

Dated: February 24, 2014.

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*Director, Registration Division, Office of
Pesticide Programs.*

Therefore, 40 CFR chapter I is
amended as follows:

PART 180—[AMENDED]

■ 1. The authority citation for part 180
continues to read as follows:

Authority: 21 U.S.C. 321(q), 346a and 371.

■ 2. In § 180.617, paragraph (a), revise
the following entries in the table to read
as follows:

§ 180.617 Metconazole; tolerances for residues.

(a) * * *

Commodity	Parts per million
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Corn, field, stover	30
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Corn, pop, stover	30
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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

50 CFR Part 622

[Docket No. 120404257-3325-02]

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Fisheries of the Caribbean, Gulf of Mexico, and South Atlantic; 2014 Commercial Accountability Measure and Closure for South Atlantic Golden Tilefish Longline Component

AGENCY: National Marine Fisheries
Service (NMFS), National Oceanic and
Atmospheric Administration (NOAA),
Commerce.

ACTION: Temporary rule; closure.

SUMMARY: NMFS implements
accountability measures for the
commercial longline component for
golden tilefish in the exclusive
economic zone (EEZ) of the South
Atlantic. Commercial longline landings
for golden tilefish, as estimated by the
Science and Research Director (SRD),
are projected to reach the longline
component's commercial annual catch

limit (ACL) on March 5, 2014.

Therefore, NMFS closes the commercial
longline component for golden tilefish
in the South Atlantic EEZ on March 5,
2014, and it will remain closed until the
start of the next fishing season, January
1, 2015. This closure is necessary to
protect the golden tilefish resource.

DATES: This rule is effective 12:01 a.m.,
local time, March 5, 2014, until 12:01
a.m., local time, January 1, 2015.

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The
snapper-grouper fishery of the South
Atlantic includes golden tilefish and is
managed under the Fishery
Management Plan for the Snapper-
Grouper Fishery of the South Atlantic
Region (FMP). The FMP was prepared
by the South Atlantic Fishery
Management Council and is
implemented under the authority of the
Magnuson-Stevens Fishery
Conservation and Management Act by
regulations at 50 CFR part 622.

On April 23, 2013, NMFS published
a final rule for Amendment 18B to the
FMP (78 FR 23858). Amendment 18B to
the FMP established a longline
endorsement program for the
commercial golden tilefish component
of the snapper-grouper fishery and
allocated the commercial golden tilefish
ACL among two gear groups, the
longline and hook-and-line components.

The commercial ACL (commercial
quota) for the longline component for
golden tilefish in the South Atlantic is
405,971 lb (184,145 kg), gutted weight,
for the current fishing year, January 1
through December 31, 2014, as specified
in 50 CFR 622.190(a)(2)(iii).

Under 50 CFR 622.193(a)(1)(ii), NMFS
is required to close the commercial
longline component for golden tilefish
when the longline component's
commercial ACL (commercial quota)
has been reached, or is projected to be
reached, by filing a notification to that
effect with the Office of the Federal
Register. After the commercial ACL for
the longline component is reached or
projected to be reached, golden tilefish
may not be fished for or possessed by
a vessel with a golden tilefish longline
endorsement. NMFS has determined
that the commercial ACL (commercial
quota) for the longline component for
golden tilefish in the South Atlantic will
have been reached by March 5, 2014.
Accordingly, the commercial longline
component for South Atlantic golden
tilefish is closed effective 12:01 a.m.,
local time, March 5, 2014, until 12:01
a.m., local time, January 1, 2015.

During the commercial longline
closure, golden tilefish may still be
harvested commercially using hook-
and-line gear. However, vessels with
golden tilefish longline endorsements
are not eligible to fish for golden tilefish
using hook-and-line gear under the
hook-and-line trip limit, as specified in
50 CFR 622.191(a)(2)(ii). The operator of
a vessel with a valid commercial vessel
permit for South Atlantic snapper-
grouper and a valid commercial longline
endorsement for golden tilefish having
golden tilefish onboard must have
landed and bartered, traded, or sold
such golden tilefish prior to 12:01 a.m.,
local time, March 5, 2014.

Classification

The Regional Administrator,
Southeast Region, NMFS, has
determined this temporary rule is
necessary for the conservation and
management of South Atlantic golden
tilefish and is consistent with the
Magnuson-Stevens Act, the FMP, and
other applicable laws.

This action is taken under 50 CFR
622.193(a)(1) and is exempt from review
under Executive Order 12866.

These measures are exempt from the
procedures of the Regulatory Flexibility
Act because the temporary rule is issued
without opportunity for prior notice and
comment.

This action responds to the best
available scientific information recently
obtained from the fishery. The Assistant
Administrator for Fisheries, NOAA,
(AA), finds that the need to immediately
implement this action to close the
commercial longline component for
golden tilefish constitutes good cause to
waive the requirements to provide prior
notice and opportunity for public
comment pursuant to the authority set
forth in 5 U.S.C. 553(b)(B), as such
procedures would be unnecessary and
contrary to the public interest. Such
procedures would be unnecessary
because the rule itself has been subject
to notice and comment, and all that
remains is to notify the public of the
closure.

Allowing prior notice and
opportunity for public comment is
contrary to the public interest because
of the need to immediately implement
this action to protect golden tilefish
since the capacity of the fishing fleet
allows for rapid harvest of the
commercial ACL (commercial quota) for
the longline component. Prior notice
and opportunity for public comment
would require time and would
potentially result in a harvest well in
excess of the established commercial
ACL (commercial quota) for the longline
component.

