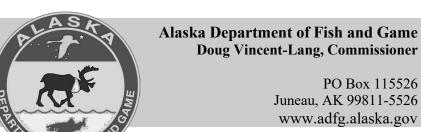
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## COMMERCIAL SALMON FISHING IN SOUTHERN NORTON SOUND

Subdistricts 5 and 6 will open for two 12-hour periods from 7:00 a.m. until 7:00 p.m. on Saturday, July 23, and Sunday, July 24. These commercial fishing periods are pink salmon directed periods with gillnets restricted to 4 ½ inches, or smaller, mesh size and 100 fathoms of net in aggregate length. King salmon caught during the directed pink salmon fishery in Subdistricts 5 and 6 may be retained for personal use but may not be sold. Any king salmon retained for personal use by commercial fishermen must be recorded on the fish ticket.

The pink salmon run is sufficient to allow for pink salmon commercial fishing in Subdistricts 5 and 6 based on the buyer's capacity.

Permit holders are reminded to check with the buyer to make sure there is market for their catch.