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SUQUAMISH* * * Those locations in the Strait of Juan de Fuca and Puget Sound as determined in or in accordance with Final Decision No. 1 and subsequent orders in *United States v. Washington*, 384 F. Supp. 312 (W.D. Wash. 1974), and particularly at 459 F. Supp. 1049, to be places at which the Suquamish Tribe may fish under rights secured by treaties with the United States.

SWINOMISH* * * Those locations in the Strait of Juan de Fuca and Puget Sound as determined in or in accordance with Final Decision No. 1 and subsequent orders in *United States v. Washington*, 384 F. Supp. 312 (W.D. Wash. 1974), and particularly at 459 F. Supp. 1049, to be places at which the Swinomish Tribe may fish under rights secured by treaties with the United States.

TULALIP* * * Those locations in the Strait of Juan de Fuca and Puget Sound as determined in or in accordance with Final Decision No. 1 and subsequent orders in *United States v. Washington*, 384 F. Supp. 312 (W.D. Wash. 1974), and particularly at 626 F. Supp. 1531-1532, to be places at which the Tulalip Tribe may fish under rights secured by treaties with the United States.

7. In § 301.21, paragraph (d)(2) is revised and paragraphs (n), (o), (p), and (q) are added to read as follows:

§ 301.21 Sport fishing for halibut.

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(2) The sport fishing subareas, subquotas, fishing dates, and daily bag limits implemented by NMFS are as follows, except as modified under the inseason actions in paragraph (d)(3) of this section. All sport fishing in 2A (except for fish caught in the North Washington coast area and landed into Neah Bay) is managed on a "port of landing" basis, whereby any halibut landed into a port counts toward the quota for the area in which that port is located, and the regulations governing the area of landing apply, regardless of the specific area of catch.

(i) In Puget Sound and the U.S. waters in the Strait of Juan de Fuca, east of a line from the lighthouse on Bonilla Point on Vancouver Island, British Columbia (48°35'44" N. lat., 124°43'00" W. long.) to the buoy adjacent to Duntze Rock (48°24'55" N. lat., 124°44'50" W. long.) to Tatoosh Island lighthouse

(48°23'30" N. lat., 124°44'00" W. long.) to Cape Flattery (48°22'55" N. lat., 124°43'42" W. long.), there is no subquota. This area is managed by setting a season that is projected to result in a catch of 33,320 lb (15.11 mt).

(A) The fishing season is May 18 through July 22, 5 days a week (closed Tuesdays and Wednesdays).

(B) The daily bag limit is one halibut of any size per day per person.

(ii) In the area off the north Washington coast, west of the line described in paragraph (d)(2)(i) of this section and north of the Queets River (47°31'42" N. lat.), the subquota for landings into ports in this area is 68,663 lb (31.15 mt). Landings into Neah Bay of halibut caught in this area will count against this subquota and are governed by the regulations in this paragraph (d)(2)(ii).

(A) This area has two seasons.

(1) The first fishing season commences on May 2 and continues 5 days a week (Tuesday through Saturday) until May 27 or until 68,663 lb (31.15 mt) are estimated to have been taken and the season is closed by the Commission, whichever occurs first.

(2) If sufficient quota remains for this area, the second season commences on July 1 and continues until September 30, or the quota of 68,663 lb (31.15 mt) for this area is estimated to have been taken and the season is closed by the Commission, whichever occurs first.

(B) The daily bag limit is one halibut of any size per day per person.

(C) A portion of this area about 19.5 nm (36.1 km) southwest of Cape Flattery is closed to sport fishing for halibut. The closed area is within a rectangle defined by these four corners: 48°17'00" N. lat., 125°10'00" W. long.; 48°17'00" N. lat., 125°00'00" W. long.; 48°05'00" N. lat., 125°10'00" W. long.; and, 48°05'00" N. lat., 125°00'00" W. long.

(iii) In the area between the Queets River, WA and Leadbetter Point, WA (46°38'10" N. lat.), the subquota for landings into ports in this area is 14,637 lb (6.64 mt).

(A) The fishing season commences on May 1 and continues every day through September 30 or until 14,637 lb (6.64 mt) are estimated to have been taken and the season is closed by the Commission, whichever occurs first.

(B) The daily bag limit is one halibut of any size per day per person.

(C) The northern offshore portion of this area is closed to sport fishing for halibut. The closed area is west of 124°40'00" W. long. and north of 47°10'00" N. lat. If, on September 1, sufficient quota remains for at least 1 day of fishing, the Commission will, by inseason action as specified at § 301.4 of

this part, remove the geographical restriction on each Tuesday until the fishery is closed.

(iv) In the area between Leadbetter Point, WA and Cape Falcon, OR (45°46'00" N. lat.), the subquota for landings into ports in this area is 4,440 lb (2.01 mt).

(A) The fishing season commences on May 1 and continues every day through September 30 or until 4,440 lb (2.01 mt) are estimated to have been taken and the season is closed by the Commission, whichever occurs first.

(B) The daily bag limit is one halibut with a minimum overall size limit of 32 in (81.3 cm).

(v) In the area off Oregon between Cape Falcon and the Siuslaw River (44°01'08" N. lat.), the subquota for landings into ports in this area is 91,052 lb (41.3 mt).

(A) The fishing seasons are:

(1) Commencing May 4 and continuing 3 days a week (Thursday through Saturday) until 65,102 lb (29.53 mt) are estimated to have been taken and the season is closed by the Commission;

(2) Commencing the day following the closure of the season in paragraph (d)(2)(v)(A)(1) of this section, and continuing every day through August 2, in the area inside the 30-fathom (55 m) curve nearest to the coastline as plotted on National Ocean Service charts numbered 18520, 18580, and 18600, or until 3,187 lb (1.45 mt) or the area subquota is estimated to have been taken (except that any poundage remaining unharvested after the earlier season will be added to this season) and the season is closed by the Commission, whichever is earlier; and

(3) Commencing August 3 and continuing 3 days a week (Thursday through Saturday) through September 30, or until the combined subquotas for the areas described in paragraphs (d)(2)(v) and (vi) of this section totaling 98,262 lb (44.57 mt) are estimated to have been taken and the area is closed by the Commission, whichever is earlier.

(B) The daily bag limit is two halibut, one with a minimum overall size limit of 32 in (81.3 cm) and the second with a minimum overall size limit of 50 in (127.0 cm).

(vi) In the area off Oregon between the Siuslaw River and the California border (42°00'00" N. lat.), the subquota for landings into ports in this area is 7,210 lb (3.27 mt).

(A) The fishing seasons are:

(1) Commencing May 4 and continuing 3 days a week (Thursday through Saturday) until 5,768 lb (2.62 mt) are estimated to have been taken