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To: Steve.Stone@noaa.gov;
Subject: Re Makah DEIS
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Dear Steve,

On behalf of Australians for Animals Int. I formally request an extension of the comment period for the Makah DEIS from July 8 for at least a further six weeks.

The DEIS document is 900 pages long, no doubt it has taken months and months if not years to put together. To properly comment on such an extensive document in four weeks is not possible. Given the importance of this issue, I believe NMFS must accede to this request.

With regards, Sue Arnold, Co-ordinator, Australians for Animals Int. Byron Bay. NSW Australia