

Agenda for the Scientific and Technical Committee Meeting

15th Annual Conference of the Parties to the Convention on the Conservation and Management of Pollock Resources in the Central Bering Sea

Virtual Meeting hosted by the U.S. Party
August 2010

1. Opening of the Conference
2. Appointment of the Rapporteur (U.S. will undertake this task)
3. Adoption of the Agenda
4. Discussion of Science Issues
 - 4.1 Update catch and effort statistics
 - 4.2 Review results of trial fishing
 - 4.3 Review results of research cruises
 - 4.4 Review the status of Aleutian Basin pollock stocks
 - 4.5 Factors affecting recovery of the stocks
 - 4.6 The effects of the moratorium and its continuation
 - 4.7 Methodologies to determine Allowable Biological Catch (ABC) and Allowable Harvest Level (AHL)
 - 4.8 Recommendation on AHL
 - 4.9 Research plans
5. Discussion of Enforcement and Management Issues
 - 5.1 Violations of the Convention
 - 5.2 Terms and Conditions for Trial Fishing for the following year
6. Other Issues and Recommendations
7. Report to the Annual Conference
8. Closing Remarks