FILING ORGANIZATION: LOWER ELWHA KLALLAM TRIBE

4.6 SHRIMP REGULATION FOR REGION 1
The following regulation is promulgated by the Lower Elwha Klallam Tribe Treaty Council and shall govern the commercial shrimp fisheries conducted off-reservation and on subtidal public lands by the Lower Elwha Klallam Tribe, The term of this regulation is from March 1, 2024 through February 28, 2025, and is intended to regulate harvest by these member Tribes in shrimp management region 1 under provisions of Paragraph 4.6 of the U.S. District Court Order of August 28, 1995 (Implementation Order) in U.S. v Washington, Sub-proceeding 89-3. In the event the region 1 shrimp management plan is completed before the end of this regulation term, this regulation will be superseded by a new regulation conforming to the provisions of the region 1

REGULATION NUMBER: S24-034

DATE ADOPTED: JULY 12, 2024

REGULATION MODIFIED/ REG. #S24-003, SECTION 3, #S24-006
SUPERCEDED: NONE

CATCH AREAS: SHRIMP MANAGEMENT REGION 1, CATCH AREA 1A (AREA 20B WEST OF A LINE FROM POINT DOUGHTY ON ORCAS ISLAND TO THE BELL BUOY ON THE INTERNATIONAL BORDER, AND ALL WATERS OF AREA 22A WEST OF A LINE PROJECTED TRUE NORTH AND SOUTH THROUGH THE WESTERN TIP OF CRANE ISLAND, WEST OF A LINE PROJECTED FROM THE NUMBER 2 BUOY AT FISHERMANS BAY ON LOPEZ ISLAND TO THE SOUTHERN TIP OF SHAW ISLAND, AND WEST OF A LINE PROJECTED DUE SOUTH FROM POINT COLVILLE EXCEPT THAT PORTION OF 22A SOUTH OF A LINE FROM LIMEKILN POINT DUE WEST TO THE INTERNATIONAL BOUNDARY AND SOUTH OF SAN JUAN AND LOPEZ ISLANDS AND A LINE FROM CATTLE POINT TO DAVIS POINT).

SHRIMP MANAGEMENT REGION 1, CATCH AREA 1B (AREA 20B EAST OF A LINE FROM POINT DOUGHTY ON ORCAS ISLAND TO THE BELL BUOY ON THE INTERNATIONAL BORDER, AND ALL WATERS OF AREA 22A EAST OF A LINE PROJECTED TRUE NORTH AND SOUTH THROUGH THE WESTERN TIP OF CRANE ISLAND, EAST OF A LINE PROJECTED FROM THE NUMBER 2 BUOY AT FISHERMANS BAY ON LOPEZ ISLAND TO THE SOUTHERN TIP OF SHAW ISLAND, AND EAST OF A LINE PROJECTED TRUE SOUTH FROM POINT COLVILLE).

FISHERY TYPE: COMMERCIAL AND SUBSISTENCE CLOSURE

SPECIES: COONSTRIPE, SIDESTRIPE, HUMPBACK SHRIMP

ON/OFF RESERVATION: OFF

EFFECTIVE DATE: JULY 16TH, 2024

DAYS/HOURS: 1) FOR SUB-AREA 1A: REMAINS OPEN UNTIL OCTOBER 15, 2024 OR ATTAINMENT OF THE 5,000 LBS TRIBAL QUOTA

2) FOR SUB-AREA 1B: CLOSES TUESDAY, JULY 16, 2024 AT 5PM

LEGAL GEAR: AS PER REG. #S24-003, SECTION 5
1. THE MAXIMUM TOTAL NUMBER OF POTS AND/OR RING   NETS
    COMBINED PER VESSEL IN THIS FISHERY WILL
                    BE 100 POTS.
2. ALL POTS AND RING NETS SHALL HAVE BUOYS

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                         ATTACHED. BUOYS MAY BE ANY COLOR EXCEPT YELLOW
                         OR ANY COMBINATION OF RED AND WHITE.  BUOYS
MUST REMAIN FLOATING AT ALL TIMES EXCEPT
                         DURING EXTREME TIDES.
                         BUOYS WILL ALSO BE MARKED WITH THE TRIBE'S
INITIALS AND WITH THE FISHER'S ID NUMBER.
                         BUOY LINES WILL BE WEIGHTED TO KEEP
                         THE LINES FROM FLOATING.
HARVEST RISTRICTIONS:    THE TRIBAL QUOTAS FOR NON SPOT SHRIMP IN
                         REGION 1:
                         COONSTRIPE QUOTA-
                         1A- 5,000 LBS
                         1B- 36,574 LBS-
                          THIS FISHERY WILL CLOSE PRIOR TO OCTOBER
                          15TH IF THE TRIBAL QUOTA HAS BEEN TAKEN.

                          THE DAILY SUBSISTENCE HARVEST LIMIT IS 20 LBS
                          PER FISHER. ALL FISHERS MUST BE REGISTERED FOR
                          THIS FISHERY WITH THE FISHERIES OFFICE BEFORE
                          PARTICIPATING.

HARVEST REPORTING:  1)    AS PER REGULATION #S24-003 SECTION 8.
                    2)    ALL DAILY HARVEST INFORMATION WILL BE REPORTED
                          TO THE TRIBAL FISHERIES OFFICE
                          WITHIN 24 HOURS OF EACH HARVEST. HARVEST INFO
                          SHALL INCLUDE THE DATE, VESSEL NAME, NUMBER OF
                          POTS, MESH SIZE, POT SOAK TIMES, CATCH AREA,
                          LOCATION FISHED, POUNDS LANDED BY SPEICES AND
                          TOTAL POUNDS LANDED. HARVEST INFORMATION WILL
                          BE UPLOADED ON THE NWIFC TICKET DATABASE WITHIN
                          5 DAYS OF REPORTING.
                    3)    ALL COMMERCIAL AND SUBSISTANCE CATCHES SHALL BE
                          REPORTED ON TREATY INDIAN FISH RECIEVING TICKETS
                          AS SPECIFIED IN THE TRIBAL FISHERIES ORDINANCE.
                          ALSO, ALL COMMERCIAL SHRIMP POT LANDINGS MUST
                          BE RECORDED ON RECIEVING TICKETS AS A WHOLE
                          WEIGHT.

JUSTIFICATION:   CLOSE SUB-AREA 1B DUE TO ATTAINMENT OF THE NON-SPOT SHRIMP QUOTA

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