


<b>INSPECTION REQUEST At-Sea Scales</b>		NOAA/National Marine Fisheries Service P.O. Box 21668 Juneau, AK 99802-1668 Telephone: 928-774-4362 or 907-586-7228 FAX: 928-774-4362 or 907-586-7465	
<b>GENERAL</b>			
Company name:		Vessel name:	
Mailing address:		Exact location of vessel:	
Contact person on board:		Telephone No. for contact person:	
Requested Inspection date:		FAX No. for contact person:	
Today's date:		Please give a telephone number on the vessel where the inspector may be contacted during the inspection:	
<b>SCALES TO BE INSPECTED</b>			
	Manufacturer	Model	
1			
2			
Will the repair company be on site at time of inspection? YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>			
Company name:		Contact person and phone:	

At the time of scale inspection please make sure that:

- 1) the scale is installed in a rigid and level manner,
- 2) the display and printer are connected and operational,
- 3) belts leading to the scale are connected and operational  
(not applicable to platform and hanging scales),
- 4) test weights and test weight certification documents are available for inspection  
(platform scales only),
- 5) a crew member will be available to help the inspector transport test materials and conduct the testing.

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