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### **United States and Canada Pacific Whiting Agreement JOINT MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE MEETING March 18 - 19, 2015**

The Pacific Hake/-Whiting Agreement Joint Management Committee (JMC) will meet on March 18 – 19, 2015 in Seattle, Washington, preceded by a meeting of the Advisory Panel (AP) on March 17. Meetings will be full days. Preliminary agenda items for the JMC meeting include reports on the 2014 Pacific whiting fishery and current stock status, and recommendation of a 2015 bilateral TAC for approval by the United States and Canada.

A draft agenda will be available before the meeting on the Pacific whiting treaty webpage:  
[http://www.westcoast.fisheries.noaa.gov/fisheries/management/whiting/pacific\\_whiting\\_treaty.html](http://www.westcoast.fisheries.noaa.gov/fisheries/management/whiting/pacific_whiting_treaty.html)

#### **Meeting Dates**

March 17: Advisory Panel meeting (full day)  
March 18 – 19: Plenary Session of the Joint Management Committee (full days).

#### **Meeting Location and Accommodation**

Embassy Suites Hotel  
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