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SUBJECT: Delegation of Authority from the Assistant Administrator

for Fisheries to the Regional Director, Northwest Region

TO: Financial Management Centers

1. Introduction: NOAA Directives Manual 05-60 delegates to the Assistant Administrator for Fisheries authority to issue implementing regulations under the Pacific Salmon Treaty Act of 1985 (16 U.S.C. 3631 et seq.). The Assistant Administrator may redelegate this authority by publication of a NOAA circular.

- 2. Delegation to the Regional Director, Northwest Region: The Assistant Administrator for Fisheries delegates the authority specified in paragraph 1 of this circular to the Regional Director, Northwest Region. This delegation authorizes the Regional Director to issue orders under 50 CFR Part 371.21 that establish fishing times and areas consistent with the Pacific Salmon Commission regime and in-season orders of the Fraser River Panel.
- 3. Redelegation of Authority: The Regional Director may redelegate the authority to issue orders as specified in paragraph 2 of this circular only to the Deputy Regional Director.

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