

- (a) instruct their respective management agencies to establish a chinook salmon management program designed to meet the following objectives:
 - (i) halt the decline in spawning escapements in depressed chinook salmon stocks;
 - (ii) attain by 1998 escapement goals established in order to restore production of naturally spawning chinook stocks, as represented by indicator stocks indentified by the Parties, based on a rebuilding program begun in 1984.
- (b) jointly initiate and develop a coordinated chinook management program.
- (c) establish a Joint Chinook Technical Committee (Committee) reporting, unless otherwise agreed, to the Northern and Southern Panels and to the Commission, which, *inter alia*, shall
 - (i) evaluate management actions for their consistency with measures set out in this Chapter and for their potential effectiveness in attaining these specified objectives;
 - (ii) evaluate annually the status of chinook stocks in relation to objectives set out in this Chapter and, consistent with paragraph (d)(iv) beginning in 1986, make recommendations for adjustments to the management measures set out in this Chapter;
 - (iii) develop procedures to evaluate progress in the rebuilding of naturally spawning chinook stocks;
 - (iv) recommend strategies for the effective utilization of enhanced stocks;
 - (v) recommend research required to implement this rebuilding program effectively;
 - (vi) exchange information necessary to analyze the effectiveness of alternative fishery regulatory measures to satisfy conservation objectives.
- (d) ensure that
 - (i) in 1985 and 1986, the annual all-gear catch in northern and central British Columbia and southeast Alaska shall not exceed 526,000 chinook salmon to be divided equally between the Parties;
 - (ii) in 1985 and 1986, the annual troll catch off the west coast of Vancouver Island shall not exceed 360,000 chinook;
 - (iii) in 1985 and 1986, the total annual catch by the sport and troll fisheries in the Strait of Georgia shall not exceed 275,000 chinook;