For the aforementioned reasons, the AA also finds good cause to waive the 30-day delay in the effectiveness of this action under 5 U.S.C. 553(d)(3).

Authority: 16 U.S.C. 1801 *et seq.*

Dated: February 28, 2014.

James P. Burgess,

Acting Deputy Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, National Marine Fisheries Service.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

50 CFR Part 660

[Docket No. 130528511-4171-03]

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Fisheries off West Coast States; Pacific Coast Groundfish Fishery Management Plan; Commercial, Limited Entry Pacific Coast Groundfish Fishery; Program Improvement and Enhancement; Correction

AGENCY: National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS), National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), Commerce.

ACTION: Final rule; correcting amendment.

SUMMARY: This action contains two corrections to the limited entry Pacific coast groundfish fishery's Program Improvement and Enhancement (PIE 2) regulations that published in the **Federal Register** on November 15, 2013. This document adds a Vessel Limit table that was inadvertently deleted and revises a section to replace language that was inadvertently removed by the Pacific coast groundfish fishery's Cost Recovery final rule that published December 11, 2013.

DATES: This rule is effective March 5, 2014.

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Background

The Program Improvement and Enhancement rule (PIE 2) implemented revisions to the Pacific coast groundfish trawl rationalization program (program), a catch share program, and included clarifications of regulations that affect

the limited entry trawl and limited entry fixed gear sectors managed under the Pacific Coast Groundfish Fishery Management Plan (FMP). Additional background information regarding each of these revisions and clarifications was described in detail in the proposed rule (78 FR 43125, July 19, 2013) and in the final rule (78 FR 68764, November 15, 2013), and that information is not repeated here.

An error in amendatory language resulted in the deletion of the Vessel Limit table at § 660.140 (e)(4)(i). This correction restores the Vessel Limit table to § 660.140 (e)(4)(i) following the introductory paragraph.

Implementation of the Cost Recovery Program for the Pacific coast groundfish trawl rationalization program (78 FR 75268, December 11, 2013) revised regulations at § 660.140 (f)(6) by adding a requirement that cost recovery fees be paid before a first receiver site license will be reissued ("NMFS will not reissue a first receiver site license until all required cost recovery program fees, as specified at § 660.115, associated with that license have been paid."). At the time the cost recovery final rule published, the PIE 2 final rule had published but was not yet effective, and the existing paragraph at § 660.140 (f)(6) had not been revised to reflect necessary changes implemented by PIE 2 to the first receiver site license renewal process. Consequently, in addition to adding a necessary requirement for cost recovery at § 660.140 (f)(6), the cost recovery final rule also overwrote necessary revisions contained in the PIE 2 regulations. This correction revises § 660.140 (f)(6) to reinstate language that was implemented by PIE 2 (78 FR 68764, November 15, 2013) and incorrectly removed by the cost recovery rule (78 FR 75268, December 11, 2013); the correction includes the language added by the Cost Recovery final rule ("NMFS will not reissue a first receiver site license until all required cost recovery program fees, as specified at § 660.115, associated with that license have been paid").

Classification

The Assistant Administrator (AA) for Fisheries, NOAA, finds that pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 553(b)(B), there is good cause to waive prior notice and an opportunity for public comment on this action, as notice and comment would be unnecessary, and contrary to the public interest. This document adds a Vessel Limit table that was incorrectly deleted

at § 660.140 (e)(4)(i) and revises § 660.140 (f)(6) to replace language that was incorrectly removed or revised by 78 FR 75268 (December 11, 2013). Providing notice and comment on these changes is unnecessary because all are non-substantive and have no effect on the public or the operation of the fishery. Moreover, allowing inconsistencies in regulatory text is contrary to the public interest, because it could affect the enforceability of the regulations, and because inaccurate regulations could lead to public confusion and potentially to incorrect behavior. For the same reasons above, the AA finds good cause under 5 U.S.C. 553(d)(3) to waive the 30-day delay in effectiveness and makes this rule effective immediately upon publication.

List of Subjects in 50 CFR Part 660

Fisheries, Fishing, and Indian fisheries.

Dated: February 28, 2014.

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Deputy Assistant Administrator for Operations, National Marine Fisheries Service.

For the reasons set out in the preamble, 50 CFR part 660 is corrected by making the following correcting amendments:

PART 660—FISHERIES OFF WEST COAST STATES

■ 1. The authority citation for part 660 continues to read as follows:

Authority: 16 U.S.C. 1801 *et seq.*, 16 U.S.C. 773 *et seq.*, and 16 U.S.C. 7001 *et seq.*

2. In § 660.140, revise paragraphs (e)(4)(i) and (f)(6) to read as follows:

§ 660.140 Shorebased IFQ Program.

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(4) * * *

(i) *Vessel limits.* For each IFQ species or species group specified in this paragraph, vessel accounts may not have QP or IBQ pounds in excess of the QP vessel limit (annual limit) in any year, and, for species covered by unused QP vessel limits (daily limit), may not have QP or IBQ pounds in excess of the unused QP vessel limit at any time. The QP vessel limit (annual limit) is calculated as all QPs transferred in minus all QPs transferred out of the vessel account. The unused QP vessel limits (daily limit) is calculated as unused available QPs plus any pending outgoing transfer of QPs.