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ICY BAY SUBDISTRICT DIRECTED LINGCOD FISHERY CLOSURE

The directed fishery for lingcod will close in the entire Icy Bay Subdistrict (IBS) at 11:59 p.m., Monday, June 26, 2023. The 2023 directed lingcod fishery guideline harvest level (GHL) for the IBS area is 46,000 round pounds. Based on reported landings and communication with the fleet, the department anticipates the GHL will be taken at the time of the closure.

The directed lingcod fishery is closed in all other waters for the 2023 season. Updates of area closures for all lingcod bycatch fisheries are available on the Groundfish Hotline at 907-747-4882.

The Emergency Order corresponding with this announcement is EO 1G0723.

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