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MEMORANDUM FOR: The Record  
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SUBJECT: 2006 IFQ/CDQ Halibut and Sablefish Allocations

The following tables show amounts of Pacific halibut and sablefish available for the 2006 Individual Fishing Quota (IFQ) and Community Development Quota (CDQ) fisheries. Halibut amounts were adopted by the International Pacific Halibut Commission at its January, 2006 meeting, and reflect the catch sharing plan implemented by the North Pacific Fishery Management Council.

**2006 IFQ and CDQ HALIBUT ALLOCATIONS\***

Area	Total Net Pounds	IFQ Percent	IFQ Pounds	CDQ Percent	CDQ Pounds
2C	10,630,000	100	10,630,000	0	0
3A	25,200,000	100	25,200,000	0	0
3B	10,860,000	100	10,860,000	0	0
4A	3,350,000	100	3,350,000	0	0
4B	1,670,000	80	1,336,000	20	334,000
4C **	1,610,000	50	805,000	50	805,000
4D **	1,610,000	70	1,127,000	30	483,000
4E **	330,000	0	0	100	330,000
All Areas	55,260,000		53,308,000		1,952,000

\* Halibut weights are net weights (head off, gutted).

\*\* Allocations in these areas result from the Catch-Sharing Plan.



2006 IFQ SABLEFISH ALLOCATIONS\*

Area	Fixed Gear Round Mt	IFQ Percent	IFQ Round mt	IFQ Pounds
AI	2,250	80	1,800	3,968,280
BS	1,410	80	1,128	2,486,789
BSAI	3,660		2,928	6,455,069
CG	5,096	100	5,096	11,234,642
SE	3,520	100	3,520	7,760,192
WG	2,136	100	2,136	4,709,026
WY	1,990	100	1,990	4,387,154
GOA	12,742		12,742	28,091,013
All Areas	16,402		15,670	34,546,083

\* Sablefish weights are round weights. CDQ fisheries receive 20 percent of the BS and AI fixed gear sablefish allocations.

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