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### **NOTICE OF FISHERY CLOSURE:** **2022 MENHADEN EPISODIC EVENT SET ASIDE FISHERY**

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Pursuant to the notice and public comment requirements at G.L. c. 30A, §3 and under the authority of G.L. c. 130, §§ 17A, 21, and 80, and 322 CMR §§ 6.41(2)(c), 6.43(4)(c)(1), and 322 CMR 7.01(6), the Commonwealth's 2022 Atlantic Menhaden Episodic Event Set Aside Fishery, as established at 322 CMR §6.43(1)(c) is closed effective 0001 hours on Friday, July 8, 2022. This action is being taken in response to the Atlantic States Marine Fisheries Commission determining the 2022 Episodic Event Set Aside will be exhausted following Thursday, July 7, 2022.

Dated: July 7, 2022

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By:   
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