

Marine Stewardship Council (MSC) Certification**U.S. Gulf of Mexico menhaden purse seine fishery****Client:****Omega Protein Corporation and Daybrook Fisheries, Inc.****Notification of Additional Stakeholder Comment Period**

Due to an unforeseen delay in the assessment of the above fishery, the period from full assessment announcement to the receipt of the Public Comment Draft Report by MSC has exceeded 9 months. As a result the fishery will now enter an additional 30 day stakeholder comment period.

Therefore, SAI Global wishes to invite organisations or individuals with a direct interest in this fishery to make written comment or provide any new information relevant to the assessment process. To assist in contributing relevant information and to ensure that any contributions have maximum impact stakeholders should use the [Stakeholder Input into MSC Fishery assessments](#) template.

All stakeholder's guidance documents and forms can be access by clicking on the link below:
<https://www.msc.org/documents/get-certified/stakeholders>

Stakeholders should be aware that any information that they submit will be made public through the reporting process as required by the MSC FCR v2.0. Any information that is not made available to all stakeholders may not be used in determining the assessment outcome or as the basis for an objection to a certification.

Stakeholders should also be aware that any information previously submitted has been retained, is being considered by the Assessment Team and will be included in all subsequent reports. Stakeholders are therefore requested to only provide evidence that is new (i.e. was not originally provided or has only come to light since the initial stakeholder comment period) or is substantially different from any information already provided.

If you would like to submit new information, please do so by April 05th 2018. Comments or questions should be sent to:

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