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**FULL COUNCIL  
CLOSED SESSION  
April 3, 2023  
Dr. Greg Stunz, Council Chair**

*Selection of Coastal Migratory Pelagic Advisory Panel members*

The Full Council was convened to review applicants for the Coastal Migratory Pelagic Advisory Panel. The Council discussed the applicants and made preliminary appointments for the Advisory Panel. Appointees will be announced at the June 2023 Council meeting in Mobile, Alabama after completion of background checks for fishery violations.

*Selection of 2022 Law Enforcement Officer/Team of the Year*

The Council reviewed the nominations received and recommendations from the Law Enforcement Technical Committee. The Council selected the Alabama Department of Marine Resources nominee, Office Chancellor (Chance) Mancuso for the 2022 Law Enforcement Officer of the Year. Officer Mancuso will be honored at the June 2023 Council meeting in Mobile, Alabama.

*Selection of Standing Scientific and Statistical Committee Member*

The Council also reviewed the applicants to fill the recently vacated Economist position on the Standing Scientific and Statistical Committee (SSC) and appointed Dr. Daniel Petrolia to the SSC. He will serve on the Standing SSC effective immediately until 2024 when the Council will be considering all the Standing and Special SSC members appointments.

This concludes my report.