identification In Signal Processing Using Arbitrary Exponential Functions; U.S. Patent No. 6,430,107, Computerized Auditory Scene Analysis Particularly Suited For Undersea Applications; U.S. Patent No. 6,421,620, Test Data Processing System; U.S. Patent No. 6,411,566, System And Method For Processing An Underwater Acoustic Signal By Identifying Nonlinearity In The Underwater Acoustic Signal; U.S. Patent No. 6,407,720, Capacitively Loaded Quadrifilar Helix Antenna; U.S. Patent No. 6,401,050, Non-Command, Visual Interaction System For Watchstations; U.S. Patent No. 6,400,647, Remote Detection System; U.S. Patent No. 6,397,234, System And Apparatus For The Detection Of Randomness In Time Series Distributions Made Up Of Sparse Data Sets; U.S. Patent No. 6,397,202, System And Method For Monitoring Risk In A System Development Program; U.S. Patent No. 6,392,959, Contact Data Correlation With Reassessment; U.S. Patent No. 6,389,229, Optical Fstop/Resolution Apparatus And Method For Specified Depth-Of-Field; U.S. Patent No. 6,344,834, Low Angle, High Angle Quadrifilar Helix Antenna; U.S. Patent No. 6,304,885, Digital Data Retrieving, Organizing And Display System; U.S. Patent No. 6,304,833, Hypothesis Selection For Evidential Reasoning Systems; U.S. Patent No. 6,105,015, Wavelet-Based Hybrid Neurosystem For Classifying A Signal Or An Image Represented By The Signal In A Data System; U.S. Patent No. 5,814,816, System For Monitoring Surface Stress And Other Conditions In Structures; U.S. Patent No. 5,790,758, Neural Network Architecture For Gaussian Components Of A Mixture Density Function; U.S. Patent No. 5,781,460, System And Method For Chaotic Signal Identification; U.S. Patent No. 5,757,974, System And Method For Data Compression; U.S. Patent No. 5,729,171, Preamplifier With Adjustable Input Resistance; U.S. Patent No. 5,728,944, Photoelastic Stress Sensor; U.S. Patent No. 5,712,959, Neural Network Architecture For Non-Gaussian Components Of A Mixture Density Function; and U.S. Patent No.

5,696,700, System And Computer-Implemented Method For Fractal-Dimension Measurement For Target-Motion Analysis Noise Discrimination.

DATES: Anyone wishing to object to the grant of this license has fifteen (15) days from the date of this notice to file written objections along with supporting evidence, if any.

ADDRESSES: Written objections are to be filed with the Naval Undersea Warfare Center Division, Newport, 1176 Howell St., Bldg 990, Code 105, Newport, RI 02841.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Dr. Theresa A. Baus, Technology Transfer Manager, Naval Undersea Warfare Center Division, Newport, 1176 Howell St., Bldg 990, Code 105, Newport, RI 02841; telephone 401-832-8728, or e-mail bausta@npt.nuwc.navy.mil.

Authority: 35 U.S.C. 207, 37 CFR part 404.

Dated: April 11, 2006.

Eric McDonald,

Lieutenant Commander, Judge Advocate General's Corps, U.S. Navy, Federal Register Liaison Officer.

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DEFENSE NUCLEAR FACILITIES SAFETY BOARD

FOIA Fee Schedule Update

AGENCY: Defense Nuclear Facilities Safety Board.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Defense Nuclear Facilities Safety Board is publishing its annual update to the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) Fee Schedule pursuant to 10 CFR 1703.107(b)(6) of the Board's regulations.

DATES: *Effective Date:* May 1, 2006.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Kenneth M. Pusateri, General Manager, Defense Nuclear Facilities Safety Board, 625 Indiana Avenue, NW., Suite 700, Washington, DC 20004-2901, (202) 694-7060.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The FOIA requires each Federal agency covered by the Act to specify a schedule of fees applicable to processing of requests for agency records. 5 U.S.C. 552(a)(4)(i). On March 15, 1991, the Board published for comment in the **Federal Register** its proposed FOIA Fee Schedule. 56 FR 11114. No comments were received in response to that notice and the Board issued a final Fee Schedule on May 6, 1991.

Pursuant to 10 CFR 1703.107(b)(6) of the Board's regulations, the Board's

General Manager will update the FOIA Fee Schedule once every 12 months. Previous Fee Schedule updates were published in the **Federal Register** and went into effect, most recently, on May 1, 2005, 27 FR 20739.

Board Action

Accordingly, the Board issues the following schedule of updated fees for services performed in response to FOIA requests:

Defense Nuclear Facilities Safety Board Schedule of Fees for FOIA Services

(Implementing 10 CFR 1703.107(b)(6))

Search or Review Charge: \$60.00 per hour.

Copy Charge (paper): \$.05 per page, if done in-house, or generally available commercial rate (approximately \$.09 per page).

Electronic Media: \$5.00.

Copy Charge (audio cassette): \$3.00 per cassette.

Duplication of Video: \$25.00 for each individual videotape; \$16.50 for each additional individual videotape.

Copy Charge for large documents (e.g., maps, diagrams): Actual commercial rates.

Dated: April 10, 2006.

Kenneth M. Pusateri,

General Manager.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. PH06-39-000]

Alexander's of Brooklyn II, LLC; Notice of Petition for Exemption From the Requirements of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 2005

April 10, 2006.

Take notice that on March 31, 2006, Alexander's of Brooklyn II, LLC filed a notification of exemption pursuant to section 18 CFR 366.3(a) and 366.4(b)(1), seeking exemption from the requirements of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 2005.

Any person desiring to intervene or to protest this filing must file in accordance with Rules 211 and 214 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (18 CFR 385.211, 385.214). Protests will be considered by the Commission in determining the appropriate action to be taken, but will not serve to make protestants parties to the proceeding. Any person wishing to become a party must file a notice of