

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

50 CFR Part 660

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Magnuson-Stevens Act Provisions; Fisheries off the West Coast States and in the Western Pacific; Pacific Coast Groundfish Fishery; Groundfish Fishery Management Measures; Correction

AGENCY: National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS), National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), Commerce.

ACTION: Final rule; correction.

SUMMARY: This document contains a correction to the final rule published on March 7, 2003 for the Pacific Coast groundfish fishery.

DATES: Effective May 6, 2003.

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The specifications and management measures for the 2003 fishing year (January 1 - December 31, 2003) were initially published in the **Federal Register** as an emergency rule for January 1 - February 28, 2003 (68 FR 908, January 7, 2003) and as a proposed rule for March 1 - December 31, 2003 (68 FR 936, January 7, 2003). The emergency rule was amended at 68 FR 4719, January 30, 2003, and the final rule for March 1 - December 31, 2003 was published in the **Federal Register** on March 7, 2003 (68 FR 11182).

The final rule contained an amendatory instruction revising codified Federal regulations at 50 CFR 660.304 that was incorrectly revised from the amendatory instructions provided in the proposed rule. These incorrect instructions removed boundary coordinates for the Columbia, Eureka, Monterey, and Conception management areas from the Code of Federal Regulations. This correction reinstates those boundary coordinates.

Authority: 16 U.S.C. *et seq.*

Dated: April 29, 2003.

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Correction

Part 660 is corrected by revising § 660.304 to read as follows:

§ 660.304 Management areas, including conservation areas, and commonly used geographic coordinates.

(a) *Management areas.*

(1) *Vancouver.* (i) The northeastern boundary is that part of a line connecting the light on Tatoosh Island, WA, with the light on Bonilla Point on Vancouver Island, British Columbia (at 48°35'75" N. lat., 124°43'00" W. long.) south of the International Boundary between the U.S. and Canada (at 48°29'37.19" N. lat., 124°43'33.19" W. long.), and north of the point where that line intersects with the boundary of the U.S. territorial sea.

(ii) The northern and northwestern boundary is a line connecting the following coordinates in the order listed, which is the provisional international boundary of the EEZ as shown on NOAA/NOS Charts #18480 and #18007:

Point	N. Lat.	W. Long.
1	48°29'37.19"	124°43'33.19"
2	48°30'11"	124°47'13"
3	48°30'22"	124°50'21"
4	48°30'14"	124°54'52"
5	48°29'57"	124°59'14"
6	48°29'44"	125°00'06"
7	48°28'09"	125°05'47"
8	48°27'10"	125°08'25"
9	48°26'47"	125°09'12"
10	48°20'16"	125°22'48"
11	48°18'22"	125°29'58"
12	48°11'05"	125°53'48"
13	47°49'15"	126°40'57"
14	47°36'47"	127°11'58"
15	47°22'00"	127°41'23"
16	46°42'05"	128°51'56"
17	46°31'47"	129°07'39"

(iii) The southern limit is 47°30' N. lat.

(2) *Columbia.* (i) The northern limit is 47°30' N. lat.

(ii) The southern limit is 43°00' N. lat.

(3) *Eureka.* (i) The northern limit is 43°00' N. lat.

(ii) The southern limit is 40°30' N. lat.

(4) *Monterey.* (i) The northern limit is 40°30' N. lat.

(ii) The southern limit is 36°00' N. lat.

(5) *Conception.* (i) The northern limit is 36°00' N. lat.

(ii) The southern limit is the U.S.-Mexico International Boundary, which is a line connecting the following coordinates in the order listed:

Point	N. Lat.	W. Long.
1	32°35'22"	117°27'49"
2	32°37'37."	117°49'31"
3	31°07'58"	118°36'18"
4	30°32'31"	121°51'58"