



## New England Fishery Management Council

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### Scallop Plan Development Team (PDT)

**Date:** Wednesday, October 7, 2015

**Time:** 10:00 AM

**Location:** Hilton Garden Inn, Boston Logan Airport, 100 Boardman Street, Boston, MA 02128  
Phone: (617) 567-6789

#### Agenda items:

The PDT will continue the development of Framework 27 fishery specifications alternatives for fishing year 2016 and default measures for fishing year 2017. The PDT will finalize analysis of overfishing limit (OFL) and acceptable biological catch (ABC) estimates for Framework 27.

#### **Call In information:**

Dial: 1 (872) 240-3212

Access Code: 998-751-869

Please note that this is not a toll-free number

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#### **Online access:**

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#### **Directions:**

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**From South Shore/Cape Cod:** Take Route 93 North towards Boston. At Exit 20, bear right onto I-90 East toward South Boston/Logan Airport. Keep straight onto Route 1A- North. Stay on Route 1A- North, and at your first set of lights turn right onto Boardman Street. Hotel is on your right.

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Once complete, PDT work products are reviewed at oversight committee meetings to which the public is invited. It is at this point that comments are encouraged on a range of issues, including PDT reports and recommendations, proposed management options or other information that is relevant to the committee's business at that time. The committee, in turn, makes management recommendations to the full Council based on the full suite of information it has available to it.