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Fisheries Service, and Gary F. Locke, Secretary of the United States Department of Commerce (collectively "NMFS"):

WHEREAS, pursuant to the parties' Joint Case Management Statement (Doc. No. 24) and this Court's Scheduling Order (Doc. Nos. 35-36), NMFS filed the Administrative Record on January 15, 2010 (Doc. No. 40);

WHEREAS, under the Scheduling Order, Plaintiffs are required to file any motion regarding the Administrative Record by March 21, 2010;

WHEREAS, the parties have discussed the Administrative Record and have agreed to supplementation of the Record;

WHEREAS, NMFS needs additional time to supplement the Record and Plaintiffs need additional time to review the supplement, and to incorporate the supplement into their opening brief;

WHEREAS, NMFS counsel has an unavoidable scheduling conflict from May 14 to 26, 2010;

WHEREAS, no previous extensions of time have been sought by any party;

NOW, THEREFORE, Plaintiffs and Federal Defendants stipulate to modify the briefing schedule in this matter as follows:

- NMFS shall lodge its supplement to the Administrative Record no later than March 26, 2010. NMFS shall lodge the supplement on compact disk and shall provide a courtesy paper copy to the Court.
- 2. Any motion regarding the contents of the Administrative Record shall be filed no later than April 2, 2010. The filing of such a motion shall vacate any briefing schedule on summary judgment.
- 3. Plaintiffs shall file their opening summary-judgment brief no later than April 2, 2010.
- 4. Federal Defendants shall file their opening summary-judgment brief no later than June 4, 2010.
- 5. Plaintiffs shall file their response-reply brief no later than June 25, 2010.

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1	6. Federal Defendants shall file their reply brief no later than July 19, 2010.		
2	7. The hearing on cross-motions for summary judgment shall remain set for July 30, 2010		
3	9:00 a.m. be set for August 12, 2010 at 2:00 p.m.		
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5	Dated: March 18, 2010	Respectfully submitted,	
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5	PURSUANT TO STIPULATION, IT IS SO ORDERED.	
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8 9	Dated: March 19, 2010	Elizah R. D. Laporte
10		UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE
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Defendants.)		
I hereby certify that on March 18,	, 2010, I electronically filed the foregoing		
STIPULATION AND [PROPOSED] ORDER with the Clerk of the Court via the CM/ECF			
system, which will send notification of such to the attorneys of record.			
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