

**ACTION:** Notice of public meeting.

**SUMMARY:** The Pacific Fishery Management Council's (Pacific Council) Coastal Pelagic Species Management Team (CPSMT) and Coastal Pelagic Species Advisory Subpanel (CPSAS) will hold public meetings.

**DATES:** The CPSMT meeting will be held Wednesday, February 28, 2024, from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m., Pacific standard time or until business for the day has been completed.

The CPSAS meeting will be held Monday, March 4, 2024, from 9 a.m. to 12 p.m., Pacific standard time or until business for the day has been completed.

**ADDRESSES:** These meetings will be held online. Specific meeting information, including directions on how to join the meeting and system requirements will be provided in the meeting announcement on the Pacific Council's website (see [www.pcouncil.org](http://www.pcouncil.org)). You may send an email to Mr. Kris Kleinschmidt ([kris.kleinschmidt@noaa.gov](mailto:kris.kleinschmidt@noaa.gov)) or contact him at (503) 820-2412 for technical assistance.

*Council address:* Pacific Fishery Management Council, 7700 NE Ambassador Place, Suite 101, Portland, OR 97220-1384.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Jessi Doeringhaus, Staff Officer, Pacific Council; telephone: (503) 820-2415.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The primary purpose of the CPSMT and CPSAS online meetings are to discuss and develop work products and recommendations for the Pacific Council's March 2024 meeting. Topics will include reviewing the California Current Ecosystem report and fishery ecosystem plan initiatives. Other items on the Pacific Council's March agenda may be discussed as well. The meeting agendas will be available on the Pacific Council's website in advance of the meetings. No management actions will be decided by the CPSMT or CPSAS. CPSMT and CPSAS recommendations will be considered by the Pacific Council at their March Council meetings.

Although non-emergency issues not contained in the meeting agenda may be discussed, those issues may not be the subject of formal action during these meetings. Action will be restricted to those issues specifically listed in this document and any issues arising after publication of this document that require emergency action under section 305(c) of the Magnuson-Stevens Fishery Conservation and Management Act, provided the public has been notified of

the intent to take final action to address the emergency.

### Special Accommodations

Requests for sign language interpretation or other auxiliary aids should be directed to Mr. Kris Kleinschmidt ([kris.kleinschmidt@noaa.gov](mailto:kris.kleinschmidt@noaa.gov); (503) 820-2412) at least 10 days prior to the meeting date.

*Authority:* 16 U.S.C. 1801 *et seq.*

Dated: February 7, 2024.

**Rey Israel Marquez,**

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

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## DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

### National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

#### Agency Information Collection Activities; Submission to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for Review and Approval; Comment Request; NMFS Observer Programs' Information That Can Be Gathered Only Through Questions; Correction

**AGENCY:** National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), Commerce.

**ACTION:** Notice of information collection; correction.

**SUMMARY:** On December 19, 2023, the Department of Commerce, published a 30-day public comment period notice in the **Federal Register** for an information collection entitled "NMFS Observer Programs' Information That can be Gathered Only Through Questions." This document referenced incomplete information in the Needs and Uses section, and Commerce hereby issues a correction notice as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995.

**ADDRESSES:** This information collection request may be viewed at [www.reginfo.gov](http://www.reginfo.gov). Follow the instructions to view the Department of Commerce collections currently under review by OMB.

Written comments and recommendations for the proposed information collection should be submitted within 30 days of the publication of this notice on the following website [www.reginfo.gov/public/do/PRAMain](http://www.reginfo.gov/public/do/PRAMain). Find this particular information collection by selecting "Currently under 30-day Review—Open for Public Comments" or by using the search function and entering either the title of the collection or the OMB Control Number 0648-0593.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** For additional information concerning this correction, contact Adrienne Thomas, NOAA PRA Officer, at [NOAA.PRA@noaa.gov](mailto:NOAA.PRA@noaa.gov).

### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

#### Correction

In the **Federal Register** of December 19, 2023 in FR Doc. 2023-27834, on page 87753, in the third column, correct the third paragraph of the "Needs and Uses" section to read:

The information collected will be used: (1) to monitor catch and bycatch in federally managed commercial fisheries; (2) to understand the population status and trends of fish stocks and protected species, as well as the interactions between them; (3) to determine the quantity and distribution of net benefits derived from living marine resources; (4) to predict the biological, ecological, and economic impacts of existing management action and proposed management options; (5) to ensure that the observer programs can safely and efficiently collect the information required for the previous four uses; and (6) for criminal and/or civil investigations by law enforcement agencies. In particular, these biological and economic data collection programs contribute to legally mandated analyses required under the Magnuson-Stevens Fishery Conservation and Management Act (MSA), the Endangered Species Act (ESA), the Marine Mammal Protection Act (MMPA), the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA), the Regulatory Flexibility Act (RFA), Executive Order 12866 (E.O. 12866), as well as a variety of state statutes. The confidentiality of the data will be protected as required by the MSA, section 402(b).

