Columbia River Compact/
Joint State Action Notice
Washington Dept. of Fish and Wildlife

August 2, 2002

THE FOLLOWING COLUMBIA RIVER SEASONS WERE SET:

Non-Indian Commercial Salmon Fishery:

AREA: Mouth to Longview Bridge
DATES: 7:00 PM, Sunday, August 4, 2002 to 7:00 AM, Monday, August 5
7:00 PM, Tuesday, August 6, 2002 to 7:00 AM, Wednesday, August 7
7:00 PM, Thursday, August 8, 2002 to 7:00 AM, Friday, August 9

SANCTUARIES: Grays, Elokomin-A

GEAR: 8-inch minimum and 9-¾ inch maximum mesh size restrictions

ALLOWABLE SALE: Salmon. Up to 5 white sturgeon may be possessed or landed per period. No green sturgeon sales are allowed

MISC: Monofilament gear is allowed.

Quick Reporting Rule for Washington Buyers

WDFW has adopted rules that require commercial purchasers to report their landings by a specified time. This rule can be attached to any commercial season that is adopted, but is not in place unless specified. WDFW staff recommends that the "quick reporting required" clause be in place for this fishery. Washington buyers would be required to send a report of their landings to WDFW by 10AM on the day after the purchase date by either:

a) FAX transmission to (360) 906-6776 or (360) 906-6777
b) E-mail to crfishtickets@dfw.wa.gov
c) Telephone to 1-866-791-1281
The next Compact Meeting has been scheduled for 11:00 AM, August 9, 2002 at:

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2501 SW First Avenue
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