

AGENDA¹
GULF OF MEXICO FISHERY MANAGEMENT COUNCIL
STANDING AND SPECIAL REEF FISH
SCIENTIFIC AND STATISTICAL COMMITTEE
CONFERENCE ROOM, GULF COUNCIL OFFICE
TAMPA, FLORIDA

December 13, 2010: 9:00 am – 5:00 pm EST

December 14, 2010: 8:30 am – 5:00 pm EST

December 15, 2010: 8:30 am – 3:00 pm EST

- I. Introductions and Adoption of Agenda – Blanchet
- II. Approval of July 27-29, 2010 summary minutes – Blanchet
- III. SSC attendance issues and possible solutions – Gregory/Bortone
- IV. ABC Control Rule in Generic ACL/AM Amendment - Atran
 - a. Revisions to the ABC Control Rule resulting from the October Council meeting
 - b. SSC response to Council concerns about the use of judgment calls and the use of mean catch to define OFL
- V. SSC advice on application of in-season accountability measures – Peter Hood
- VI. Revisions to the NMFS/SERO recommendations for species groupings – Nick Farmer
- VII. OFL/ABC recommendations for stocks in the Generic ACL/AM Amendment
 - a. Review and approval/modification of OFL/ABC recommendations from August meeting (no quorum was present)
 - b. Completion of OFL/ABC recommendations for stocks in the Generic ACL/AM Amendment
- VIII. Other Business - Blanchet

Standing SSC

Harry Blanchet, Chair
 Sean Powers, V. Chair
 Charles Adams
 Luiz Barbieri
 Benjamin Blount
 Shannon Cass-Calay
 James Cowan
 Richard Fulford

Doug Gregory
 Read Hendon
 Walter Keithly
 William Patterson
 Joseph Powers
 Steven Szedlmayer
 Elbert Whorton

Special Reef Fish SSC

Robert J. Allman
 Barbara Dorf
 Bill Lindberg
 John Mareska
 Douglas Peter

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