

Spiny Lobster Committee: Action Guide and Next Steps for Tab K

Agenda Item IV: Review of Draft Options for Joint Spiny Lobster Amendment 13

Timeline Status: Draft Options

Council Input and Next Steps: The Committee will be presented with the Options Paper for Spiny Lobster Amendment 13. The Committee should review the purpose and need as well as draft alternatives and determine if any changes are warranted. The South Atlantic Council will review a draft of the document at its December 2017 meeting. Staff will also present information that has been provided by Florida which highlights inconsistencies between state and federal regulations (Tab K, No. 4b). The Committee should discuss if it would like to address these issues.
