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Nunavut Wildlife Management Board

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Conserving wildlife through the application of Inuit Qaujimajatuqangit and scientific knowledge

Area, consistent with the Minister's decision letter of September 26, 2017, until December 31, 2020, with the possible exception of a change in Total Allowable Catch of greater than 15%; and

- The NWMB can confirm its decision to rollover for one-year the Nunavut Shrimp Sub-Allocations for the Eastern and Western Assessment Zone in the Nunavut Settlement Area, consistent with the Minister's decision letter of September 26, 2017 until March 31, 2021, with the possible exception of a change in Total Allowable Catch of greater than 15%.

Should you or your officials have any questions or concerns with respect to the NWMB's decisions, recommendations and/or accompanying reasons – or to any other aspect of this letter – please do not hesitate to contact the Board at your convenience. The NWMB looks forward to receiving your response in the near future.

Sincerely,

Daniel Shewchuk  
Chairperson of the  
Nunavut Wildlife Management Board

Attachment:

**Letter from NFA to NWMB Re: Proposed Sharing Agreement on 0A/0B Turbot Increase**

c.c. Sylvie Lapointe, A/Director General, Fisheries Resource Management, Fisheries and Oceans Canada; and  
Larry Dow, Northern Operations, Fisheries and Oceans Canada.



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Mr. Daniel Shewchuk  
Chairperson  
Nunavut Wildlife Management Board  
P.O. Box 1379  
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Dear Mr. Shewchuk:

**Re: Nunavut Wildlife Management Board decisions and recommendations regarding sub-allocation of Nunavut's commercial Greenland Halibut and Shrimp resources for the 2020 and 2020/21 season**

Thank you for your correspondence from March 29, 2019 conveying the Nunavut Wildlife Management Board's decisions and recommendations for the sub-allocation of Nunavut's commercial Greenland Halibut and Northern and Striped Shrimp (Shrimp) resources for the 2020 fishing season.

I understand that the Board has been undertaking a comprehensive review of the *Nunavut Wildlife Management Board Allocation Policy for Commercial Fisheries* (Allocation Policy) which will inform the Board's future allocation decisions and recommendations for my consideration. I appreciate the continued efforts of the Board in establishing a fair, equitable, open and transparent mechanism to guide its allocation decisions and recommendations.

In continuity with the sub-allocations set out in my letter to the Board dated August 24, 2018, I approve and accept the following:

I approve the Board's recommendations to rollover the existing Nunavut offshore sub-allocations to Nunavut enterprises for Greenland Halibut and Shrimp.

I accept the Board's decision to rollover the existing Nunavut sub-allocations to Nunavut enterprises for Shrimp inside the Nunavut Settlement Area (NSA).

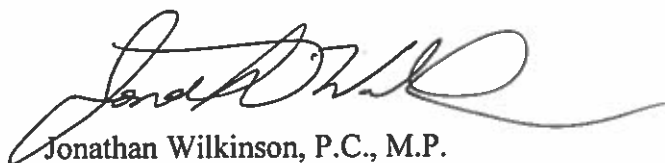
I accept the Board's decision to rollover the designation of 100 tonnes from the Division 0A Greenland Halibut offshore Total Allowable Catch (TAC) to be fished inside the NSA in Division 0A, until December 31, 2020.

For ease of reference, the sub-allocations of Nunavut's commercial marine resources to Nunavut enterprises are as defined in Annex 1 to this letter.

Further, with respect to sharing arrangements for the Greenland Halibut TAC increase for 2019 and 2020, I acknowledge and commend the Nunavut enterprises on their collaboration achievements.

I look forward to continuing our work on the management of the commercial marine resources adjacent to Nunavut.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Jonathan Wilkinson', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Jonathan Wilkinson, P.C., M.P.  
Minister of Fisheries, Oceans and the Canadian Coast Guard

Attachment (1)

## Sub-Allocations of Nunavut's Commercial Marine Resources to Nunavut Enterprises – 2020

Species/Area	Enterprise	2020 Allocation	Season
Shrimp ( <i>P. borealis</i> ) - Davis Strait East	Baffin Fisheries Coalition	57%	April 1, 2020 – March 31, 2021
	Cumberland Sound/Pangnirtung Fisheries	14.5%	
	Qikiqtaaluk Corporation	28.5%	
Shrimp ( <i>P. borealis</i> ) Davis Strait West	Arctic Fisheries Alliance	15%	
	Baffin Fisheries Coalition	35%	
	Cumberland Sound/Pangnirtung Fisheries	15%	
	Qikiqtaaluk Corporation	35%	
Shrimp ( <i>P. borealis</i> and <i>P. montagui</i> ) - Nunavut/Nunavik East	Baffin Fisheries Coalition	70%	
	Qikiqtaaluk Corporation	30%	
Shrimp ( <i>P. borealis</i> and <i>P. montagui</i> ) - Nunavut/Nunavik West	Baffin Fisheries Coalition	70%	
	Qikiqtaaluk Corporation	30%	
Shrimp ( <i>P. borealis</i> ) – SFA 1	Baffin Fisheries Coalition	40%	January 1, 2020- December 31, 2020
	Cumberland Sound/Pangnirtung Fisheries	20%	
	Qikiqtaaluk Corporation	40%	
Greenland Halibut-0A (Outside the NSA*)	Arctic Fisheries Alliance	20.759%	
	Baffin Fisheries Coalition	58.608%	
	Cumberland Sound/Pangnirtung Fisheries	11.899%	
	Qikiqtaaluk Corporation	8.734%	
Greenland Halibut-0B	Arctic Fisheries Alliance	14.035%	
	Baffin Fisheries Coalition	36.842%	
	Cumberland Sound/Pangnirtung Fisheries	33.333%	
	Qikiqtaaluk Corporation	15.789%	

\* Nunavut Settlement Area

❖ Green differentiates stocks on a fiscal year from those on a calendar year

❖ Blue shading is to differentiate ground fish stocks from shrimp stocks