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Cooke Aquaculture is a very responsible company who follows all guidelines, both Provincial and Federal here in Canada and also in the other areas that they farm worldwide, and who has gone above and beyond these guidelines, and who have received the highest rewards in certifications world wide.

This company plays a huge role in our communities, supporting local business's and employing a huge number of people in these communities, which has a huge economical spin off in each of these communities.

I totally support aquaculture as we need this in order to meet the global demand for fresh sustainable seafood to provide our communities with healthy seafood, both wild and farmed products.

Cooke's has been in business for over 40 years and has proven their commitment to raising their products with best practices for the environment and for the animals that they are farming.

Cooke's has received the BAP (Best Aquaculture Practices) award, which is not and easy certification to receive/accomplish.

Cooke's has managed to keep up their up responsibilities in order to be re-certified year after year.

I believe that allowing the steel head trout to be raised there would prove be most beneficial to the communities also, allowing fresh local seafood to be consumed and sold through out the Country, making it profitable and not have to import from outside the country.

Please consider and support Cooke's application.

Respectfully, Gatchel Griffin