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Protected Species Event Log

Write ***PSI comments*** and ***PSI Identifying Characteristics*** for specific Protected Species Event Log records in the Comments Log.

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Event Type Codes

B Behavior
C Contact
S Scan Count
X Event Ended

Vessel Activity Codes

01 Gear Retrieval
02 Gear Set
03 Gear Drift/Soak
04 Pre-Set Preparation
05 Post Haul Clean-up
06 Running
07 Other

Sighting Method Codes

01 Sighted with naked eye
02 Sighted with binoculars
03 Sighted by capt./crew, then Observer
04 Sighted by capt. or crew only
09 Other

Weather Codes

01 Clear
02 Partly cloudy
03 Layers of clouds
04 Drizzle
05 Showers
06 Rain
07 Thunderstorms
08 Rain and fog
09 Fog/thick haze
10 Snow, rain/snow mix
99 Other

Most Common Protected Species

Code	*English Name*
681	Black-Footed Albatross
682	Laysan Albatross
601	Other Identified Bird
504	Loggerhead Sea Turtle
505	Olive Ridley Sea Turtle
506	Leatherback Sea Turtle
502	Green Sea Turtle
500	Unid. Hard Shell Sea Turtle
742	False Killer Whale
746	Risso's Dolphin
743	Short-Finned Pilot Whale
731	Bottlenose Dolphin
755	Humpback Whale

Behavior Codes

01 Physical contact w/gear
02 Attempt, no contact
03 Near gear, within 50 m
04 Near gear, 51 to 150 m
05 More than 150m from gear
08 Bow riding
09 Breaching
10 Swimming at surface
12 Motionless at surface
15 Feeding on discard
16 Feeding from gear
99 Other

Condition Codes

01 Unknown
02 Alive, not injured
03 Injured
04 Died
05 Dead, fresh
06 Decomposed

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