

## Black Duck Bay

Segment: 2428 Bays and Estuaries

**Basin number:** 24  
**Basin group:** C  
**Water body classification:** Classified  
**Water body type:** Estuary  
**Water body length / area:** 0.6 Sq. miles  
**Water body uses:** Aquatic Life Use, Contact Recreation Use, General Use, Fish Consumption Use

<b>Standards Not Met in 2004</b>				
<b>Assessment Area</b>	<b>Use</b>	<b>Support Status</b>	<b>Parameter</b>	<b>Category</b>
Entire segment	Fish Consumption Use	Not Supporting	PCBs in catfish, spotted seatrout, and blue crab	5a
Entire segment	Fish Consumption Use	Not Supporting	dioxin in catfish and crab tissue	5a

**Additional Information:** The aquatic life, contact recreation, and general uses were not assessed.

<b>Published studies:</b> <b>Publication</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Author</b>
IS 87-06 Houston Ship Channel	July 1984	Kirkpatrick, J.
IS 87-09 Houston Ship Channel	Feb. 1985	Kirkpatrick, J.