



**INSTRUCTIONS:**  
 For "address" provide complete mailing address.  
 If not applicable write NA- leave no blanks  
 Specify units of measurement if not metric

**HIGH SEAS FISHING ACT, 2003**  
**APPLICATION FORM FOR LICENSE TO FISH ON THE HIGH SEAS**

**Ownership Information**

1. Name of vessel: \_\_\_\_\_

2. History of vessel e.g. Year Built/Converted etc: \_\_\_\_\_

3. Previous Names (if any) \_\_\_\_\_ 4. Previous Registry: \_\_\_\_\_

5. Registration Number: \_\_\_\_\_ 6. Radio Call Sign: \_\_\_\_\_ 7. IMO Number: \_\_\_\_\_

8. Names and Address of Vessel's Bona-fide Owners: (*Belize address not applicable*): \_\_\_\_\_

9. Name Chairman or CEO of Owning Company: \_\_\_\_\_

10. Nationality of Chairman or CEO: \_\_\_\_\_

11. Tel No.: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax No.: \_\_\_\_\_ e-mail address: \_\_\_\_\_

12. Name and Address of Vessel's Operators: \_\_\_\_\_

13. Name of Person responsible for the operation of the vessel: \_\_\_\_\_

14. Nationality of the person responsible for the operation of the vessel: \_\_\_\_\_

15. Tel No.: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax No.: \_\_\_\_\_ e-mail address: \_\_\_\_\_

16. Does the Owner of this vessel own or operate any other vessel?, if so please list name and nationality of each vessel:  
 \_\_\_\_\_

17. Have this fishing vessel or any of the other above listed vessels been sanctioned or have engaged in Illegal, Unregulated and Unreported Fishing Activities? \_\_\_\_\_

**DESCRIPTION OF VESSEL**

Gross Ton	Net Ton	L.O.A <i>Length Overall</i>	L.B.P <i>Length between Perpendicular</i>	Depth	Beam	Name and Place of Builders	Horse Power

Sub Category:  Freezer/Reefer  Fish Carrier  Fishing Factory  Fishing Only  Other: \_\_\_\_\_  
(please specify)

**DESCRIPTION OF VESSEL'S ACTIVITIES**

Areas of Fishing: (*Coordinates required*)  
 (see codes in reverse) \_\_\_\_\_

RFMO Area:  ICCAT  IATTC  IOTC  NEAFC  NAFO  CCAMLR  WCPFC Other: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Regional Fisheries Management Organization) See reverse side for RFMO areas (please specify)

Is or was vessel Listed on the Authorized List of any of the above RFMOs or any other Fishery Organization? If so, give details:

Major Catch Species (type): (*see codes in reverse*)

List of By-catches (type):

**(Please ensure that the exact category/sub-category of species is specified e.g. Shark, should be stated as Blue Shark, Mako Shark etc.)**

Type of Refrigeration: <i>(eg. Ice, brine, blast freezer etc.)</i>		Maximum freezing temperature: <i>(eg. -30°C)</i>	Fish Hold Volume m <sup>3</sup>
Type of Fishing Gear: <i>(see codes in reverse)</i>	Carrying Capacity: <i>(in metric tons ONLY)</i>	Method of Processing or Landing Fish:	Company IMO I.D. Number <i>(if available)</i>
Intended Ports of Delivery of Catch: <i>(For transshipment activities on the high seas to other vessels the names of vessels and their nationality must be stated in addition to their destination ports.)</i>			
Intended Product condition on delivery <i>(see codes on next page):</i>		Will vessel employ fishing aids or special devices? eg. FADs, Specify:	

**DETAILS OF VESSEL MONITORING SYSTEM**

Which of the following vessel monitoring equipment will be utilized on board vessel? (tick as appropriate)

INMARSAT C       INMARSAT Mini C       INMARSAT D+

If INMARSAT equipment is already onboard, give details of:

1. INMARSAT Mobile Number \_\_\_\_\_      2. Serial Number of Unit \_\_\_\_\_

3. Make and Model of Unit \_\_\_\_\_  
*(please see reverse side for list of accepted Inmarsat C and Mini C manufacturers)*

