**S2 Table. 16S and control region *Sebastes* mtDNA PCR amplification primers.**

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| **Amplified Region** | **Primer** | **Sequence (5'-3')** | **Reference** |
| 16S | 16SA | CGCCTGTTTATCAAAAACAT | Palumbi et al. [78] |
| 16S | 16SA-2 | CYGYRGCTCTTMRYTGTAGGAGKG | This study |
| 16S | 16SB-2 | KCCCTAAYGTCTTTGGTTGGGGC | This study |
| 16S | 16SB | CCGGTCTGAACTCAGATCACGT | Palumbi et al. [78] |
| Control Region | D-RF | CCTGAAAATAGGAACCAAATGCCAG | Hyde and Vetter [3] |
| Control Region | Thr-RF | GAGGAYAAAGCACTTGAATGAGC | Hyde and Vetter [3] |