Table C. Species managed under International Agreement.

| Stock<br>(Species in Bold are Major Stocks) | Jurisdiction                | Overfishing? (Is Fishing Mortality above Threshold?) | Overfished?<br>(Is Biomass below<br>Threshold?) | Approaching Overfished<br>Condition? |
|---------------------------------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| PACIFIC HALIBUT                             | PFMC and NPFMC <sup>1</sup> | No                                                   | No                                              | No                                   |

<sup>1.</sup> The resource is managed by treaty between the United States and Canada through recommendations of the International Pacific Halibut Commission. Pacific halibut is managed under the jurisdiction of the PFMC for WA, OR, and CA and under the jurisdiction of the NPFMC for Alaska.

Table D. Summary of stock status for species not contained in federal fishery management plans.

## NOTE: These stocks are not counted toward the total of overfished stocks.

| Stock<br>(Species in Bold are Major Stocks) | Jurisdiction | Overfishing?<br>(Is Fishing Mortality<br>above Threshold?) | Overfished?<br>(Is Biomass below<br>Threshold?) | Approaching Overfished Condition? |
|---------------------------------------------|--------------|------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| AMERICAN EEL                                | ASMFC        | Unknown                                                    | Unknown                                         | Unknown                           |
| AMERICAN LOBSTER - Gulf of Maine            | ASMFC        | No                                                         | No <sup>1</sup>                                 | Unknown                           |
| AMERICAN LOBSTER - Georges Bank             | ASMFC        | No                                                         | No <sup>1</sup>                                 | Unknown                           |
| AMERICAN LOBSTER - Southern New England     | ASMFC        | Yes                                                        | Depleted <sup>1</sup>                           | N/A                               |
| ATLANTIC CROAKER - Mid-Atlantic             | ASMFC        | No                                                         | No                                              | No                                |
| ATLANTIC CROAKER - South Atlantic           | ASMFC        | Unknown                                                    | Unknown                                         | Unknown                           |
| ATLANTIC MENHADEN                           | ASMFC        | No                                                         | No                                              | Unknown <sup>2</sup>              |
| HORSESHOE CRAB                              | ASMFC        | Unknown                                                    | Unknown                                         | Unknown                           |
| NORTHERN SHRIMP                             | ASMFC        | No                                                         | No                                              | Unknown <sup>2</sup>              |
| STRIPED BASS                                | ASMFC        | No                                                         | No                                              | Unknown <sup>2</sup>              |
| TAUTOG                                      | ASMFC        | Yes                                                        | Undefined                                       | Unknown                           |
| AMERICAN SHAD                               | ASMFC        | Unknown                                                    | Unknown                                         | Unknown                           |
| Hickory Shad                                | ASMFC        | Unknown                                                    | Unknown                                         | Unknown                           |
| RIVER HERRING                               | ASMFC        | Unknown                                                    | Unknown                                         | Unknown                           |
| Atlantic Sturgeon                           | ASMFC        | No <sup>3</sup>                                            | Yes                                             | N/A                               |

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| Stock<br>(Species in Bold are Major Stocks) | Jurisdiction | Overfishing?<br>(Is Fishing Mortality<br>above Threshold?) | Overfished?<br>(Is Biomass below<br>Threshold?) | Approaching Overfished<br>Condition? |
|---------------------------------------------|--------------|------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| SPOT                                        | ASMFC        | Unknown                                                    | Unknown                                         | Unknown                              |
| SPOTTED SEATROUT                            | ASMFC        | Unknown                                                    | Unknown                                         | Unknown                              |
| WEAKFISH                                    | ASMFC        | Unknown                                                    | Unknown                                         | Unknown                              |

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- 1. Stock status is based on Stock Assessment Report No. 06-03 (Supplement) of the ASMFC American Lobster Stock Assessment for Peer Review. In that report, overfished status is defined in terms of "biomass" in this table. Likewise, the report uses the term "depleted" rather than "overfished".
- 2. Although the biomass level is known, determining whether the stock is approaching an overfished condition requires an additional level of analysis which has not been done.
- 3. Fishing for Atlantic Sturgeon is prohibited, therefore, there is no fishing mortality.