**Sheleen Dumas,**

*Department PRA Clearance Officer, Office of the Under Secretary for Economic Affairs, Commerce Department.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

### National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

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#### Magnuson-Stevens Act Provisions; Fisheries of the Northeastern United States; Northeast Multispecies Fishery; Approved Monitoring Service Providers

**AGENCY:** National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS), National Oceanic and

Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), Commerce.

**ACTION:** Notice of approved Northeast multispecies at-sea and electronic monitoring service providers for fishing year 2024.

**SUMMARY:** NMFS has approved nine companies to provide Northeast multispecies sector at-sea catch monitoring (ASM) and/or electronic catch monitoring (EM) services in fishing year 2024. Regulations implementing the Northeast Multispecies Fishery Management Plan require ASM and EM companies to meet service provider performance standards to be approved by NMFS to provide catch monitoring services to sectors. This action approves service providers that sectors may contract with for catch monitoring services for fishing year 2024.

**DATES:** Northeast multispecies at-sea and electronic monitoring service provider approvals are effective May 1, 2024, through April 30, 2025.

**ADDRESSES:** The list of NMFS-approved sector monitoring service providers is available at: <https://www.fisheries.noaa.gov/resource/data/observer-providers-northeast-and-mid-atlantic-programs>.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Heather Nelson, Fishery Management Specialist, (808) 725-5179, email [Heather.Nelson@noaa.gov](mailto:Heather.Nelson@noaa.gov).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The Northeast Multispecies Fishery Management Plan includes a requirement for industry-funded monitoring of catch by sector vessels. NMFS approves independent third-party service providers with which sectors may contract to provide ASM and/or EM services to their vessels. NMFS requires full applications for approval from ASM and EM companies that are not currently approved to be a

service provider. Previously approved ASM and EM companies are not required to submit a full application to maintain their approval status if they continue to meet all service provider performance standards and submit required updated information annually. The required updated information to maintain approval includes an updated Emergency Action Plan, evidence of adequate insurance coverage, and, if applicable, any updates to staffing or operations. Regulations at 50 CFR 648.11(h) describe the criteria for approval of ASM and EM service provider applications. NMFS approves service providers based on: (1) Completeness and sufficiency of applications; and (2) determination of the applicant's ability to meet the performance requirements of a sector monitoring service provider. Once approved, service providers must meet specified performance requirements outlined in § 648.11(h)(5) and (6), including required coverage levels, in order to maintain eligibility. NMFS must notify service providers, in writing, if NMFS withdraws approval for any reason.

**Approved Monitoring Service Providers**

On September 28, 2023, NMFS announced an opportunity for new monitoring companies to apply for approval to provide ASM and/or EM services in fishing year 2024, and an opportunity for currently approved providers to submit updated documentation to maintain their approval status in fishing year 2024. NMFS previously approved nine companies to provide catch monitoring services to the Northeast multispecies sectors in fishing year 2023. Five of the nine approved companies provide both ASM and EM services: A.I.S., Inc.; East West Technical Services, LLC; Fathom Research, LLC; New England Marine Monitoring; and Saltwater, Inc. The

other four approved companies provide EM services only: Archipelago Marine Research, Ltd.; Flywire Cameras; Satlink US, LLC; and Teem Fish Monitoring, Inc.

All currently approved ASM and EM companies continue to meet all service provider performance standards, submitted all required documentation, and are therefore approved service providers for fishing year 2024. We did not receive any new ASM or EM provider applications. Table 1 includes the revised list of approved monitoring service providers.

NMFS has the authority to remove a service provider from its approved status in accordance with the regulations at § 648.11(h)(7). A monitoring service provider that fails to meet the requirements, conditions, and responsibilities will be notified in writing that it is subject to removal from the list of approved monitoring service providers. Withdrawing approval of a service provider will be based on an evaluation of the service providers ability to meet the third-party catch monitoring provider standards in § 648.11(h)(5) and (6). NMFS will closely monitor the performance of approved service providers, and will withdraw approval during the current approval term if it determines performance standards are not being met.

