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Subject: Re: 316(b) - Call on FWS "Interpretations" of EPA's rule
Date: Tuesday, April 01, 2014 12:00:51 PM

NMFS is fine with having EPA join at 4:30. Thanks Pam.

On Tue, Apr 1, 2014 at 3:56 PM, Mary Beth Ward - NOAA Federal
<mary.beth.ward@noaa.gov> wrote:

I am, so long as other NMFS folks are.

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On Tue, Apr 1, 2014 at 3:53 PM, Pamela Lawrence - NOAA Federal
<pamela.lawrence@noaa.gov> wrote:

Here is the call-in information for a call at 4:30 today. So far, I have only sent it to Services. Based on Gary's review, is everyone comfortable with inviting EPA to join us right at 4:30?

Non-Responsive
[REDACTED]

On Tue, Apr 1, 2014 at 3:50 PM, Frazer, Gary <gary_frazer@fws.gov> wrote:

I just walked through these edits/questions with Drew, and I think it would be fine to just (b)(5) Deliberative Process
[REDACTED]

Let's start at 4:30. But I have a hard commitment at 5p, so can't stay beyond that. -- GDF

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On Tue, Apr 1, 2014 at 3:42 PM, Pamela Lawrence - NOAA Federal
<pamela.lawrence@noaa.gov> wrote:

We have Sam from 4:30 to 5:15 and Donna at 5.

Question: Should we have a Services' only call first? If so, we could schedule that earlier and a call with EPA later.

If not, I will schedule the call with EPA at 4:30, to allow Gary to participate. Donna can then join at 5.

Please send your response to my question as well as your availability.

Ted, will Hillary want to participate also?

On Tue, Apr 1, 2014 at 3:34 PM, Brandon Sousa - NOAA Affiliate

<brandon.sousa@noaa.gov> wrote:

Sam is available from 4:30 - 5:15 but not after 5:15. We can handle this a few ways:

- 1.) Sam is fine with Donna handling without his participation.
- 2.) Sam can do a call at 4:30 PM, but seems like Donna would not be able to participate.
- 3.) Sam and Donna could both call at 5PM with Sam needing to drop off after 15 minutes.

Please let us know which alternative you would like and we'll make it work. Also we'll wait for you to assign a call-in number.

Thanks very much --
Brandon.

On Tue, Apr 1, 2014 at 3:29 PM, Donna Wieting - NOAA Federal

<donna.wieting@noaa.gov> wrote:

I can be avail for call at 5 your time. I can step out of my mtng. Pls send call in

Sent from my iPhone

On Apr 1, 2014, at 9:20 AM, Pamela Lawrence - NOAA Federal

<pamela.lawrence@noaa.gov> wrote:

Resending, cc:'ing Kris Petersen who is participating for Cathy this week. Please include her on any emails in response.

Thank you.

On Tue, Apr 1, 2014 at 3:07 PM, Pamela Lawrence - NOAA

Federal <pamela.lawrence@noaa.gov> wrote:

Sam and Donna, (b)(5) Attorney-Client Communication

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