4. Software Version of the terminal e.g. Version 2.21 or other \_\_\_\_\_  
*(Software versions below 2.21 will not be accepted as it is not compatible with our VMS program)*

**CREW INFORMATION:**

*(Beside each Deck & Engine Position, please indicate the number and nationality)*

**Name of Master:** \_\_\_\_\_

DECK	NO.	NATIONALITY
Master		
Chief Mate		
Watchkeeping Officer		
Watchkeeping Deck Rating		
Deck Rating		
Other		

ENGINE	NO.	NATIONALITY
Chief Engineer		
Second Engineer		
Watchkeeping Engineer		
Chief Electrician		
Watchkeeping Engine Rating		
Other		

Pursuant to Part III Section 6 of the High Seas Fishing Act, 2003 we declare that the above information is true and hereby apply for a High Seas Fishing License.

Signed this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ of the year \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Applicant

For or on behalf of Owners/Bareboat Charterers\*

**\*Delete as appropriate.**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Deputy Registrar/Agent\*

**For use by IMMARBE Head Office only.**

Date of Receipt of Application: \_\_\_\_\_

Pending Requirements: \_\_\_\_\_

Application Approved:

(date and signature of authorized person)

## INSTRUCTION FOR COMPLETING THE APPLICATION FORM

<u>FISHING ZONE CODES</u>	<u>GEAR CODES</u>	<u>FISHING SPECIES CODE</u>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>AREA CODES</u></p> <p>EAST East Atlantic  NW Northwest Atlantic  WTRO West Tropical Atlantic  SW Southwest Atlantic  GOFM Gulf of Mexico  WEST West Atlantic  ATL Atlantic Unclassified  CVER Cape Verde Area  NAM Namibian Area  NWC Northwest Central Atlantic  NORT North Atlantic  SOUT South Atlantic  NE Northeast Atlantic  ETRO East Tropical Atlantic  SE Southeast Atlantic  TROP Tropical Atlantic  CANA Canary Islands Area  BISC Bay of Biscay  MEDI Mediterranean Sea  ADRI Adriatic Sea  SADR South Adriatic Sea  NLADR North Adriatic Sea  S.SIC Strait of Sicily  S.ION South Ionian Sea  NION North Ionian Sea  TYRR Tyrrhenian Sea  LIGU Ligurian Sea  SARD Sardina Area  AZOR Azores Islands Area  MIDRA Madeira Islands Area  IO Indian Ocean  SIO South Indian Ocean  NIO North Indian Ocean  PO Pacific Ocean  NPO North Pacific Ocean  SPO South Pacific Ocean  EPO East Pacific Ocean  Other Please specify</p>	<p>LL Long Line  LLMB Long Line with Mother Boat  LLFB Foreign Based Long Line  LLHB Home Based Long Line  PSG Large Scale Purse Seine (over 200mt capacity)  PS Purse Seine  PSS Small Scale Purse Seine (less than 50mt capacity)  PSD Double Boat Purse Seine  TROL Troll  TRAP Trap  SURF Surface Fisheries Unclassified  SPOR Recreational Fisheries (mostly rod and steel)  TRAW Trawler  BBI Bait Boat with Ice Well  BBF Bait Boat with Freezer  BB Bait Boat  HARP Harpoon  HAND Handling  PSM Medium Size Purse Seine (50-200mt capacity)  PSLB Purse Seine using Live Boat  RR Rod and Reel  MWT Mid-water Trawl (pelagic trawl)  GILL Gillnet (drift net)  PSFB Purse Seine Catching Large Fish  PSFS Purse Seine Catching Small Fish  HS Hail Seine  TN Trammel Net  SPHL Sport Fishing Using Hand Line  BLL Bottom Long Line or (Deep Long Line)  LLD Long Line Discards  MWTD Mid-Water Paired Trawl  TLD Tended Line Discards  RRD Rod and Reel Discards  GILD Gillnet Discards  RRSD Small Rod and Reel Discard  NTO Net Towed Out dredger  JIG Jigger  UNCD Unclassified gear, Discarded</p>	<p>BFT Bluefin Tuna  SBT Southern Bluefin Tuna  YFT Yellowfin Tuna  ALB Albacore  BET Bigeye Tuna  BLF Blackfin Tuna  LTA Atlantic Black Skipjack  SKJ Skipjack  BON Atlantic Bonito  FRI Frigate Tuna  BOP Plain Bonito  WAH Wahoo  SSM Spotted Spanish Mackerel  KGM King Mackerel  SAI Atlantic Snail fish  BLM Black Marlin  BUM Blue Marlin  WHM Atlantic White Marlin  SWO Broadbill Swordfish  SPF Spearfish  OTH Unknown Tuna Species  BGT Big Tunas Unclassified  YOU Young Tunas  BIL Billfishes Unclassified  SMT Small Tunas  KGX Scomberomorus Unclass  MAW W. Africa Spanish Mackerel  CER Cero  BLT Bullet Tuna  MIX Mixed Species of Tuna    BRS Serra Spanish Mackerel  Other Please Specify</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>PRODUCT CONDITON CODES</u></p> <p>F Fresh  FR Frozen  GG Gillet and Guttet  DR Dressed  FI Fillet</p>

