

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration NATIONAL MARINE FISHERIES SERVICE NORTHEAST REGION One Blackburn Drive Gloucester, MA 01930-2298

May 6, 2008

Dear Federal Permit Holder:

This letter is a reminder that if you intend to establish eligibility for a limited access Atlantic herring permit, you must submit an application for a limited access Atlantic herring permit no later than May 31, 2008. If you do not submit a complete application by May 31, 2008, your vessel will be permanently ineligible to be considered for a limited access Atlantic herring permit.

If you would like a limited access Atlantic herring permit application, please phone our permit office at 978-281-9370 to request an application or visit our website at http://www.nero.noaa.gov/nero/nr/nrdoc/07/07hernewpermit.pdf to download an application.

Sincerely,

for: Patricia A. Kurkul Regional Administrator

Peter Colori

