

**MINUTES of the ANNUAL PUBLIC MEETING of the NORTHERN DISTRICT SALMON FISHERY
BOARD held on WEDNESDAY 7th MAY 2025 at 2.10PM at the BETTYHILL HOTEL**

Present: The Hon Mrs S Lopes (Naver & Chair of Meeting)
The Rt. Hon Lord Iliffe (Naver)
Mr A Nicholson (Mallart)
Mr S Green (Naver)
Mr P Gray (Naver)
Mr D Buchan (Naver)
Mr R Sweeting (Halladale)
Mrs L Lyle (Naver) (via videoconferencing)
Mr V Hackel (Strathy) (via videoconferencing)

In Attendance: Mrs A Nicholson (Mallart)
Mr A Muat (Bettyhill Angling Club)
Mr A Stock (Naver)
Mrs A MacAuslan (Clerk)

Apologies: Mr J Stewart (Borgie)
Mr A Stone (Naver)

The Chair welcomed all to the Annual Public Meeting.

1. ANNUAL REPORT

The Clerk referred to the Annual Report, which she explained had been considered at the Annual Meeting of Qualified Proprietors directly prior to this meeting and covers the Board's activity for the 2024 season.

The Clerk advised that the annual report will be published on the NDSFB website for information.

There were no questions or comments.

2. ANNUAL ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER 2024

The Clerk referred to the 2024 Financial Accounts, which had been considered and approved at the earlier Annual Meeting of Qualified Proprietors.

The annual accounts were approved at that meeting and will be made available to the public on the NDSFB website.

There were no questions or comments.

3. ANY OTHER BUSINESS

There being no other business raised, the Chair thanked everyone for attending and closed the meeting.