

INSTRUCTIONS FOR COMPLETING THE WESTERN PACIFIC PRECIOUS CORAL HARVEST LOG REPORT

Effort information

COLLECTOR/COMPANY NAME: Individual name (black coral diver), company name of submersible/ROV.

VESSEL NAME: Name of support vessel.

PERMIT NO.: Western Pacific Precious Coral Fishery Permit number.

RADIO CALL SIGN: Radio call sign.

DATE OF HARVEST: Date of precious coral harvest.

HARVEST METHOD: Precious coral harvest method, i.e. submersible, hand harvest.

AREA FISHED: General area fished, i.e. island or bank name and location.

START TIME: Start time (24 hour clock) of harvesting operations.

START LATITUDE, START LONGITUDE: Start location of harvest operations.

END TIME: End time (24 hour clock) of harvesting operations.

END LATITUDE, END LONGITUDE: End location of harvest operations.

HARVEST DEPTH RANGE: Maximum and minimum depth of harvest operations (fathoms).

NUMBER OF DIVES: Number of dives conducted in the day.

NO. OF HOURS FISHED (bottom time): Total bottom time of harvesting (all dives combined).

PORT OF LANDING: Port of vessel return (e.g., Honolulu, Hilo, Kodiak, Los Angeles, etc.).

VIDEO RECORD PROVIDED: Check the appropriate box if submersible or ROV dive video is submitted with the report.

Catch Information

NUMBER OF CORAL TREES HARVESTED: Total number of coral trees harvested, tallied by individual species groups.

WEIGHT HARVESTED (lbs): Total wet weight of coral trees harvested, tallied by individual species groups.

Marine Mammal/Other Species Interactions Observations

Enter number of individual species observed in the appropriate activity designation box. Please identify if possible.

CONTACT AND VERIFICATION INFORMATION

CAPTAIN/OPERATOR: Print full name, sign on signature line, date of report completion.

VESSEL REPORTING OBLIGATION REQUIREMENTS

The operator of any fishing vessel subject to the requirements of the Code of Federal Regulations, Title 50, Section 665.81 must maintain onboard the vessel an accurate and complete record of catch, effort, and other data on report forms provided by the Regional Administrator. All information specified on the forms must be recorded on the forms within 24 hours after the completion of each fishing day. Each form must be signed and dated by the fishing vessel operator. The original logbook form must be submitted to the National Marine Fisheries Service within 72 hours of each landing of management unit species. **Submit log report to: Pacific Islands Fisheries Science Center, ATTN: FMAP, 2570 Dole St., Honolulu, HI 96822. For more information call (808) 983-5326.**