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I would like to submit the following as public comment directed at the Public Hearing, Nov 12, 2019-

**Part 1, section 1.6(A)(1)(b)(2)**

I would like the language be modified to read as follows:

“Any over-harvest from a previous year sub-period will be deducted from the allocation to that corresponding sub-period of the current year when redistributing according to the species-specific management plan”.

**(Part 3, section 3.7.2(A) and (B))**

I believe the daily limit of 50 lbs. should be maintained throughout the year, with the additional quota being applied proportionally among the sub-periods.

**Presentation item 5 (Part 3, section 3.10.2)**

Commercial Management of Summer Flounder:

I recommend that the starting possession limit for all three sub-periods should be 100lbs./vessel/day/7 days per week, with allocations as follows: Winter I, Jan 1 – April 30 @ 54%, Summer, May 1 – Sept 15 @ 35%, Winter II, Sept 16 – Dec 31 @ 11%.

Thank You-

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