

NEW ENGLAND FISHERY MANAGEMENT COUNCIL

Skate Committee

I. STATUS

- A. Meetings: The PDT held a webinar on September 10, 2018 to develop the monitoring report and review the stock status updates.
- B. Framework 5: Formal submission of Framework 5 was completed on June 21, 2018. The proposed rule published on July 5, 2018. The final rule is expected to publish in September 2018.
- C. Framework 6: Preliminary submission of Framework 6 was completed on July 19, 2018.
- D. Amendment 5: The PDT is beginning preliminary data analysis to continue development of Amendment 5.

II. COUNCIL ACTION

Receive the 2018 Skate Monitoring Report

III. INFORMATION

- 1. Presentation
- 2. Northeast Skate Complex 2018 (for FY2017) Annual Monitoring Report, dated September 14, 2018
- 3. 2017 NE Skate Stock Status Update (NEFSC, Lead Analyst: K. Sosebee, 8/31/2018)
- 4. Correspondence (if any)