



CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF  
FOOD & AGRICULTURE

A. G. Kawamura, Secretary

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## CONTINUATION OF THE CALIFORNIA SALMON COUNCIL

### **TO ALL COMMERCIAL SALMON VESSEL OPERATORS AND OTHER INTERESTED PARTIES:**

A Public Hearing on the continuation of the California Salmon Council was held on February 19, 2009. The Council law was made effective in 1989 for the purpose of promoting and expanding the use of California salmon and to negotiate the purchase of rights to take salmon. This is the fourth mandated hearing on the Council's continuation.

Based on our analysis of the testimony and evidence from the hearing, the Department of Food and Agriculture found that there was not a substantial question as to whether the Council has been fulfilling its purposes as outlined in the Council law and has issued an order continuing the California Salmon Council for up to five years, not extending beyond March 31, 2014.

For more information regarding the California Salmon Council you may contact David Goldenberg at the Salmon Council Office, P.O. Box 2255, Folsom, California, 95763-2255, at (916) 933-7050, or either Janyce Wong or me at the Marketing Branch at (916) 341-6005.

Sincerely,

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