COLUMBIA RIVER COMPACT ACTION NOTICE

Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife

March 27, 2017

THE STATES TOOK THE FOLLOWING ACTION:

2017 John Day Pool Recreational White Sturgeon Fishery

Effective 12:01 AM Thursday March 30, 2017, the retention of sturgeon is prohibited in the main-stem Columbia River from the John Day Dam upstream to McNary Dam (John Day Pool), including adjacent tributaries.

Catch and release remains open.

Future Hearings

A Compact hearing has been scheduled for late 3 PM tomorrow via teleconference to consider Select Area commercial fisheries.