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Notice of Proposed Emergency Action

Emergency Action to Amend Sections 28.06 and 28.65
Title 14, California Code of Regulations
Re: Recreational Gear Restrictions for White Shark

Pursuant to Government Code Section 11346.1, the California Fish and Game Commission (Commission) is providing notice of proposed emergency action with regard to the above-entitled emergency regulation.

Submitting Comments

Government Code Section 11346.1, subdivision (a)(2), requires that, at least five working days prior to submitting a proposed emergency action to the Office of Administrative Law (OAL), the adopting agency provide a notice of the proposed emergency action to every person who has filed a request for notice of regulatory action with the agency. After submitting the proposed emergency to OAL, OAL shall allow interested persons five calendar days to submit comments on the proposed emergency regulations as set forth in Government Code Section 11349.6.

Any interested person may present statements, arguments, or contentions, in writing, submitted via U.S. mail or e-mail, relevant to the proposed emergency regulatory action. Written comments submitted via U.S. mail or e-mail must be received at OAL within five days after the Commission submits the emergency regulations to OAL for review.

Please reference submitted comments as regarding “Emergency Regulations: Recreational Gear Restrictions for White Shark” addressed to:

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This emergency action was authorized by the Commission at its October 13-16, 2026 meeting. The Commission anticipates it will submit the rulemaking to OAL on November 30, 2026. For the status of the Commission's submittal, and the end of the five-day written submittal period, please consult OAL's website at http://www.oal.ca.gov under “Emergency Regulations.”