NMFS did not solicit applications to provide dockside monitoring (DSM) services related to the maximized retention EM program. NMFS is currently evaluating whether to operate the maximized retention EM program in fishing year 2024. NMFS will continue to administer the DSM program if it is operational in fishing year 2024. In future fishing years, NMFS intends to solicit applications to be an approved DSM provider when the DSM program transitions to industry-funding.

TABLE 1—APPROVED PROVIDERS FOR FISHING YEAR 2024

Provider	Services	Address	Phone	Fax	Website
A.I.S., Inc. ....	ASM/EM .....	540 Hawthorn St., Dartmouth, MA 02747 .....	508-990-9054	508-990-9055	<a href="https://aisobservers.com/">https://aisobservers.com/</a> .
Archipelago Marine Research, Ltd..	EM .....	525 Head St., Victoria, BC V9A 5S1, Canada .....	250-383-4535	250-383-0103	<a href="https://www.archipelago.ca/">https://www.archipelago.ca/</a> .
East West Technical Services, LLC.	ASM/EM .....	91 Point Judith Rd., Suite 26 Unit 347, Narragansett, RI 02882.	860-910-4957	860-223-6005	<a href="https://www.ewts.com/">https://www.ewts.com/</a> .
Fathom Resources, LLC ...	ASM/EM .....	855 Aquidneck Ave., Unit 9, Middletown, RI 02842	508-990-0997	508-858-5383	<a href="https://fathomresources.com/">https://fathomresources.com/</a> .
Flywire Cameras .....	EM .....	PO Box 55048, Lexington, KY 40511 .....	888-315-7796	502-861-6568	<a href="https://www.flywirecameras.com/">https://www.flywirecameras.com/</a> .
New England Marine Monitoring.	ASM/EM .....	350 Commercial St., Portland, ME 04101 .....	508-269-8138	none	<a href="https://www.nemarinemonitoring.com/">https://www.nemarinemonitoring.com/</a> .
Saltwater, Inc. ....	ASM/EM .....	733 N St., Anchorage, AK 99501 .....	907-276-3241	907-258-5999	<a href="https://www.saltwaterinc.com/">https://www.saltwaterinc.com/</a> .
Satlink US, LLC .....	EM .....	16423 Sawgrass Drive, Rehoboth Beach, DE 19971	703-447-5287	none	<a href="https://www.satlink.es/en/">https://www.satlink.es/en/</a> .
Teem Fish Monitoring, Inc.	EM .....	309 2nd Ave., Suite 363, Prince Rupert, BC V8J 3T1, Canada.	778-884-2598	none	<a href="https://teem.fish/">https://teem.fish/</a> .

**Note:** ASM/EM = At-sea and electronic monitoring; EM = Electronic monitoring only.

*Authority:* 16 U.S.C. 1801 *et seq.*

Dated: February 7, 2024.

**Everett Wayne Baxter,**

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

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## DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

### Office of the Secretary

#### Defense Health Board; Notice of Federal Advisory Committee Meeting

**AGENCY:** Under Secretary of Defense for Personnel and Readiness (USD(P&R)), Department Defense (DoD).

**ACTION:** Notice of Federal advisory committee meeting.

**SUMMARY:** The DoD is publishing this notice to announce that the following Federal advisory committee meeting of the Defense Health Board (DHB) will take place.

**DATES:** Open to the public Tuesday, March 5, 2024 from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. (EST).

**ADDRESSES:** The address of the open meeting is 8111 Gatehouse Rd, Room 345, Falls Church, VA 22042. The meeting will be held both in-person and virtually. To participate in the meeting, see the Meeting Accessibility section for instructions.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** CAPT Shawn Clausen, 703-275-6060 (voice), [shawn.s.clausen.mil@health.mil](mailto:shawn.s.clausen.mil@health.mil) (email). Mailing address is 7700 Arlington Boulevard, Suite 5101, Falls Church, Virginia 22042. Website: <https://www.health.mil/dhb>. The most up-to-date changes to the meeting agenda can be found on the website.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** This meeting is being held under the provisions of chapter 10 of title 5, United States Code (U.S.C.) (commonly known as the "Federal Advisory Committee Act" or "FACA"), 5 U.S.C. 552b (commonly known as the "Government in the Sunshine Act"), and 41 CFR 102-3.140 and 102-3.150.

*Availability of Materials for the Meeting:* Additional information, including the agenda, is available on the DHB website, <https://www.health.mil/dhb>. A copy of the agenda or any updates to the agenda for the March 5, 2024, meeting will be available on the DHB website. Any other materials presented in the meeting may also be obtained at the meeting.

