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What Does Area Redevelopment Mean to Fisheries?

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Abstract

Public Law 87-27, enacted in May, 1961, is designed to relieve unemployment in certain economically distressed areas. In such coastal areas as are designated as ARA-eligible, the fishing industry may receive benefits in the form of low-cost long term loans, public facilities loans or grants, or technical assistance grants. Universities, research agencies, and state fisheries agencies may also participate as contractors for technical assistance projects. Only recently moving into high gear, the ARA program offers new prospects for much-needed development of the fisheries in eligible areas.

Electrofishing With Bottom Trawls at Sea

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Abstract

Experiments with an electrical field in the area in front of a standard trawl were recently concluded. 154 test tows, about half with electricity and half without electricity for comparison purposes, were made. The analysis of the