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Advisory Announcement

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Bristol Bay Eastside Salmon Announcement #14 **Emergency Orders 19, 20, 21**

This is the Alaska Department of Fish & Game in King Salmon with an announcement for permit holders in the Naknek-Kvichak, Egegik, and Ugashik districts. The time is 3:00 p.m. and the date is Monday, June 29.

Naknek-Kvichak District

The Naknek River total escapement is 172,000, the Kvichak River total escapement is 140,000, and the Kvichak inriver estimate is 350,000 fish. Harvest on June 28 was 135,000 fish. The allocation is 45% drift, 31% Naknek set, and 24% Kvichak set.

The Naknek-Kvichak District will open to both drift and set gillnet gear for a 6-hour period from 1:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. Tuesday, June 30.

Egegik District

Egegik River total escapement is 390,000 and the inriver estimate is 50,000 fish. The harvest on June 28 was 489,000 fish.

The Egegik District will open to commercial fishing with drift gillnet gear for 5 hours from 11:30 p.m. Monday, June 29 to 4:30 a.m. Tuesday, June 30 and again for 5 hours from 11:45 a.m. to 4:45 p.m. Tuesday, June 30. Commercial fishing with set gillnet gear will open for 8 hours from 11:30 p.m. Monday, June 29 to 7:30 a.m. Tuesday, June 30 and again for 8 hours from 11:45 a.m. to 7:45 p.m. Tuesday, June 30.

Ugashik District

Ugashik River total escapement is 4,000. Inriver test fish indices show a large amount of passage into the river, which has yet to reach the counting tower. The harvest on June 28 was 260,000 fish.

The Ugashik District will open to commercial fishing with drift gillnet gear for 8 hours from 11:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. Tuesday, June 30. Commercial fishing with set gillnet gear will open for 12 hours from 11:00 a.m. to 11:00 p.m. Tuesday, June 30.

Permit holders in the Naknek-Kvichak, Egegik, and Ugashik districts should stand by at 3:00 p.m. Tuesday, June 30 for the next possible announcement.

This has been the Alaska Department of Fish and Game in King Salmon.

Connected EO's: 2F-T-19-26, 2F-T-20-26, 2F-T-21-26