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Opposition Leader Says Fish Aid Package Underestimates Existing Needs



Opposition Leader Yvonne Jones says government's response to the fisheries crisis underestimates the need that exists. She says the province's fisheries package recognizes that serious problems exist in the industry, but does not address the dire need faced by fish harvesters and plant workers due to this year's significant downturn. Jones says the FFAW, plant workers and fish harvesters have criticized the plan as not going far enough and she wants government to re-evaluate the program and determine whether further action can be taken.