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# COLUMBIA RIVER COMPACTACTION NOTICE

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Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife

June 10, 2015

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## THE FOLLOWING SEASON WAS SET:

<i>2015 Non-Indian Summer Chinook Commercial Fishery</i>	
Season:	9 PM Wednesday June 17 to 5 AM Thursday June 18, 2015 (8 hours)
Area:	Zones 1-5
Sanctuaries:	Elokomin-A, Cowlitz River, Kalama-A, Lewis-A, Washougal and Sandy Rivers.
Gear:	Drift gill nets. 8-inch minimum mesh size. Multiple net rule in place: Nets not specifically authorized for use in this fishery may be onboard the vessel if properly stored. A properly stored net is defined as a net on a drum that is fully covered by a tarp (canvas or plastic) and bound with a minimum of ten revolutions of rope with a diameter of 3/8
Allowable Sales:	Chinook, sockeye, and shad.
Additional:	A 24-hour quick reporting rule is in effect for Washington buyers pursuant to WAC 220-69-240. Submission of a report is not complete until the report arrives at the designated department location. Reports can be made: via fax at 360-906-6776 or 360-906-6777; via e-mail at <a href="mailto:crfishtickets@dfw.wa.gov">crfishtickets@dfw.wa.gov</a> ; or via phone at 1- 866-791-1281.  Faxing or reporting electronically in portable document format (PDF) a copy of each fish receiving ticket used, within the previously indicated time frames specified per area, satisfies the quick reporting requirement.

- A Compact is tentatively scheduled June 24, 2015 to review stock status and to consider non-Indian fisheries
- A Compact is scheduled for 2:00 p.m. June 30, 2015 to review stock status and to consider additional treaty commercial fisheries and potentially non-Indian fisheries.
- A fall Compact hearing is scheduled for 10:00 a.m. Wednesday July 29, 2015 at the Clark Regional Wastewater District (8000 52nd Court, Vancouver, Washington)