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 NATIONAL MARINE FISHERIES SERVICE  
 Northeast Fisheries Science Center  
 166 Water Street  
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**Data Waiver Form**

I, \_\_\_\_\_, owner or authorized representative of the  
 fishing vessel, \_\_\_\_\_, CG Documentation # \_\_\_\_\_,

submit this form under Section 402(b) (1) (F) of the Magnuson-Stevens Fishery Conservation and Management Act, 16 U.S.C. 1881a(b) (1) (F), to authorize the release of observer information collected for fishery conservation and management purposes aboard the aforementioned vessel to:

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Observer Data Waiver Period: \_\_\_\_\_

Comments: \_\_\_\_\_  
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\_\_\_\_\_  
 Owner/Authorized Representative Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
 Date Signed

**Please return to:**  
 Amy Van Atten, Branch Chief  
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