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FYI, the fish boom at Hydro Kennebec has ripped (see attached photo) as the result of debris and the current high water conditions (Kennebec River flows at the downstream Sidney gauge are currently over 80,000 cfs). The boom will be removed from the water for repairs when water conditions allow, but we do not intend to put the replacement boom back in place until next spring due to the high flows and imminent winter conditions. With the current water conditions and the majority of flows passing Hydro Kennebec by spillage, downstream fish passage should not be an issue for the foreseeable future.

Please feel free to let me know if you have any questions or concerns.

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