PROPOSAL 220

5 AAC 31.210. Shrimp pot fishing seasons for Registration Area E.

Modify the Prince William Sound Area commercial shrimp pot fishing seasons to separate commercial and noncommercial seasons, as follows:

(a) Shrimp may be taken from October 1st through December 31st.

What is the issue you would like the board to address and why? Separate personal use fishery from commercial fishery. This would allow for a winter fishery and not conflict with summer fisheries in PWS. Would coincide with SE commercial shrimp fishery.