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From: Jonathan Shannon - NOAA Federal

Sent: Wednesday, October 14, 2015 8:40 AM

**To:** Taylor, Charlotte [USA]

Cc: DoD Natural Resources; Jennifer Schultz - NOAA Federal

Subject: Re: [External] Re: DoD/NOAA Quarterly Teleconference

# Good morning Charlotte,

Jennifer Schultz from our Endangered Species Division is leading the NOAA Fisheries portion of the proposed rule to list distinct population segments of green sea turtles. She and her FWS colleagues are looking for information on all DoD INRMPs that include green sea turtles, so they are aware of them as they consider critical habitat proposals. Could you add the below request to the agenda for our quarterly call later this month? She's sending it out to contacts she has as well, but we wanted to reach as many DoD natural resource managers as possible.

# Thank you, Jonathan

The National Marine Fisheries Service the US Fish and Wildlife Service (together, the Services) are discussing potential critical habitat for our proposed green sea turtle distinct population segments. We have not yet identified critical habitat areas, but before we do, we would like to know what Integrated Natural Resources Management Plans (INRMPs) are available for green turtles. Under the Endangered Species Act, we do not designate critical habitat on DoD areas where we conclude that an INRMP provides a benefit to the species:

(B)(i) The Secretary shall not designate as critical habitat any lands or other geographical areas owned or controlled by the Department of Defense, or designated for its use, that are subject to an integrated natural resources management plan prepared under section 101of the Sikes Act (16 U.S.C. 670a), if the Secretary determines in writing that such plan provides a benefit to the species for which critical habitat is proposed for designation (16 U.S.C. 1533(a)(3)(B)(i).

If you have an INRMP that includes green turtles, or if you plan on adding green turtles to an existing INRMP, please contact me at <a href="mailto:jennifer.schultz@noaa.gov">jennifer.schultz@noaa.gov</a> (301-427-8443).

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On Fri, Oct 9, 2015 at 4:07 PM, Taylor, Charlotte [USA] < Taylor Charlotte@bah.com > wrote:

Hi Jonathan,

The discussion topics you provided seem great. I'll see if the Military Services have any discussion topics to add, and I'll circle back with a meeting date and time once I know everyone's availability.

V/r,

Charlotte

From: Jonathan Shannon - NOAA Federal [mailto:jonathan.shannon@noaa.gov]

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Subject: [External] Re: DoD/NOAA Quarterly Teleconference

Hello Charlotte,

Our leadership is at an offsite meeting the 20th - 23rd, so we'd have to go with the latter dates. Of those, it looks like the 29th offers the most options right now: 11-12, 1-2, 3:30 - 4:30.

The morning of the 26th has 11-12pm and the 27th has 9-10am available as of now as well.

For discussion topics, we'd like to continue the discussion on 7(a)(1) from our last call and the ES roundtable meeting. We can also discuss the 5-yr

action plans for our Species in the Spotlight we plan to release later in the fall. These are plans highlighting specific actions we feel are needed in the next 5 years to slow, halt, or reverse the declining population trends for the 8 species.

Do those sound like good topics?

Best,

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On Tue, Oct 6, 2015 at 11:29 AM, Taylor, Charlotte [USA] < Taylor\_Charlotte@bah.com > wrote:

#### Hi Jonathan

We'd like to schedule the next DoD/NOAA quarterly teleconference in October. Are you available to participate in this meeting in the morning on October 19, 20, 23, 26, 27 or 29, or in the afternoon on October 19, 21, 23, 28 or 29? Also, do you have any discussion topics you'd like to raise during this meeting? Thanks in advance.

V/r,

Charlotte

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