furtherance of the NCCoE. For this demonstration project, NCEP partners will not be given priority for participation.

Capabilities Assessment for Securing Manufacturing Industrial Control Systems Objective: This is the first of a four-part series designed to provide businesses with the information they need to establish an anomaly detection and prevention capability in their own environments. This project will be using commercially available hardware/software deployed on an established lab infrastructure. The goal of this project is to provide businesses with a cybersecurity example solution that can be implemented or that can inform improved cybersecurity in their manufacturing processes. Implementing behavioral anomaly detection tools provides a key security component in sustaining business operations, particularly those based on Industrial Control Systems (ICS). One of the ways to disrupt operations is to introduce anomalous data into a manufacturing process, whether deliberately or inadvertently. Although the example solution will focus on cybersecurity, our example solution may also produce residual benefit to manufacturers for detecting anomalous conditions not related to security. A detailed description of the *Capabilities Assessment for Securing Manufacturing Industrial Control Systems* Project is available at *https://nccoe.nist.gov/projects/use_cases/capabilities-assessment-securing-manufacturing-industrial-control-systems.*

Requirements: Each responding organization's letter of interest should identify which security platform component(s) or capability(ies) it is offering. Letters of interest should not include company proprietary information, and all components and capabilities must be commercially available. Components are listed in the High-Level Architectures section of the *Capabilities Assessment for Securing Manufacturing Industrial Control Systems* use case (for reference, please see the link in the Process section above) and include, but are not limited to:

- ICS behavioral anomaly detection tools.
- Human Machine Interfaces (HMIs).
- Programmable Logic Controllers (PLCs).
- Security Information and Event Management (SIEM) platform.

Each responding organization's letter of interest should identify how their products address one or more of the following desired solution characteristics in the High-Level Architectures section of the *Capabilities Assessment for Securing Manufacturing Industrial Control Systems* use case (for reference, please see the link in the Process section above):

- Detection of anomalous conditions.
- Process and/or device damage prevention.
- SIEM-based alerting/alarming capability.

In their letters of interest, responding organizations need to understand and commit to provide:

1. Access for all participants' project teams to component interfaces and the organization's experts necessary to make functional connections among security platform components; and

2. Support for development and demonstration of the *Capabilities Assessment for Securing Manufacturing Industrial Control Systems* for the Manufacturing sector use case in NCCoE facilities, which will be conducted in a manner consistent with Federal requirements (*e.g.,* FIPS 200, FIPS 201, SP 800–53, and SP 800–63).

Additional details about the *Capabilities Assessment for Securing Manufacturing Industrial Control Systems* for the Manufacturing sector use case are available at: *https://nccoe.nist.gov/projects/use_cases/capabilities-assessment-securing-manufacturing-industrial-control-systems.* NIST cannot guarantee that all of the products proposed by respondents will be used in the demonstration. Each prospective participant will be expected to work collaboratively with NIST staff and other project participants under the terms of the consortium CRADA in the development of the *Capabilities Assessment for Securing Manufacturing Industrial Control Systems* for the Manufacturing sector capability. Prospective participants' contribution to the collaborative effort will include assistance in establishing the necessary interface functionality, connection and set-up capabilities and procedures, demonstration harnesses, environmental and safety conditions for use, integrated platform user instructions, and demonstration plans and scripts necessary to demonstrate the desired capabilities. Each participant will train NIST personnel, as necessary, to operate its product in capability demonstrations to the manufacturing community. Following successful demonstrations, NIST will publish a description of the security platform and its performance characteristics sufficient to permit other organizations to develop and deploy security platforms that meet the security objectives of the *Capabilities Assessment for Securing Manufacturing Industrial Control Systems* for the Manufacturing sector use case. These descriptions will be public information.

Under the terms of the consortium CRADA, NIST will support development of interfaces among participants' products by providing IT infrastructure, laboratory facilities, office facilities, collaboration facilities, and staff support to component composition, security platform documentation, and demonstration activities.

The dates of the demonstration of the *Capabilities Assessment for Securing Manufacturing Industrial Control Systems* for the Manufacturing sector capability will be announced on the NCCoE Web site at least two weeks in advance at *http://nccoe.nist.gov/.* The expected outcome of the demonstration is to improve security to manufacturing environments that employ the use of ICS, and subsequent adoption of behavioral anomaly detection tools by industry. Participating organizations will benefit from the knowledge that their products are interoperable with other participants' offerings.

For additional information on NCCoE governance, business processes, and operational structure, visit the NCCoE Web site *http://nccoe.nist.gov/.*

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NIST Chief of Staff.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

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Mid-Atlantic Fishery Management Council (MAFMC); Public Meeting

AGENCY: National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS), National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), Commerce.

ACTION: Notice of a public meeting.

SUMMARY: The Mid-Atlantic Fishery Management Council (Council) will hold public meetings of the Council and its Committees.

DATES: The meetings will be held on Tuesday, April 11 through Thursday, April 13, 2017. For agenda details, see **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION**.

ADDRESSES: The meetings will be held at the Icona Golden Inn, 7849 Dune Drive, Avalon, NJ 08202; telephone: (609) 368–5155.

