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Lingcod proposals are not scheduled for consideration at any of the remaining meetings during the spring 1993 board cycle. The board finds is necessary to address conservation concerns for lingcod before the fall 1993 board cycle begins and, therefore, delegates authority to the Commissioner to amend the referenced chapters to reduce the size limit limitations on lingcod.

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