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I like the bills intent to ensure that fighting family's have a way to continue their heritage. However, I believe we license holders already do that by choosing who we sponsor in the apprenticeship program.

Transferability would end our exit to entrance ratio, 4000 out 800 in, in zone F. It would increase effort, anyone holding a latent license and buying the tags would sell to someone who will fish 800. Increasing effort while the settlement surveys are down is not wise.

Transferability seems to usually change the face of fisheries, and not in a positive way. The people who should carry on the tradition can't afford to get in. And the people exiting end up selling heritage to the highest bidder as a retirement plan. Kids can't afford to get in.

Thank you. Alex Todd

Sent from my iPhone