MEMORANDUM

TO: Council, SSC and AP

FROM: Chris Oliver
Executive Director

DATE: January 24, 2012

SUBJECT: Documents for February meeting

PLEASE BRING TO MEETING:

Discussion paper on data collection for CGOA trawl catch share program (C3a)
Discussion paper CGOA trawl catch share program (C3b)
Initial review of BSAI Flatfish Specifications Flexibility (C2b)
Initial review of GOA Pacific cod sideboards for FLL (C2c)

Other items of interest:

OIG Final Report - Streamlining the Rulemaking Process and Improve Transparency and Consistency in Fisheries Management

Draft Division Enforcement Priorities for 2013: The document will be available for the next 60 days at: http://www.nmfs.noaa.gov/ole/enforcement_priorities.html You can email us your comments at enforcementpriorities@noaa.gov or mail them to NOAA’s Office of Law Enforcement, attention Tracy Dunn, 8484 Georgia Ave., Suite 415, Silver Spring, MD 20910.

To be posted and copied for briefing books next week:
Discussion Paper on Definition of a Fishing Guide (D1) (will be recopied for books)
Review discussion paper on Bristol Bay red king crab (C1b)
Discussion paper on crab bycatch limits in BSAI groundfish fisheries (C2a)