

PROPOSAL 209

5 AAC 21.368. Big River Sockeye Salmon Management Plan.

Amend the waypoint location for Light Point on Kalgin Island, as follows:

5 AAC 21.368 is amended to read:

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(b) Salmon may be taken in waters of the Kustatan Subdistrict along the mainland shore from the terminus of the Kustatan River, southwest to the southern boundary of the subdistrict, and in the Kalgin Island Subdistrict along the western shore from Light Point at **60° 28.96' N; 151° 50.10' W long** [60° 29.00' N. LAT., 151° 50.50' W. LONG.] to the Kalgin Island Light on the southern end of Kalgin Island at 60° 20.80' N. lat., 152° 05.09' W. long.

What is the issue you would like the board to address and why?

This proposal seeks to amend the waypoint location of Light Point on Kalgin Island for boundary clarification and remove confusion associated with old regulatory waypoints. For example, the location for “Light Point” that is referenced in this regulation puts the waypoint up in the trees hundreds of feet from any beach. This appears to be an error when old waypoint datums were converted to new standards. The department recommends changing Light Point to a location just east of the waypoint listed in the United States Coast Guard Light List.

PROPOSED BY: Alaska Department of Fish and Game

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