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To whom it may concern:

I'm an avid saltwater fisherman and I'm very concerned about the Bluefish population. There haven't been any Bluefish in New England waters for over 10 years. The south has very low population of bluefish as well.

We had severe Cod fish depletion a few years ago but when the new laws took affect, they came back in heavy numbers. This is what the bluefish need. I want future populations to have the same opportunity as I did many years ago to hear that drag rip. Please STOP the netting and rod fishing for Bluefish for 2 years.

Thanks Bud Aiken

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