<b>List of Accepted Manufacturers of Inmarsat C and Mini C Equipment:</b>					Anritsu	Atlas	Debeg	Furuno
Husun	Intermarine	JRC	Litton	Marconi	Nera	Phillipe	Raytheon	SNEC
SP Radio	STC	Sailor	Sait Marine	Saturn C	Scanti	Sperry	Sperry Marine	Toshiba
Trimble	Thrane and Thrane		Standard Radio					

<b>REGIONAL FISHERIES MANAGEMENT ORGANIZATIONS (RFMO)</b>	
<b>ICCAT</b>	(International Commission for the Conserveation of Atlantic Tunas) includes the entire Atlantic Ocean and its adjacent seas.
<b>IATTC</b>	(Inter-American Tropical Tuna Commission) includes the Eastern Pacific Ocean (EPO), bounded by the coastline of North, Central, and South America, 40°N, 150°W, and 40°S.
<b>IOTC</b>	(Indian Ocean Tuna Commission) includes the entire Indian Ocean and its adjacent seas.
<b>NEAFC</b>	(North East Atlantic Fisheries Commission) includes the Atlantic and Arctic Oceans east of a line south of Cape Farewell – the southern tip of Greenland, (42° W), north of a line to the west of Cape Hatteras – the southern tip of Spain, (36° N) and west of a line touching the western tip of Nowa Semlya (51°E). The Baltic and Mediterranean Seas are excluded.
<b>NAFO</b>	(North West Atlantic Fisheries Organization) Consist of an area in the high seas near the Canadian coastal waters as follows: the waters of the Northwest Atlantic Ocean north of the 35°00' north latitude and west of a line extending due north from 35°00' north latitude and 42°00' west longitude to 59°00' north latitude, thence due west to 44°00' west longitude, and thence due north to the coast of Greenland and the waters of the Gulf of St. Lawrence, Davis Strait and Baffin Bay south of 78°10' north latitude,
<b>CCAMLR</b>	(Commission for Conservation of Antarctic Marine Living Resources) This area consists of all waters bounded by the Antarctic Continent to the south and to the north by a line starting at 50°S, 50°W thence due east to 30°E longitude, thence due north to 45°S latitude, thence due east to 80°E longitude, thence due south to 55°S latitude, thence due east to 150°E longitude, thence due south to 60°S latitude, thence due east to 50°W longitude, thence due north to the starting point.
<b>WCPFC</b>	(Western and Central Pacific Fisheries Commission) The area is from the south coast of Australia due south along the 141° meridian of east longitude to its intersection with the 55° parallel of south latitude; thence due east along the 55° parallel of south latitude to its intersection with the 150° meridian of east longitude, thence due south along the 150° meridian of east longitude to its intersection with the 60° parallel of south latitude, thence due east along the 60° parallel of south latitude to its intersection with the 130° meridian of west longitude; thence due north along the 130° meridian of west longitude to its intersection with the 4° parallel of south latitude; then due west along the 4° parallel of south latitude to its intersection with the 150° meridian of west longitude: thence due north along the 150° meridian of west longitude.