

On May 2, 2017 the Department began consultations on the proposed regulatory changes to create a standalone commercial licence for Albacore tuna, as well as potential changes to the licensing regime for Albacore Tuna. A discussion guide and questionnaire was sent out either as an email or via hard copy mail to all CT licence holders. Those documents outline the proposed regulatory changes to create a standalone Tuna licence and discusses potential changes to the current Tuna licensing regime.

The deadline for responses on these proposed changes has been extended to **November 15, 2017**.

We strongly encourage you to provide feedback on these proposed changes by reviewing the discussion paper and filling out the questionnaire. You can mail, email or fax (604-666-3341) your comments to the A/Tuna Resource Manager, Caroline Wells, [Caroline.Wells@dfo-mpo.gc.ca](mailto:Caroline.Wells@dfo-mpo.gc.ca). You are also welcome to access and submit your feedback to the questionnaire online: <https://goo.gl/I92Y8j>

If you have any questions regarding the consultation please contact:

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