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MEMORANDUM FOR: Patricia A. Montanio  
NOAA NEPA Coordinator

MAR 11 2014

FROM: Roy E. Crabtree, Ph.D.  
Regional Administrator

SUBJECT: Generic Amendment for Modifications to Federally Permitted Seafood Dealer Permitting and Reporting Requirements to the Fishery Management Plans in the Gulf of Mexico and South Atlantic Regions (RIN 0648-BC12)

The attached subject environmental assessment (EA) and Finding of No Significant Impact (FONSI) are forwarded for your review. The EA and FONSI have been prepared in accordance with the provisions of: (1) NOAA Administrative Order 216-6, Environmental Review Procedures For Implementing The National Environmental Policy Act; and (2) the Council on Environmental Quality's Regulations For Implementing The Procedural Provisions of The National Environmental Policy Act (40 CFR Parts 1500-1508).

Based on the environmental impact analysis within the attached EA, I have determined that no significant environmental impacts will result from the proposed action. I therefore have approved the FONSI for this proposed action. I request your concurrence with the EA and its FONSI. I also recommend, subject to a request from the public, that you release the documents for public review.

MAR 13 2014

1. I concur.   
NOAA NEPA Coordinator Date

2. I do not concur. \_\_\_\_\_  
NOAA NEPA Coordinator Date

Attachment

