

New England Fishery Management Council

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MEETING NOTICE GROUNDFISH COMMITTEE MEETING

Date: Thursday, June 9, 2016

Time: 9:00 a.m.

Location: Hilton Garden Inn

100 Boardman Street Boston, MA 02128

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Agenda:

- Groundfish monitoring program: Receive an update from the PDT on Committee tasking regarding estimated discards and associated CVs and a draft white paper examining the groundfish monitoring program; and make recommendations to the Council.
- Northern windowpane flounder: Review PDT work to date on developing a sub-ACL for the scallop fishery for northern windowpane flounder and allocating the northern windowpane flounder stock to sectors in the groundfish fishery; and make recommendations to the Council regarding the development of alternatives.
- Atlantic herring/Georges Bank haddock action: Review PDT work to date on this action that considers revising the Georges Bank haddock sub-ACL and associated accountability measures; and make recommendations to the Council regarding the development of alternatives.
- Address other business, as necessary.

If you are submitting written comments for consideration at this meeting, we must receive them by noon on Tuesday, June 7, 2016.

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cc: Council Members, Groundfish, Herring and Scallop IPs, Advisors and PDT members Notice date: Wednesday, May 18, 2016