

# Recreational Saltwater Fishing /Operator's License 2012

This form may be used to apply for licenses. Please provide all information requested. Delays may result from incomplete applications.



## Part A: Required Applicant Information

Registrant Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_  
 State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_ Country: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Birthdate \_\_\_\_\_

## Optional Applicant Information

E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Email addresses provided to a governmental agency may be subject to disclosure if requested in accordance with a Freedom of Access Act request or a Freedom of Information Act request.

## Part B: Fishery Information

Registry effective January 1, 2012 to December 31, 2012  
 Fees are non-refundable.

**Charter Boat, Tidewater Guide License Holders,  
 Smelt Camp Rental Operations,  
 Private Dock / Pier / Wharf Owner** **\$1**

**Charter Boat, Tidewater Guide License Holders**  
 The captain of a vessel licensed to carry passengers for hire for saltwater recreational fishing must provide the following information. **All applicants must provide a copy of the current vessel registration(s).**

Vessel #1 Registration or Documentation #: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Vessel Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Vessel Length: \_\_\_\_\_ Vessel Anchorage: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Is Registrant the Vessel Owner? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

Vessel #2 Registration or Documentation #: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Vessel Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Vessel Length: \_\_\_\_\_ Vessel Anchorage: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Is Registrant the Vessel Owner? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

**For US Coast Guard Inspected Vessels**  
 USCG Vessel License # \_\_\_\_\_ Expires \_\_\_\_\_

**For vessels without US Coast Guard Inspection**  
 Captain/Operator's License # \_\_\_\_\_ Expires \_\_\_\_\_  
 And  
 Tidewater Fishing Guide License # \_\_\_\_\_ Expires \_\_\_\_\_  
 (only for operation in State waters)

**Smelt Camp Rental Operations**  
 A person operating a business that rents smelt fishing camps for saltwater recreational smelt fishing must provide the following information:  
 Business Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Business Town: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Water Body: \_\_\_\_\_

**Private Dock / Pier / Wharf Owner**  
 A person who owns a private dock, pier, or wharf and makes it available for recreational fishing as part of a commercial enterprise must provide the following information:  
 Business Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Business Town: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Dock/Pier/Wharf Location: \_\_\_\_\_

## Part C: Certification / Signature

I hereby declare, under the penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of Maine and the United States of America that the foregoing information is true and correct.

Today's Date \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

Applicant \_\_\_\_\_  
 (Signature of applicant)

Under Title 12, §6306, (1)(2) and (3), a person licensed by the Department of Marine Resources has a duty to submit to inspection, search and seizure by a Marine Patrol Officer. Failure to comply with this duty may result in a license suspension.

- §6306. Consent to inspection**  
**1. Consent to inspection.** Any person who signs an application for a license or aquaculture lease or receives a license or aquaculture lease under this Part has a duty to submit to inspection and search for violations related to the licensed activities by a marine patrol officer under the following conditions.  
 A. Watercraft or vehicles and the equipment located on watercraft or vehicles used primarily in a trade or business requiring a license or aquaculture lease under this Part may be searched or inspected at any time.  
 B. Any other location where activities subject to this Part are conducted may be inspected or searched during the hours when those activities occur.  
 C. A location specified in paragraph B may be inspected at any time if a marine patrol officer has a reasonable suspicion of a violation of this Part.  
 D. No residential dwelling may be searched without a search warrant unless otherwise allowed by law.  
**2. Seizure of evidence.** Any person who signs an application for a license or aquaculture lease or receives a license or aquaculture lease under this Part has a duty to permit seizure of evidence of a violation of marine resources laws found during an inspection or search.  
**3. Refusal.** Refusal to permit inspection or seizure is a basis for suspension of any or all licenses under this chapter or revocation of aquaculture leases.

## Part D: Credit Card Payment

I authorize the State of Maine, Department of Marine Resources, Licensing Division, to charge my

VISA  MasterCard  Discover

Card No. \_\_\_\_\_  
 In the Amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_, Exp date \_\_\_\_\_  
 Signed by cardholder \_\_\_\_\_  
 Date \_\_\_\_\_

**Mail to: Licensing Division  
 Department of Marine Resources  
 21 State House Station  
 Augusta, ME 04333**

**Questions: Call (207) 624-6550**

**Instructions:** Fill in all required information in Part A and Part B. Certify your application with your signature in Part C. Submit payment by check or money order payable to **Treasurer, State of Maine** or fill out Part D above for credit card payments. Mail this application to the address above. We cannot accept applications by fax or phone.