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Dear New Jersey Black Sea Bass Permit Holder: New Jersey Black Sea Bass Dealer:

Please be advised, that pursuant to N.J.A.C. 7:25-18.12r, the Commissioner of the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection, has modified the **Season 1 (January-February)** directed black sea bass trip limits.

Effective Sunday, January 5, 2020, the Season 1 directed black sea bass trip limits will be modified as follows:

Season 1 (January-February) 750-pound trip limit and a maximum of 2 days per week

or

## 1,500-pound trip limit with a maximum of 1 day per week

The modified Season 1 directed trip limits will be in effect through February 28, 2020, or until such time as the directed Season 1 quota is projected to be taken.

If you have any questions, please contact the Bureau of Marine Fisheries at 609-748-2020.

Sincerely,

Joseph A. Cimino

Marine Fisheries Administrator