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REVISED Meeting Agenda

Groundfish Oversight Committee

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363 Maine Mall Road
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Day 1: Wednesday, September 17, 2014

- 9:00 AM Opening remarks and agenda review
(*Frank Blount, Chairman*)
- 9:15 AM Final FY2013 Groundfish Catches
(*Sarah Heil, GARFO*)
- 9:30 AM Report from the Recreational Advisory Panel
(*Barry Gibson, Chairman*)
- 10:15 AM Report from the Groundfish Advisory Panel
(*Bill Gerencer, Chairman*)
- 11:00 AM *Break*
- 11:10 AM Report for the Transboundary Management Guidance Committee
(*Terry Stockwell, Chairman*)
- 11:30 AM PDT update on Framework Adjustment 53 (FW53) -
Specifications and Management Measures, including Gulf of
Maine cod
(*Jamie Cournane, NEFMC*)
- 12:00 AM Discussion of potential measures for FW53
- Specifications
 - Management Measures
- 12:30 PM *Lunch*
- 1:30 PM Continue discussion
- 3:30 PM Break
- 3:40 PM Continue discussion
- 5:30 PM Adjourn

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Day 2: Thursday, September 18, 2014

- 9:00 AM Opening remarks and agenda review
(*Frank Blount, Chairman*)
- 9:15 AM PDT update on Amendment 18 (A18) - Fleet Diversity and
Accumulation Limits
(*Rachel Feeney, NEFMC*)
- 9:45 AM Discussion of potential measures for A18
- Inshore/Offshore GOM
 - Accumulation Limits
 - Data Confidentiality
- 10:30 AM *Break*
- 10:40 AM Continue discussion
- 12:30 PM *Lunch*
- 1:30 PM Continue discussion
- 3:20 PM *Break*
- 3:30 PM Discussion of PDT feedback on US/Canada trading measures
- 4:30 PM Other A18 business
- 5:00 PM Other Business
- 5:30 PM Adjourn

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