Mackerel Committee: Action Schedule for Tab C, Nos. 4-5

Agenda Item IV: Public Hearing Draft for Coastal Migratory Pelagics Amendment 26:

Changes in Allocations, Stock Boundaries, and Sale Provisions for Gulf of

Mexico and Atlantic Migratory Groups of King Mackerel

Documents: Public Hearing Draft (**Tab C, No. 4a**), CMP 26 Decision Document (**Tab**

C, No. 4b), CMP 26 IPT-Revised Action 7 (Tab C, No. 4c) – Rindone

Timeline Status: Public Hearing Draft

Council Input and Next Steps:

• Discuss proposed alternatives in CMP Amendment 26, recommend adding/removing any options (Discussion Document contains *only* actions/alternatives)

- Review re-write for reallocation between recreational and commercial sectors
- Determine if the document is ready to go out to public hearings, and if so, select public hearing locations
- Pending approval, staff will plan to bring CMP Amendment 26 to the Council as a Final Draft in March/April 2016

Agenda Item V: Draft Options Paper for Coastal Migratory Pelagics Amendment 28:

Reorganizing Management for Gulf of Mexico and Atlantic Coastal

Migratory Pelagic Species

Documents: Draft Options Paper (**Tab C, No. 5**)

Timeline Status: Options Paper

Council Input and Next Steps:

- Discuss proposed options in CMP Amendment 28, recommend adding/removing any options
- Review South Atlantic Council discussions of Draft Options Paper for CMP Amendment 28
- Determine whether to continue considering "hailing port" as a qualifying criterion