

PROPOSAL 30

5 AAC 21.310. Fishing seasons.

Allow the Kamishak Bay District commercial salmon fishery to be opened prior to June 1 by emergency order, as follows:

5 AAC 21.310(b)(5).

(5) Kamishak Bay District: from June 1 until closed by emergency order; **or earlier by emergency order**

What is the issue you would like the board to address and why? Currently 5 AAC 21.310 Fishing Seasons (b) (5) Kamishak Bay District: from June 1 until closed by emergency order. There are significant sockeye returns in the Kamishak District (Mikfit Lake) that begin in late May and peak in mid-June. Allowing managers flexibility to open the Kamishak District salmon season earlier than June 1 by emergency order may improve harvest of this resource.

PROPOSED BY: Cook Inlet Seiners Association

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