## Overview Golden Crab Committee

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The Committee will receive a report regarding the "expression of interest" in a catch share program and discuss whether the Committee wishes to proceed with the development of Amendment 6 and the catch share program. If the Committee chooses to proceed with Amendment 6, the Committee will be given chance to modify Amendment 6, recommend the full Council approve it for formal review, and deem the codified text as necessary and appropriate. The Committee will address issues under Other Business as appropriate.

## Expression of Interest in Catch Shares (Attachment 1a & b)

The Committee will receive an oral report about the outcome of the "expression of interest" in the catch share program under development as requested by the Council at the March 2012 meeting. Additionally, the two attachments (**Attachments 2a and 2b**) are letters received by the Council from permit holders who did not qualify to participate in the "expression of interest" in the catch shares program.

**REQUIRED COMMITTEE ACTION:** Decide whether to recommend the full Council continue with the development or approval Amendment 6 for formal secretarial review.

## Amendment 6/EA (golden crab; Attachments 2a-f)

At the March 2012 meeting, the Council made changes to Amendment 6. Using the Decision Document (*Attachment 2a*) Council staff will provide an overview of the changes to the document since the March 2012 Council meeting and capture any further changes the Committee wishes to recommend to the Council. Amendment 6 is scheduled to be approved for submission to the Secretary of Commerce for formal review at the June 2012 meeting.

**REQUIRED COMMITTEE ACTION:** Modify draft Amendment 6 as appropriate, approve for formal review and deem the codified text necessary and appropriate.

## **Other Business**

The Committee will address items under Other Business as appropriate.

**REQUIRED COMMITTEE ACTION:** Discuss and take action as necessary.