

**PART 651—NORTHEAST
MULTISPECIES FISHERY**

5. The authority citation for part 651 continues to read as follows:

Authority: 16 U.S.C. 1801 *et seq.*

§ 651.2 [Amended]

6. In § 651.2, the definition of “COLREGS Demarcation Lines” is removed.

7. In § 651.22, paragraph (b)(3)(iv) is redesignated as paragraph (b)(3)(v); a

new paragraph (b)(3)(iv) is added; and paragraph (b)(3)(iii) is revised to read as follows:

§ 651.22 Effort-control program for limited access vessels.

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(iii) *Accrual of DAS.* DAS for vessels that are under the VTS monitoring system described in § 651.29(a) are counted beginning with the first hourly location signal received showing that

the vessel crossed the Vessel Tracking System Demarcation Line leaving port and ending with the first hourly location signal received showing that the vessel crossed the Vessel Tracking System Demarcation Line upon its return to port.

(iv) *Vessel Tracking System Demarcation Line.* The Vessel Tracking System Demarcation Line is defined as straight lines connecting the following points in the order stated (See Figures 6 and 7 to part 651):

VESSEL TRACKING SYSTEM DEMARCATION LINE

Description	Longitude	Latitude
1. Northern terminus point (Canada land mass)	45°03' N.	66°47' W.
2. A point east of West Quoddy Head Light	44°48.9' N.	66°56.1' W.
3. A point east of Little River Light	44°39.0' N.	67°10.5' W.
4. Whistle Buoy “8BI” (SSE of Baker Island)	44°13.6' N.	68°10.8' W.
5. Isle au Haut Light	44°03.9' N.	68°39.1' W.
6. Pemaquid Point Light	43°50.2' N.	69°30.4' W.
7. A point west of Halfway Rock	43°38.0' N.	70°05.0' W.
8. A point east of Cape Neddick Light	43°09.9' N.	70°34.5' W.
9. Merrimack River Entrance “MR” Whistle Buoy	42°48.6' N.	70°47.1' W.
10. Halibut Point Gong Buoy “1AHP”	42°42.0' N.	70°37.5' W.
11. Connecting reference point	42°40' N.	70°30' W.
12. Whistle Buoy “2” off Eastern Point	42°34.3' N.	70°39.8' W.
13. The Graves Light (Boston)	42°21.9' N.	70°52.2' W.
14. Minots Ledge Light	42°16.2' N.	70°45.6' W.
15. Farnham Rock Lighted Bell Buoy	42°05.6' N.	70°36.5' W.
16. Cape Cod Canal Bell Buoy “CC”	41°48.9' N.	70°27.7' W.
17. A point inside Cape Cod Bay	41°48.9' N.	70°05' W.
18. Race Point Lighted Bell Buoy “RP”	42°04.9' N.	70°16.8' W.
19. Peaked Hill Bar Whistle Buoy “2PH”	42°07.0' N.	70°06.2' W.
20. Connecting point, off Nauset Light	41°50' N.	69°53' W.
21. A point south of Chatham “C” Whistle Buoy	41°38' N.	69°55.2' W.
22. A point in eastern Vineyard Sound	41°30' N.	70°33' W.
23. A point east of Martha’s Vineyard	41°22.2' N.	70°24.6' W.
24. A point east of Great Pt. Light, Nantucket	41°23.4' N.	69°57' W.
25. A point SE of Sankaty Head, Nantucket	41°13' N.	69°57' W.
26. A point west of Nantucket	41°15.6' N.	70°25.2' W.
27. Squibnocket Lighted Bell Buoy “1”	41°15.7' N.	70°46.3' W.
28. Wilbur Point (on Sconticut Neck)	41°35.2' N.	70°51.2' W.
29. Mishaum Point (on Smith Neck)	41°31.0' N.	70°57.2' W.
30. Sakonnet Entrance Lighted Whistle Buoy “SR”	41°25.7' N.	71°13.4' W.
31. Point Judith Lighted Whistle Buoy “2”	41°19.3' N.	71°28.6' W.
32. A point off Block Island Southeast Light	41°08.2' N.	71°32.1' W.
33. Shinnecock Inlet Lighted Whistle Buoy “SH”	40°49.0' N.	72°28.6' W.
34. Scotland Horn Buoy “S”, off Sandy Hook (NJ)	40°26.5' N.	73°55.0' W.
35. Barnegat Lighted Gong Buoy “2”	39°45.5' N.	73°59.5' W.
36. A point east of Atlantic City Light	39°21.9' N.	74°22.7' W.
37. A point east of Hereford Inlet Light	39°00.4' N.	74°46' W.
38. A point east of Cape Henlopen Light	38°47' N.	75°04' W.
39. A point east of Fenwick Island Light	38°27.1' N.	75°02' W.
40. A point NE of Assateague Island (VA)	38°00' N.	75°13' W.
41. Wachapreague Inlet Lighted Whistle Buoy “A”	37°35.0' N.	75°33.7' W.
42. A point NE of Cape Henry	36°55.6' N.	75°58.5' W.
43. A point east of Currituck Beach Light	36°22.6' N.	75°48' W.
44. Oregon Inlet (NC) Whistle Buoy	35°48.5' N.	75°30' W.
45. Wimble Shoals, east of Chicamacomico	35°36' N.	75°26' W.
46. A point SE of Cape Hatteras Light	35°12.5' N.	75°30' W.
47. Hatteras Inlet Entrance Buoy “HI”	35°10' N.	75°46' W.
48. Ocracoke Inlet Whistle Buoy “OC”	35°01.5' N.	76°00.5' W.
49. A point east of Cape Lookout Light	34°36.5' N.	76°30' W.
50. Southern terminus point	34°35' N.	76°41' W.