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Enforcement Updates

Gulf of Mexico Fishery Management Council Meeting
October 26, 2023



ENFORCEMENT HIGHLIGHTS

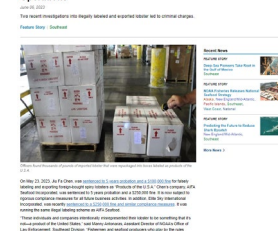
Trainings



Outreach



NOAA Enforcement Uncovers Multiple Illegal Seafood Export Operations



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Enforcement Partnerships & Referrals

• GMFMC Enforcement Partners



• 59 Overall Enforcement Referrals (Qtr 4)

- Encompasses entire SED
- Within GMFMC:
 - 46 FWC, 2 TPWD



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JOINT PATROLS



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CURRENT SPOTLIGHT

➤ Resource Enforcement



➤ Northern Atlantic Right Whales



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Report A Violation

NOAA's Law Enforcement Hotline,
available 24/7 at
(800) 853-1964

- Location, time, and date of the activity.
- Description of the activity.
- Name(s) of the vessel, owner/operator, captain, crew, or additional witnesses.



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QUESTIONS



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