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The North Pacific Fishery Management Council's Steller Sea Lion Mitigation Committee (Committee) will meet in Seattle, Washington on July 16-17, 2012 from 9 AM-5 PM Alaska Standard Time. The purpose of the meeting is to receive updates on recent research relevant to SSLs in the Aleutian Islands. The meeting will take place at the Alaska Fisheries Science Center, in the National Marine Mammal Laboratory conference room in Building 4. Please note that all attendees will be required to show state or federal identification at the security gate, and also again at the door to building 4.

Agenda July 16		
9:00	Welcome, introductions, briefings	
9:15 – 9:30	Review June 14-15 meeting & approve minutes	Cotter
9:30 – 10:00	Update on EIS progress	Brown
10:00 – 10:45	Update on status quo analysis	Keaton & Lewis
10:45 – 11:00	Break	
11:00 – 12:00	Recent Catch information from Areas 541, 542, 543	Lewis & Keaton
12:00 – 1:30	Lunch	
1:30 – 2:00	Public Testimony	
2:00 – 3:00	Steller sea lion abundance trends through 2011 (with limited data from 2012). Pup/non-pup counts and regional trends for wDPS	Fritz
3:00 – 3:15	Break	
3:15 – 4:15	Continue SSL abundance presentation Brand – resight results for wDPS	Fritz
4:15 – 5:00	CIE Review panel	MacLean

Agenda July 17

9:00	Summary of Day 1 – review any questions	Cotter
9:30 – 10:30	Presence and abundance of mammal-eating killer whales in the Aleutian Islands	Wade
10:30 – 10:45	Break	
10:45 – 11:30	FIT – Recent program information and review of previous results	Logerwell
11:30 – 12:00	Recent SSL Telemetry results Results from adult female and juveniles	Fadely
12:00 – 1:30	Lunch	
1:30 – 2:00	Public Testimony	
2:00 – 3:00	LHX tags & survival estimates	Horning
3:00 – 3:15	Break	
3:15 – 4:00	Update on SSL feeding in AI	Zeppelin
5:00	Adjourn	