

INSTRUCTIONS FOR HIGH SEAS FISHING PERMIT APPLICATION

SECTION 1. VESSEL INFORMATION

Enter the U.S. Coast Guard Official Documentation Number assigned to the vessel. Also, attach to the application form a photocopy of the vessel's current documentation (Form CG-1270). If the vessel is not USCG documented, enter the vessel's current state or tribal registration number and attach a copy of the vessel's current state or tribal registration. Insure that all photocopies are completely legible.

Enter the current name of the vessel.

Enter the radio call sign currently assigned to the vessel.

Enter the number of crew members and officers the vessel normally carries.

Enter shaft horsepower.

Indicate refrigeration type.

Indicate fishing vessel type that best describes your vessel. Check only one box.

SECTION 2. AUTHORIZED HIGH SEAS FISHING ACTIVITIES

Using as a reference the attached list of Authorized High Seas Fishing Activities, indicate those under which you will fish on the high seas. Indicate only those under which you will actually fish. **You are responsible for meeting the reporting requirements for all you select.**

SECTION 3. VESSEL OWNERSHIP INFORMATION

If the vessel is owned by a corporation, enter the company name, date of incorporation, tax identification number, business address and voice and fax phone numbers. Attach a copy of the certificate of incorporation.

If the vessel is owned by an individual or partnership, enter the names of all owners, date of birth of each owner, social security number of each owner, and address and telephone information for each owner (if more than one owner, attach required information for each additional owner on separate paper). If a partnership, attach a copy of the partnership agreement.

SECTION 4. VESSEL OPERATOR INFORMATION

Enter the name, date of birth, social security number, and address and telephone information for the vessel operator.

SECTION 5. VESSEL STATUS

Indicate whether the vessel has flown the flag of a nation other than the United States within the last three years. If yes, provide the additional information requested.

Indicate whether the vessel, under its current or any previous names/flags, had any permit or license suspended or revoked within the past three years. If yes, provide the additional information requested.

SECTION 6. SIGNATURE

Sign and print your name and enter the date the application was signed. Be sure to include your application fee of \$67.00 in the form of a check or money order made payable to the “U.S. Department of Commerce – NOAA.”