

AMENDMENT 3 TO THE SUSTAINABLE HARVEST SECTOR I OPERATIONS PLAN

APPROVED BY NOAA’S NATIONAL MARINE FISHERIES SERVICE JULY 9, 2020

EFFECTIVE JULY 9, 2020, THROUGH APRIL 30, 2021

This amendment strikes all language in this operations plan under Section 2.5 “Confidential Data Statement” and replaces it with the following:

Pursuant to section 402(b)(1)(F) of the Magnuson-Stevens Fishery Conservation and Management Act, 16 U.S.C §1881a(b)(1)(F), the undersigned hereby authorizes the release to the manager of Sustainable Harvest Sector I, and the FishTrax Programmer, of information that may be or is considered to be confidential or privileged by the Magnuson-Stevens Act or other federal law regarding the catch of various species of fish associated with the limited access Northeast multispecies permit with the Moratorium Right Identifiers (MRIs) enrolled in the sector submitted to the National Marine Fisheries Service in compliance with 50 CFR 648.7 and §648.87 that the undersigned has authority to access. This information includes data required to be submitted to or collected by NMFS, including but not limited to days-at-sea allocation and usage, vessel trip reports, dealer reports, Northeast Fishery Observer Program data, catch and landings history data, at-sea monitoring data, VMS information, and all other information associated with the vessel, MRI #, and/or permit records.

Any person identified in Section 1.2 of this Operations Plan may access confidential sector data. This confidential data statement applies for FYs 2019 and 2020.