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Season Opening Information for the Area Between the Queets River and Destruction Island

Contact: Dan Ayres at (360) 249-4628 ext.209 January 9, 2019

Please note: the season opening that starts tomorrow; January 10, 2019 at 9 a.m. north of Destruction Island includes the area between the Queets River and Destruction Island. It was legal to begin setting gear in this area beginning at 8 a.m. on January 7.

I has come to our attention that this information was not included in earlier industry notices. We apologize for not including this information via our normal channels.

This information and future updates will also be available on WDFW web page: http://wdfw.wa.gov/fishing/commercial/crab/coastal/

If you have questions regarding the information contained in this letter or other regulations pertaining to the coastal Dungeness crab fishery, please contact Dan Ayres at (360) 249-4628 (ext. 209).

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