SERO Protected Resources: For Alternative 5 (doc entitled: Alternative 5 for SG Regulatory Amendment 16_MapRevision02212014) we made 4 changes: 1) we changed the names in the legend to make them easier to read and to refer to "large whales" instead of just right whales, 2) we added the state names to map for added clarity, 3) we removed one of the waypoints (two waypoints were essentially on top of each other in the previous map), and 4) we are proposing a change in the language in the text of the alternative. Previously, the last line of the text stated: "The closure applies to all areas annually from November 1-April 30." Clearly, this map is only showing one area, so we proposed changing this to state: "The closure applies to the area annually from November 1-April 30."

Alternative 5. The black sea bass pot closure applies to waters inshore of points A-O listed below; approximately Ponce Inlet, Florida, to Cape Hatteras, North Carolina. The closure applies ~~to all areas~~ **to the area** annually from November 1-April 30.

NOTE: We propose this change since only one area is shown in the map.

Western Boundary Coordinates for the Proposed Black Sea Bass Pot Closure

Point	N Latitude	W Longitude
A	35°15.19′ N	at shoreline
B	35°15.19'	75°12'
C	34°51'	75°45'
D	34°21'	76°18'
E	34°21' N	76°45'
F	34°12'	77°21'
G	33°37'	77°47
H	33°28'	78°33
I	32°59'	78°50'
J	32°17'	79°53'
K	31°31'	80°33'
L	30°43'	80°49'
M	30°30'	81°01'
N	29°45'	81°01'
O	29°00'	at shoreline

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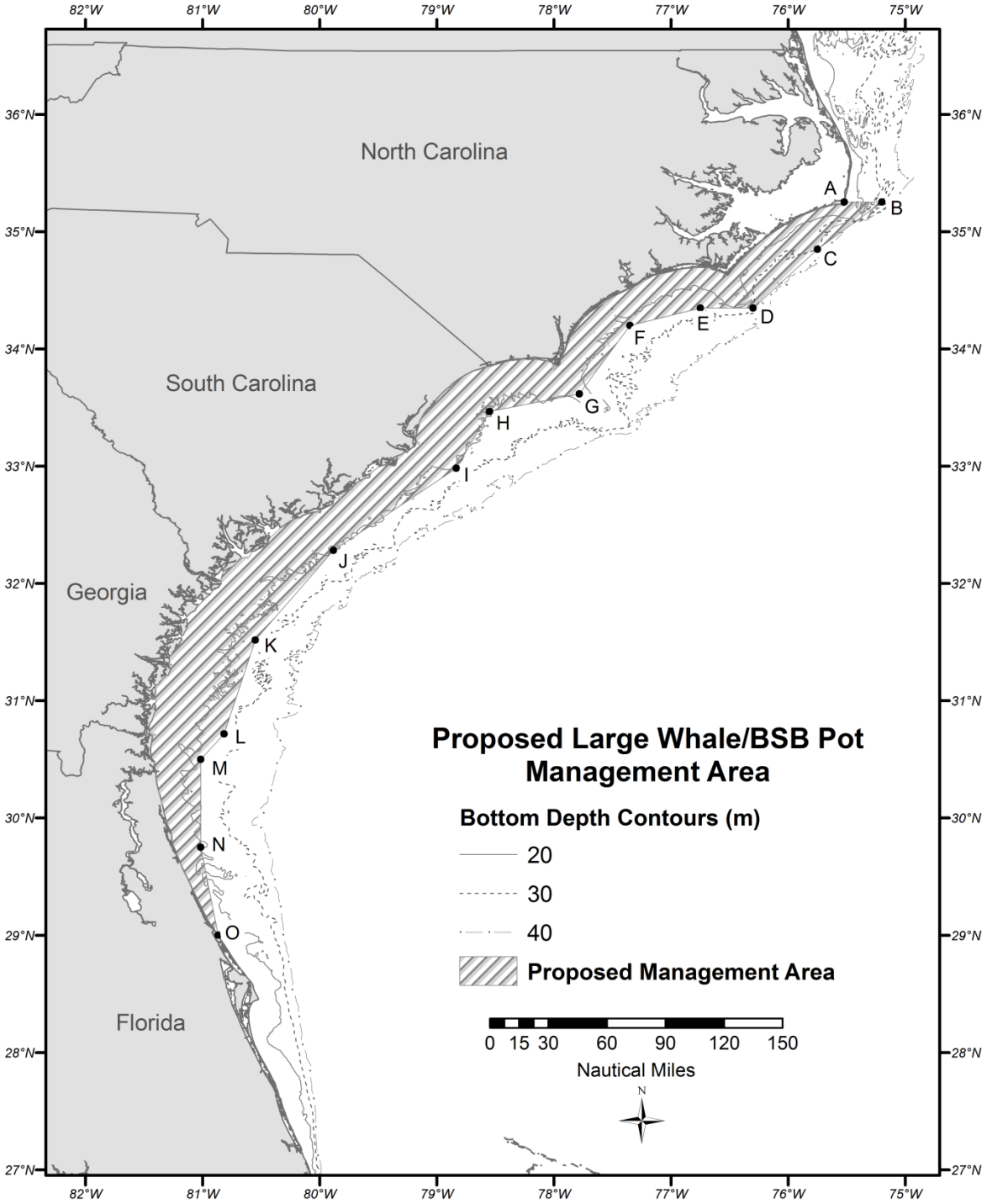
Proposed Large Whale/BSB Pot Management Area
Bottom Depth Contours (m)
20
30
40
Proposed Management Area
0 15 30 60 90 120 150
Nautical Miles
N
North Carolina
South Carolina
Georgia
Florida
A
B
C
D
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