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Section 1 - OWNER INFORMATION		Section 2 - VESSEL INFORMATION
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## Initial Application for Incidental

## Highly Migratory Species (HMS) Squid Trawl Permit

## Instructions for applying for this permit:

- Review the vessel and owner information above, sign the bottom of this form and mail it to the address above.
- You do not need to submit any additional documents or gear code information. Trawl gear (gear codes 310, 320 and 330) will automatically be applied to this permit.
- This permit will be added to your existing Northeast Region permits.
- Only vessels with a current limited access Illex squid permit are qualified for this permit.

## **Applicant's Name and Signature:**

I, the undersigned, am the owner or legally authorized agent of the owner of the vessel named in Section 2 above. I affirm, subject to the penalties provided in 18 USC 1001, that all information that I have given in obtaining this permit is true and correct. By signing this application, I am applying for an Incidental HMS Squid Trawl permit for the vessel named above in Section 2 of this application.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Date:\_\_\_\_\_

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