Overview Law Enforcement Committee

Sea Palms Resort & Conference Center 5445 Fredrica Road St. Simons Island, GA March 5-6, 2012

The Committee will: (A) receive a report from the February 2013 Joint Meeting of the Law Enforcement and Information & Education Advisory Panels, (B) receive a report from the February 2013 meeting of the Law Enforcement Advisory Panel, and (C) address issues under Other Business as appropriate.

A. Joint Meeting of the Law Enforcement and Information & Education Advisory Panels (Attachment 1a)

The Committee will receive a brief update from Council staff on outcomes of the joint meeting of the I&E AP and the LEAP. The APs met jointly on February 6th in Charleston, SC. Items on the agenda included an overview of Vessel Monitoring System outreach and Snapper Grouper Amendment 30; updates on the SAFMC Regulations Mobile App and the SAFMC website upgrade, particularly a Law Enforcement FAQ page; and an update on NOAA OLE website improvements. Council staff will present a more detailed overview of recommendations to the Information and Education Committee.

REQUIRED COMMITTEE ACTION: Discuss and take action as necessary.

B. Law Enforcement Advisory Panel Meeting Report (Attachment 1b)

Council staff will present a summary of the discussions during the LEAP meeting that took place on February 7th, 2013. Items on the LEAP's agenda include overviews of several amendments under development and updates on recently completed and future amendments.

REQUIRED COMMITTEE ACTION: Discuss and take action as necessary.

C. Other Business

Items of interest to the Committee will be discussed, as appropriate.