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Farmed salmon has proven itself to be an environmental disaster from Norway to b.c. The state of Alaska seems to have the only rational policy on aquaculture and that is complete moratorium. Effects of aquaculture are many. For instance, the pcb levels in the farmed salmon are killing orcas, and sea lice from farmed salmon attach themselves to wild frye and kill off wild stock. Washington state's allegiance to private capital accumulation via permitting Cooke aquaculture to continue poisoning our waters is not a shock but it should be condemned. The data and science around net pens and the proliferation of aquaculture is clear. It is an environmental nightmare that impacts the smallest frye to the largest orca. When it is marketed to humans, we then ingest the color additives and pcbs, henceforth contributing to an increased cancer risk. So while the rich can afford to eat wild, the poor are stuck with garbage. Same old story under capitalism. We need a state controlled by the working class for the benefit of working people and the environment. Down with Cooke aquaculture and down with capitalism.