



FACT SHEET

WASHINGTON DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND WILDLIFE

600 Capitol Way North, Olympia, WA 98501-1091

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

August 24, 2005

THE FOLLOWING COLUMBIA RIVER SEASONS WERE SET:

NON-INDIAN COMMERCIAL SALMON FISHERY

DATES: 8PM Thursday August 25, 2005 to 7AM Friday August 26 (11hours)

AREA: Zones 4 - 5

SANCTUARIES: Lewis-A, Washougal and Sandy rivers

GEAR: 9" minimum and 9-¾ maximum mesh size restriction

ALLOWABLE SALES: Salmon and sturgeon. A maximum of 5 white or green sturgeon combined may be possessed or sold by each participating vessel during each calendar week (Sunday through Saturday) that the fishery is open. The 5 sturgeon possession and sales limit includes both mainstem and Select Area Fisheries.

MISCELLANEOUS
RULES:

Quick Reporting Rule for Washington Buyers WAC 220-69-240

WDFW has adopted rules that require commercial purchasers to report their landings by a specified time. Washington buyers are required to send a report of their landings to WDFW by 10AM on the day after the purchase date by either:

- a) FAX: (360) 906-6776 or (360) 906-6777
- b) E-mail: crfishtickets@dfw.wa.gov
- c) Telephone: 1-866-791-1281

- A Columbia River Compact hearing is scheduled for 1:00 PM Friday September 9, 2005 via telephone conference to consider additional non-treaty commercial fisheries.
- A Columbia River Compact hearing is scheduled for 10:00 AM Friday September 16, 2005. Location to be announced at next Compact hearing.
- Call the "Hotline" Number to get current fishing seasons at 360-902-2500 or 360-696-6211.

- Visit WDFW website at wdfw.wa.gov/fishcorn.htm for fact sheets, action notices and landings.
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