

Dear Mr. Mastrup,

We are writing to request a position on the March agenda for the Marine Resources Committee meeting in Monterey, California. We wish to explain our request for an experimental market squid permit for use north of Point Arena. We are prepared to rebut certain misinformation concerning our request for this permit and make the case for small-scale community-based fishing operations in our coastal waters.

Thank you for this consideration.

Sincerely,

Ken Bates F/V Ironic