Council address: Mid-Atlantic Fishery Management Council, 800 N. State

Street, Suite 201, Dover, DE 19901; telephone: (302) 674–2331 or on their Web site at *www.mafmc.org.*

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Christopher M. Moore, Ph.D., Executive Director, Mid-Atlantic Fishery Management Council, telephone: (302) 526–5255.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The following items are on the agenda, though agenda items may be addressed out of order (changes will be noted on the Council's Web site when possible).

Agenda

Tuesday, April 11, 2017

River Herring & Shad Committee

- Review draft metrics for river herring and shad conservation.

State of the Ecosystem and EAFM

- Report on the state of the Mid-Atlantic portion of the Northeast Large Marine Ecosystem, continue discussion and development of EAFM Risk Matrix, and discuss next steps in EAFM development/implementation.

Law Enforcement Reports

Chub Mackerel Amendment

- Review amendment development and scoping plans.

Wednesday, April 12, 2017

Ricks E Savage Award

Golden Tilefish Specifications

- Review SSC, Monitoring Committee, Advisory Panel, and staff recommendations regarding 2018–20 specifications.
- Adopt recommendations for 2018–20.

Blueline Tilefish Specifications

- Review SSC, Monitoring Committee, Advisory Panel, and staff recommendations regarding 2018–19 specifications.
- Adopt recommendations for 2018–19.

A Review of Potential Approaches for Managing Marine Fisheries in a Changing Climate Presentation

Hudson Canyon Sanctuary Proposal

- Presentation, discussion and comment.

Update on Standardized Bycatch Reporting Methodology

- Challenges faced in 2016–17 and plans for 2017–18.

Industry Funded Monitoring (IFM) Amendment

- Consider previous action on IFM Amendment.
- Possible adoption of IFM Amendment.

Thursday, April 13, 2017

Business Session

The day will conclude with Committee Reports, the Executive Director's Report, the Science Report, brief reports from the National Marine Fisheries Service's GARFO and the Northeast Fisheries Science Center, NOAA's Office of General Counsel, the ASMFC, the New England and South Atlantic Fishery Council's liaisons and the Regional Planning Body Report, and discuss any continuing and/or new business.

Special Accommodations

This meeting is physically accessible to people with disabilities. Requests for sign language interpretation or other auxiliary aids should be directed to M. Jan Saunders, (302) 526–5251, at least 5 days prior to the meeting date.

Dated: March 20, 2017.

Jeffrey N. Lonergan,

Acting Deputy Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, National Marine Fisheries Service.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

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Fisheries of the Gulf of Mexico and the South Atlantic; Southeast Data, Assessment, and Review (SEDAR); Public Meeting

AGENCY: National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS), National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), Commerce.

ACTION: Notice of SEDAR 48 Post-Data Workshop webinar for Southeastern U.S. black grouper.

SUMMARY: The SEDAR 48 assessment process of Southeastern U.S. black grouper will consist of a Data Workshop, an Assessment Workshop and a series of assessment webinars, and a Review Workshop. See **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION**.

DATES: The SEDAR 48 post-Data Workshop webinar will be held April 11, 2017, from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. Eastern Time.

ADDRESSES: The meeting will be held via webinar. The webinar is open to members of the public. Those interested in participating should contact Julie A. Neer at SEDAR (see **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT**) to request an invitation providing webinar access information. Please request webinar invitations at least 24 hours in advance of each webinar.

SEDAR address: 4055 Faber Place Drive, Suite 201, North Charleston, SC 29405.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Julie A. Neer, SEDAR Coordinator; (843) 571–4366; email: *Julie.neer@safmc.net.*

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Gulf of Mexico, South Atlantic, and Caribbean Fishery Management Councils, in conjunction with NOAA Fisheries and the Atlantic and Gulf States Marine Fisheries Commissions have implemented the Southeast Data, Assessment and Review (SEDAR) process, a multi-step method for determining the status of fish stocks in the Southeast Region. SEDAR is a multi-step process including: (1) Data Workshop, (2) a series of assessment webinars, and (3) A Review Workshop. The product of the Data Workshop is a report that compiles and evaluates potential datasets and recommends which datasets are appropriate for assessment analyses. The assessment webinars produce a report that describes the fisheries, evaluates the status of the stock, estimates biological benchmarks, projects future population conditions, and recommends research and monitoring needs. The product of the Review Workshop is an Assessment Summary documenting panel opinions regarding the strengths and weaknesses of the stock assessment and input data. Participants for SEDAR Workshops are appointed by the Gulf of Mexico, South Atlantic, and Caribbean Fishery Management Councils and NOAA Fisheries Southeast Regional Office, HMS Management Division, and Southeast Fisheries Science Center. Participants include data collectors and database managers; stock assessment scientists, biologists, and researchers; constituency representatives including fishermen, environmentalists, and NGO's; International experts; and staff of Councils, Commissions, and state and federal agencies.

The items of discussion during the pre-data workshop webinar are as follows:

Panelists will present finalized data for review and recommendation.

Although non-emergency issues not contained in this agenda may come before this group for discussion, those issues may not be the subject of formal action during this meeting. Action will be restricted to those issues specifically identified in this notice and any issues arising after publication of this notice