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**January 23, 2017** -- The Alaska RFM Certification Draft Assessment Report for the re-certification of the Alaska salmon fishery is now available for registered stakeholder comment. The 30-day comment period runs from January 23, 2017 through February 21, 2017 at 5:00 PM Pacific.

Certification Body, Global Trust/SAI Global, is conducting the re-assessment for the Alaska salmon fishery. Registered stakeholders will be sent a copy of the report. Stakeholders can register to receive the report here:

[Alaska Salmon Draft Assessment Report for Re-Certification](#)

The Assessment Team appointed to the fishery assessment will review each comment submitted by stakeholders and determine if clarifications, updates or modifications to the report are necessary. The Certification Body will ultimately preside/govern over the final outcome on certification of a fishery consistent with accreditation requirements and the Certification Program's rules.

As a reminder, information is most useful to the assessment team when it is specific and includes constructive suggestions for improving existing situations. Also, supporting documentary evidence for any issues of concern will be greatly appreciated by the assessment team.

For further information on stakeholder involvement:

<http://www.alaskaseafood.org/rfm-certification/stakeholder-involvement/>

We welcome any feedback or questions you may have at [rfm@alaskaseafood.org](mailto:rfm@alaskaseafood.org)

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