

**October 2018 Council Motions**  
**Cape May, NJ**

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**Spiny Dogfish**

Move to recommend the ABCs and other specifications associated with the staff/SSC/Monitoring Committee recommendations.

Michels for Committee

Motion carries without opposition

**Table 1. SDMC-Recommended Specifications**

Specifications	Basis	2019 (pounds)	2019 (mt)	2020 (pounds)	2020 (mt)	2021 (pounds)	2021 (mt)
OFL (from SSC)	Projected Catch at Fmsy	0	0	na	na	na	na
ABC (from SSC)	Council Risk Policy	28,470,497	12,914	31,142,499	14,126	35,368,761	16,043
Canadian Landings	= 2017 estimate	108,027	49	108,027	49	108,027	49
Domestic ABC	= ABC – Canadian Landings	28,362,470	12,865	31,034,473	14,077	35,260,734	15,994
ACL	= Domestic ABC	28,362,470	12,865	31,034,473	14,077	35,260,734	15,994
Mgmt Uncert Buffer	Ave pct overage since 2011	0	0	0	0	0	0
ACT	= ACL - mgmt uncert buffer	28,362,470	12,865	31,034,473	14,077	35,260,734	15,994
U.S. Discards	=3 year average 15-16-17	7,661,064	3,475	7,661,064	3,475	7,661,064	3,475
TAL	ACT – Discards	20,701,406	9,390	23,373,409	10,602	27,599,671	12,519
U.S. Rec Landings	= 2017 estimate	178,574	81	178,574	81	178,574	81
Comm Quota	TAL – Rec Landings	20,522,832	9,309	23,194,835	10,521	27,421,096	12,438

Move that an action be considered as soon as possible regarding trip limits that includes removing the federal trip limit (no changes to the federal trip limit of 6,000 pounds would be made via this specification action).

Michels for Committee

Motion to split the question:

deFur/Mann

1<sup>st</sup>: Move that an action be considered as soon as possible regarding trip limits that includes removing the federal trip limit, adding this action into the possible additions for 2019 Priorities for further consideration in December 2018.

16/0/0

Motion carries

2<sup>nd</sup>: Move to not change the current trip limit in the 2019-2021 specifications action.

17/0/0

Motion carries

Move that the Council recommend to the NMFS Science Center that a proactive approach for the planned spiny dogfish assessment be taken, similar to the butterflyfish/mackerel assessments.  
Michels for Committee  
Passes with no opposition and one abstention

### **Illex**

Move that for 2019-2020 *Illex* specifications, they be set at 26,000 MT for the ABC and use the current other specifications measures as per the staff recommendations.  
Nolan/ DiLernia  
Motion carries without objection

### **Illex Scoping**

Move to approve the scoping document forward with the addition of Montauk as a scoping hearing location.  
Nolan/deFur  
Motion carries without objection

### **Chub Mackerel Amendment**

Move to remove all frameworkable items from the document.  
Nolan/Mann 17/0/1 motion carries

Move to add an alternative for a control date to the public hearing document.  
DiLernia/Hughes  
Motion withdrawn

Move to approve the chub mackerel amendment public hearing document as modified today.  
deFur/Heins  
Motion passes by consent

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