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### TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

The University of Alaska Fairbanks (UAF) Alaska Center for Energy and Power is hereby granted permission to collect Pacific halibut (*Hippoglossus stenolepis*) for research purposes in 2019 as part of its assessment of the wave energy resource off Yukatat, Alaska's Cannon Beach. These fish will be collected in and near Yakutat Bay, Alaska, between May and November 2019. As described in the attached "Project Background/Justification," fish will be captured by a combination of methods, including jigging and trolling. All Pacific halibut that are captured will be handled gently, placed on the vessel deck, measured, photographed, and released without further delay.

Upon completion of this project, the UAF is requested to notify the IPHC of the total number of Pacific halibut collected and released, and to provide a copy of all data collected on these Pacific halibut to the IPHC.

Pacific halibut obtained under this permit may not be retained and may not be sold. All Pacific halibut captured must be returned to the sea with a minimum of delay and injury.

Sincerely,



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Encl: Project Background/Justification