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To establish certain requirements with respect to pollock and golden king crab.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

SEPTEMBER 29, 2015

Ms. CANTWELL (for herself, Ms. MURKOWSKI, Mr. SULLIVAN, and Mrs. MURRAY) introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions

A BILL

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1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “Alaskan Pollock and
5 Golden King Crab Labeling Act”.

6 **SEC. 2. REQUIREMENTS.**

7 (a) POLLOCK AND GOLDEN KING CRAB.—Notwith-
8 standing any other provision of law, for purposes of apply-
9 ing the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (21 U.S.C.
10 301 et seq.)—

1 (1) the acceptable market name of *Gadus*
2 *chalcogrammus*, formerly known as *Theragra*
3 *chalcogramma*, is “pollock”; and

4 (2) the acceptable market name of *Lithodes*
5 *aequispinus* is “golden king crab”.

6 (b) LABELING OF POLLOCK.—Section 403 of the
7 Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (21 U.S.C. 343)
8 is amended by adding at the end the following:

9 “(z) If it is labeled or advertised as ‘Alaskan pollock’
10 or ‘Alaska pollock’ and it is not pollock that is harvested
11 in the exclusive economic zone (as that term is defined
12 in the section 3 of the Magnuson-Stevens Fishery Con-
13 servation and Management Act (16 U.S.C. 1802)) or the
14 State waters adjacent to the State of Alaska.”.

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