



Stop the **Threat** to the
President's Ocean Legacy

**Don't let the
Fisheries Service
bureaucracy
undermine
what the Bush
administration
is about to
accomplish**

President Bush is poised to do for ocean conservation what Theodore Roosevelt did for America's public lands when he created some of our most revered national parks.

But now that ocean legacy is threatened. The National Marine Fisheries Service has proposed a convoluted new procedure for applying the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) to ocean management. It would replace a well established environmental review and public comment process with a maze of ambiguous new rules that are likely to lead to years of litigation. This is not what President Bush and Congress intended.

America needs an ocean protection process that's clear, open and supportive of the president's efforts to preserve some of our most fragile marine environments.



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