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MEMORANDUM

TO: Wayne Swingle, GMFMC Executive Director
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FROM: John Carmichael, SEDAR Coordinator

DATE: September 28, 2006

RE: Research and Monitoring Prioritization

At the August 2006 SEDAR Steering Committee, the Committee agreed to the following regarding prioritization of research and monitoring needs:

“The Councils were asked to provide this report (Research and Monitoring Needs for Southeast Fisheries, July 2006) and the consolidated SEDAR research recommendations document to their SSCs so that the SSCs can prioritize research and monitoring needs. The prioritization will be used to guide CRP and MARFIN requests for proposals. Councils are asked to provide reports on prioritization for the next Committee meeting”.

The referenced reports are attached here for distribution to the SSCs.

The next Steering Committee meeting will be January 16-17, 2007. Council reports on prioritization should be provided to me by January 5, 2007, for distribution for the meeting.

cc: SEDAR Steering Committee
attachment