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MEMORANDUM

DATE: May 12, 2011
TO: RI Seafood Dealers and commercial fishermen
FROM: Robert Ballou
Acting Chief, RI Division of Fish and Wildlife
RE: Commercial Tautog

Effective 12:01 AM on Sunday, May 15, 2011 the commercial fishery for **Tautog** will **CLOSE**. The sub period allocation is projected to be completely harvested by this date.

The commercial fishery for Tautog reopens on August 1, 2011 at 10 fish per vessel per calendar day.