COLUMBIA RIVER COMPACT ACTION NOTICE

Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife

May 24, 2016

THE FOLLOWING ACTION WAS TAKEN:

2016 John Day Pool Recreational White Sturgeon Fishery

Effective 12:01 AM Sunday, May 29: Retention of white sturgeon in the John Day Pool and adjacent tributaries is prohibited.

• Catch and release is permissible except closed through July 31 in the sturgeon spawning sanctuary located from McNary Dam downstream 1.5 miles.

A hearing is scheduled for 2:00 PM Thursday May 26 via teleconference to consider non-Indian commercial fisheries