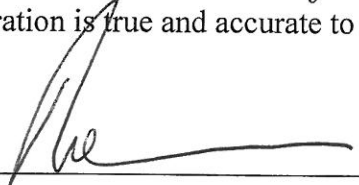


important to be able to see just how much the industry will be affected by the construction of this site, as our business and other people's livelihoods depend on access to these fishing grounds.

8. To date, BOEM has not conducted an adequate analysis regarding the likely impacts of a wind lease sale in the NY WEA on our business and our fishery.
9. BOEM has organized some meetings with fishery participants regarding the NY WEA. While we: (1) participated in these meetings; (2) submitted written comments on multiple occasions; and (3) provided specific economic and fisheries data showing that the NY WEA would have severe impacts to our company and our fishery, BOEM did not include our input in its environmental review process or in its decision to issue a Final Sale Notice for the NY WEA. Rather, BOEM contends that it does not need to consider this information until a lessee submits its final construction plan for the site, long after a lease is issued and a wind energy facility is all but certain to be installed.
10. I make this Declaration based on my personal knowledge.

Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1746, I verify that all of the factual information contained in this Declaration is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge

Name


Ryan Clark (ce)

Date

12/7/16