



New England Fishery Management Council

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SKATE ADVISORY PANEL

DRAFT MOTIONS

September 12, 2017

1. To recommend to the Committee to select Option 2 (Section 4.1.2 Revised Annual Catch Limit Specifications) as the preferred alternative (Mr. Dodge/Mr. McCann)
Carried 7/0/1
2. To recommend to the Committee that Option 3 (Section 4.2.3 Proportional Barndoor Skate Possession Limit) be selected as the preferred alternative (Mr. Dodge/Mr. Connors)
Carried 6/1/1
3. To recommend to the Committee that Option 5 (Section 4.2.5 Discard Restrictions) be selected as the preferred alternative to the skate plan (Dodge/McCann)
Carried 8/0/0
4. To keep limited access as a multi-year priority for the Council (Mr. Connors/Mr. McCann)
Carried 7/0/1