Maruto® semi-barbless (Grabber Hook™) Acceptance

STATE OF ALASKA

June 24, 2014

Mr. Lumsden,

Thank you for providing samples of the Maruto hooks for our reference. ADF&G staff have conferred with Department of Public Safety and in our view the Maruto hooks you sent, in their current design, do not meet the definition of a barbed hook and would be allowable gear in a State of Alaska barbless hook fishery.

Thank you and feel free to contact me with any follow up

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