

## **MSC Fishery Certificate**

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This is to certify that

## Russian Sea of Okhotsk Pollock

operated by

## Pollock Catchers Association (PCA)

690990, Russia, Vladivostok, Svetlanskaya str. 51-a, 517B

has been found to conform to the MSC Fisheries Standard and is well managed and sustainable

## Unit of Certification:

**Species:** Walleye / Alaska / Russian pollock (*Gadus (Theragra) chalcogrammus*)

Gear: Mid-water (pelagic) trawl

**Geographical area:** Northern Sea of Okhotsk (05.1), Western Kamchatka (05.2), Kamchatka-Kuril (05.4), and East Sakhalin (05.3) subzones.

**Chain of Custody:** The limit of identification of landings from this fishery is to the first point of sale, whereupon fish and fish products may enter chains of custody. Downstream certification of the product would require appropriate. Product must pass through Russian ports where Federal Security Services (FSB) and Customs inspectors are available to monitor, check and clear the product.

**Parties entitled to use this certificate:** Only pollock caught by the PCA membership or signatories to the PCA cost sharing agreement are eligible to enter Chains of Custody. PCA welcomes new members and have no intention of unfairly penalising and restraining those who wish to participate in access to this fishery certificate in the future.

IPI catches eligible to enter certified chains of custody:  $\ensuremath{\texttt{No}}$ 

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