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| NOTIFICATION OF  PACIFIC COD FREEZER LONGLINE  MONITORING OPTION | | U.S. Department of Commerce  NOAA/National Marine Fisheries Service, Alaska Region  Post Office Box 21668  Juneau, Alaska 99802-1668  Fax: 907-586-7269  Telephone: 907-586-7131 | | | http://home.nmfs.noaa.gov/ocioweb/webguide/cdprint/images/logo-noaa.gif |
| **Note:** Selection must occur by **November 1**st for the upcoming year. Once selected, the vessel owner or operator must comply with the selected monitoring option for the entire year. | | | | | |
| ***BLOCK A – VESSEL INFORMATON*** | | | | | |
| 1. Name of Vessel | | | 2. Federal Fishery Permit No. | | |
| 3. Name of Owner or Operator (circle one) | | | | | |
| 4. Permanent Business Address: | | | | | |
| 5. Business Telephone Number: | 6. Business Fax Number: | | | 7. Business E-mail Address: | |
| ***BLOCK B – PACIFIC COD MONITORING OPTION*** | | | | | |
| Check one to indicate monitoring option:  [\_\_] Opt-out of directed fishing for Pacific cod in the BSAI and groundfish CDQ fishing | | | | | |
| [\_\_] Motion Compensated Scales    *If this option is chosen complete* :    Scale Inspection Request Form  <http://alaskafisheries.noaa.gov/index/comment/scales.asp>    Observer Sample Station Inspection Request Form  <http://alaskafisheries.noaa.gov/scales/samplestationreq.pdf>    Electronic Monitoring Inspection Request Form  <http://alaskafisheries.noaa.gov/sustainablefisheries/bycatch/salmon/chinook/forms/inspection_req.pdf> | | | | | |
| [\_\_] Increased Observer Coverage  *If this option is chosen complete:*  Observer Sample Station Inspection Request Form  <http://alaskafisheries.noaa.gov/scales/samplestationreq.pdf> | | | | | |
| Instructions  **NOTIFICATION OF PACIFIC COD**  **FREEZER LONGLINE MONITORING OPTION** | | | | | | |

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The notification form is available on the NMFS Alaska Region website (<http://alaskafisheries.noaa.gov>/).

***COMPLETING THE NOTIFICATION***

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2. Federal Fishery Permit No.

3. Name of Vessel Owner or Operator (circle one):

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**BLOCK B – PACIFIC COD MONITORING OPTION**

Check one to indicate monitoring option:

1. Opt-out of directed fishing for Pacific cod in the BSAI and groundfish CDQ fishing

2. Motion Compensated Scales

If this option is chosen complete :

Scale Inspection Request Form

http://alaskafisheries.noaa.gov/index/comment/scales.asp

Observer Sample Station Inspection Request Form

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