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VIA TELECOPIER

Ministry of Water, Land and Air Protection
2080-A Labieux Rd
Nanaimo, BC V9T 6J9

Attention: Randy Alexander

Dear Mr. Alexander:

Re: Sablefin Hatcheries Ltd. letter dated September 17, 2004

Please see the attached letter for the Canadian Sablefish Association (CSA) to Sablefish Hatcheries Ltd.

We request that you require Sablefish to:

- disclose all documents used by Sablefish in the development and support of the permit application; and
- conduct a review period of 90 days.

We request reasons for your decision.

Yours truly,

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cc: Sablefin Hatcheries Ltd.