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Well, that didn't take long ...

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I am very glad and proud to announce that on Friday, April 26, the USEPA will release the revised draft Bristol Bay Assessment. Thanks to your hard work sustained over many months, this report provides a comprehensive characterization of the biological and mineral resources of the Bristol Bay watershed, will increase understanding of the impacts of large-scale mining on the region's fish resources, and inform future government decisions related to protecting and maintaining the physical, chemical, and biological integrity of the watershed.

The complete revised report can be accessed through the links found on the main Bristol Bay web site: www.epa.gov/bristolbay. The report will be available starting about 1:30 PM EST. The Federal Register Notice will be published on April 30. We have created a public docket which will open on or before April 30 and remain open until Friday, May 31 to receive public comments.

Ex. 5 - Deliberative

Thanks again for all your hard work. Nice job team!

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