

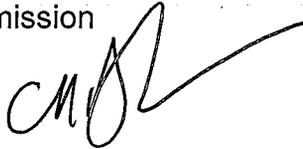
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## Memorandum

Date: February 27, 2015

To: Sonke Mastrup  
Executive Director  
Fish and Game Commission

From: Charlton H. Bonham  
Director



Subject: **Agenda Item for the March 16, 2015 Fish and Game Commission Teleconference Request to Amend Sections 1.73 and 27.75, and Subsection (c) of Section 27.80, Title 14, California Code of Regulations.**

The Pre-adoption Statement of Reasons, Re: Ocean Salmon Recreational Fishing – April Season, Recovery of Coded-Wire Tag from Salmon Heads, and Ocean Salmon Fishery Closures Around River Mouths, is being submitted to the Fish and Game Commission (Commission) to show that one public comment was received and no additional regulatory changes have been made since the public notice of the Initial Statement of Reasons (ISOR).

This package proposes to amend subsection 27.80 (c) to establish open fishing days, bag limits and minimum size restrictions for April 2015. It also amends two other sections to improve recreational salmon fisheries. Section 1.73 is amended to ensure the recovery of coded-wire tags from recreationally caught salmon and Section 27.75 is amended to include latitude and longitude coordinates to improve clarity and enforceability of existing river mouth closures of the Smith, Klamath and Eel rivers to ocean salmon fishing.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please contact Dr. Craig Shuman, Region Manager of the Marine Region, at (805) 568-1246 or at [Craig.Shuman@wildlife.ca.gov](mailto:Craig.Shuman@wildlife.ca.gov).

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