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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON AT SEATTLE

WILD FISH CONSERVANCY

Plaintiff,

v.

BARRY THOM, et al.,

Defendants,

and

ALASKA TROLLERS ASSOCIATION and STATE OF ALASKA,

Defendants.

Case No. 20-cv-417-RAJ

ORDER ADOPTING REPORT AND RECOMMENDATION

The Court, having reviewed the Report and Recommendation of the Honorable Michelle L. Peterson, United States Magistrate Judge, any objections thereto, and the remaining record, hereby finds and ORDERS as follows:

- (1) The Report and Recommendation is approved and adopted;
- (2) Plaintiff's Motion for Summary Judgment (Dkt. # 91) is GRANTED. Judge Peterson will submit an additional report and recommendation to the Court considering an appropriate remedy for Defendants' violations of section 7(a)(2) of the Endangered Species Act and the National Environmental Policy Act.
- (3) Defendants' Cross-Motion (Dkt. # 93), Defendant-Intervenors Alaska Trollers Association's Cross-Motion (Dkt. # 92), and the State of Alaska's Cross-Motion (Dkt. # ORDER 1

94) are DENIED; and

(4) The Clerk is directed to send copies of this Order to the parties.

DATED this 8th day of August, 2022.

The Honorable Richard A. Jones United States District Judge

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