



**US Atlantic Spiny Dogfish Fishery
Marine Stewardship Council Certification
Certification Body: Moody Marine Ltd
Amendment to Assessment Timeline**

Stakeholders are informed of the proposed revised assessment timeline as shown below.

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Revised Assessment Timeline			
Stage	Original Target date	Amended date	Reasons for Change in Timing
Publicise the start of the assessment			
Assessment team			
Use of the Default Fisheries Assessment Methodology (FAM)			
Assessment site visit & stakeholder meetings		November 2010	
Peer Review	May 2011	December 2011	Delay in client response to version 1 and presentation of a client action plan to meet the defined conditions
Stakeholder review of Public Comment Draft Report	June 2011	February 2012	
Stakeholder Review of Final Report	September 2011	April 2012	
Issue Public Certification Report	November 2011	May 2012	