Update on Southeast Region Commercial Electronic Logbook Reporting – Pilot Study

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E-logbook Pilot

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Pilot Project Description and Timeline
- Initial project stage (pilot testing) will involve:
    - Hiring contractors to perform outreach and equipment installation
    - Working with vendors on equipment specifications & systems requirements
    - Testing & modifying the available software for use in the SEFSC region
    - Outreach effort to recruit fishermen to test system
    - Testing the prototype systems on coastal (Gulf & South Atlantic) & pelagic (Atlantic) fisheries
- Estimated duration of initial project stage is 12-18 months which started last August 2013 (estimate one month delay due to shutdown and contracting changes)

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- Update on Pilot Project Activities:
    - SEFSC staff are developing data standards, which will have to be met by vendors (delayed due to government shutdown)
    - Outreach specialist and marine technician still need to be hired (negotiating with contract office)
    - Started working with four vendors to identify system requirements and modifications needed (delayed)
    - Ten PCs and Four tablets already purchased for testing e-logbook system prototypes
    - Selection criteria for the 10 vessel participating in this pilot project is currently being developed (delayed)
- Once feasibility of prototype is established, full-scale implementation of Commercial Electronic Logbook Reporting Project can commence in 2016 depending on future budget allocation & priorities

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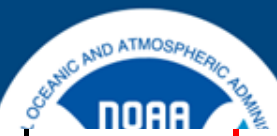
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Modifications to Existing Paper Logbook

- Modifications were made (mainly to the economic section) to support timely reporting:

See next slide
for details

Modifications to Existing Paper Logbooks:

2013 SE COASTAL FISHERIES TRIP REPORT FORM

TRIP EXPENSE & PAYMENT SECTION: MANDATORY FOR SELECTED VESSELS.   See Instructions on the Bottom of Page 3.

Owner Operated? Yes ☐ No ☐	Gal. of Fuel Used This Trip	Price per Gallon $ ☐.☐☐	Trip Fuel Cost $ ~~XXX~~ .00	Trip Tackle & Supplies (approximate) $ ~~XXX~~ .00
Trip Bait Cost $ .00	Trip Ice Cost $ .00	Trip Grocery Expense $ .00	IFQ Allocation Leased for This Trip Only $ .00
Trip Misc. Expenses $ .00	Captain Share Payout $ ~~XXX~~ .00	Crew Share Payout $ ~~XXX~~ .00	Total Trip Revenue $ .00

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Grocery Expense $ .00	Misc. Trip Expenses $ .00		IFQ Allocation Purchased for This Trip $ .00
Has the payment for your catch been determined? Yes ☐ No ☐	If Yes, Total Trip Revenue $ .00		Total Payment to HIRED Crew and Captain $ .00

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Required only IF answer is YES