*Purpose of the Meeting:* The DHB provides independent advice and recommendations to maximize the

safety and quality of, as well as access to, health care for DoD health care beneficiaries. The purpose of the meeting is to provide progress updates on specific tasks before the DHB. In addition, the DHB will receive information briefings on current issues related to military medicine.

*Agenda:* The DHB anticipates receiving a decision briefing on Prolonged Theater Care. The DHB also expects an update from the DHB Public Health Subcommittee's tasking on Effective Public Health Communication Strategies with DoD personnel, as well as a panel discussion on Artificial Intelligence opportunities and risks in healthcare.

*Meeting Accessibility:* Pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 552b and 41 CFR 102-3.140 through 102-3.165 and subject to the availability of space, this meeting will be held in-person and virtually and is open to the public from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Seating and virtual participation is limited and is on a first-come basis. All members of the public who wish to participate must register by emailing their name, rank/title, and organization/company to [dha.dhb@health.mil](mailto:dha.dhb@health.mil) or by contacting Mr. Rubens Lacerda at (703) 275-6012 no later than Tuesday, February 27, 2024. Additional details will be required from all members of the public attending in-person that do not have Gatehouse building access. Once registered, participant access information will be provided.

*Special Accommodations:* Individuals requiring special accommodations to access the public meeting should contact Mr. Rubens Lacerda at least five (5) business days prior to the meeting so that appropriate arrangements can be made.

*Written Statements:* Any member of the public wishing to provide comments to the DHB related to its current taskings or mission may do so at any time in accordance with section 10(a)(3) of the FACA, 41 CFR 102-3.105(j) and 102-3.140, and the procedures described in this notice. Written statements may be submitted to the DHB's Designated Federal Officer (DFO), CAPT Clausen, at [shawn.s.clausen.mil@health.mil](mailto:shawn.s.clausen.mil@health.mil). Supporting documentation may also be included, to establish the appropriate historical context and to provide any necessary background information. If the written statement is not received at least five (5) business days prior to the meeting, the DFO may choose to postpone consideration of the statement until the next open meeting. The DFO will review all timely submissions with the DHB President and ensure they are provided to members of the DHB before the meeting that is subject to this notice.

After reviewing the written comments, the President and the DFO may choose to invite the submitter to orally present their issue during an open portion of this meeting or at a future meeting.

Dated: February 6, 2024.

**Aaron T. Siegel,**

*Alternate OSD Federal Register Liaison Officer, Department of Defense.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

### Department of the Navy

#### Board of Visitors, Marine Corps University; Notice of Federal Advisory Committee Meeting

**AGENCY:** Department of the Navy (DoN), Department of Defense (DoD).

**ACTION:** Notice of open meeting.

**SUMMARY:** The Board of Visitors of the Marine Corps University (BOV MCU) will meet to review, develop and provide recommendations on all aspects of the academic and administrative policies of the University; examine all aspects of professional military education operations; and provide such oversight and advice, as is necessary, to facilitate high educational standards and cost-effective operations. The Board will be focusing primarily on the internal procedures of Marine Corps University.

**DATES:** The meeting will be held on Tuesday, March 26, 2024, from 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. and Wednesday, March 27, 2024, from 08:30 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. Eastern Standard Time.

**ADDRESSES:** The meeting will be held at Marine Corps University, Quantico Base, VA 22134. All sessions of the meeting will be open to the public via Microsoft Teams:

[https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-join/19%3ameeting\\_ZGM4N2ZlMjktZTA4My00ZGRhLWExMzMtZWExM2Q5ZWNiMDRh%40thread.v2/0?context=%7b%22Tid%22%3a%2294e5a9ba-bbdc-4274-843d-164a71fd8ad3%22%2c%22oid%22%3a%2298226ead-f252-4ec9-be22-f1e63a4979eb%22%7d](https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-join/19%3ameeting_ZGM4N2ZlMjktZTA4My00ZGRhLWExMzMtZWExM2Q5ZWNiMDRh%40thread.v2/0?context=%7b%22Tid%22%3a%2294e5a9ba-bbdc-4274-843d-164a71fd8ad3%22%2c%22oid%22%3a%2298226ead-f252-4ec9-be22-f1e63a4979eb%22%7d)

Meeting ID: 271 429 125 705

Passcode: Pi9auH

Or call in (audio only): +1 323-792-6328, United States, Los Angeles

Phone Conference ID: 505 125 129#

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

Dr. Kim Florich, Alternate Designated Federal Officer, Marine Corps University Board of Visitors, 2076 South