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Agenda for the Scientific and Technical Committee Meeting

- 1. Opening Remarks
- 2. Appointment of Rapporteur
- 3. Adoption of Agenda
- 4. Discussion of Science Issues:
 - 4.1. Update catch and effort statistics
 - 4.2. Review Results of Trial Fishing
 - 4.3. Review Results of Research Cruises
 - 4.4. Review the Status of Aleutian Basin Pollock Stocks
 - 4.5. Factors Affecting Recovery of the Stock
 - 4.6. The Effects of the Moratorium and its Continuation
 - 4.7. Methodologies to determine Allowable Biological Catch (ABC) and Allowable Harvest Level (AHL)
 - 4.8. Recommendation on AHL
- 5. Discussion of Enforcement and Management Issues
 - 5.1. Trial Fishing Terms and Conditions for 2005
 - 5.2. Components and Recommendations
- 6. Other Matters and Recommendation
- 7. Report to the Annual Conference
- 8. Closing Remarks