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Enforcement and VMS

Action Memorandum

15 June 2000

104th Council Meeting
Makena, Hawaii

Regarding VMS, the Council acted to:

- 1) Recommend that a letter be sent to Dale Jones, NMFS Enforcement Chief, asking that he clarify his request to convene a VMS meeting in Honolulu. Mr. Jones should identify: a) the purpose and scope of the meeting, b) the role the meeting will play in NMFS efforts to solicit industry input, and c) the overall NMFS plan for implementing the National VMS program.

Status: Robert Harman and John Reghi (new Assistant Special Agent in Charge) has been asked to meet with Council staff to provide an update on NMFS VMS efforts.