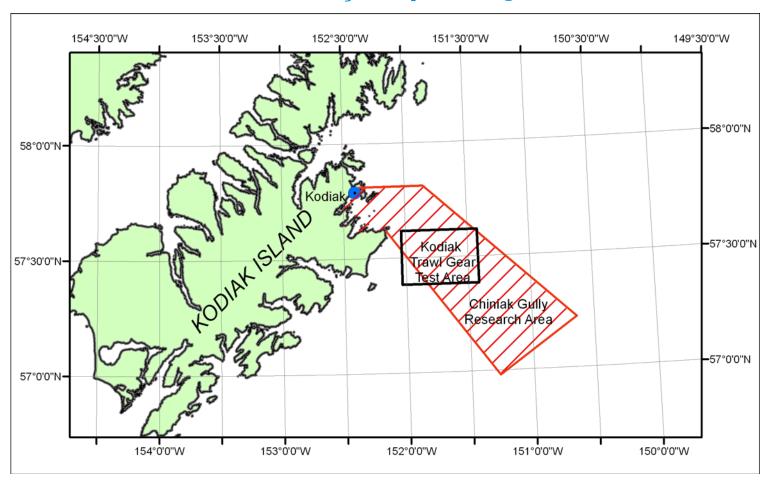
Small Entity Compliance Guide



The National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS) published final regulations that

CLOSE

The Chiniak Gully Research Area
To All Commercial Trawl Fishing
Including Testing Trawl Gear

AUGUST 1

To No Later Than

SEPTEMBER 20

Each Summer 2006-2010

NMFS will notify the public if the closure is rescinded prior to Sept. 20 during any year.

The Chiniak Gully Research Area is defined as the waters bounded by straight lines connecting the coordinates in the order listed:

57° 48.60 N lat., 152° 22.20 W long.;

 $57^{\circ}~48.60~N$ lat., $151^{\circ}~51.00~W$ long.;

57° 13.20 N lat., 150° 38.40 W long.;

56° 58.80 N lat., 151° 16.20 W long.;

57° 37.20 N lat., 152° 09.60 W long.; and hence counterclockwise along the shoreline of Kodiak Island to

 57° 48.60 N lat., 152° 22.20 W long.

For further information, or to read the regulations (50 CFR § 679.22(b)(6)), please contact NMFS Alaska Region at (907) 586-7228, or visit the NMFS Alaska Region website at http://www.fakr.noaa.gov.

Small Entity Compliance Guide: NMFS has provided this small entity compliance guide to satisfy the Small Business Regulatory Enforcement Fairness Act of 1996, which requires a plain language guide to assist small entities in complying with this rule. This synopsis provides a general overview as a public service. For exact regulatory language, please refer to the final rule.