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Observer ID

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Pacific Islands Region
Longline Observer Program**

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Protected Species Page No.

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Protected Species Event Log

Write **PSI comments** and **PSI Identifying Characteristics** for specific Protected Species Event Log records in the Comments Log.

Page No.	Line No.	Event No.	Day	Month	Year	Hour	Minute	Group/Individual ID	Event Type Code	Vess. Activity Code	Set No.	Sighting Method	Degree	Minute	Direction N/S	Degree	Minute	Direction E/W	Weather Code	Species English Name Abbr.	Species Code	Behavior Code	Condition Code	Low Estimate	Best Estimate	High Estimate	Sketch Drawn ?	Photo Taken ?	Comment Written?	Form Code	Page No.	Line No.		
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Event Type Codes
 B Behavior
 A Approach
 C Contact
 S Scan Count
 X Event Ended

Vessel Activity Codes
 01 Gear Retrieval
 02 Gear Set
 03 Gear Drift/Float
 04 Pre-Set Preparation
 05 Post Haul Clean-up
 06 Running
 07 Other

Weather Codes
 00 Not determined
 01 Clear
 02 Partly cloudy
 03 Layers of clouds
 04 Drizzle
 05 Showers
 06 Rain
 07 Thunderstorms
 08 Rain and fog
 09 Fog/thick haze
 10 Snow, rain/snow mix
 99 Other

Most Common Protected Species
 Code English Name Abbr.
 dNG Black-Footed Albatross
 dIM Laysan Albatross
 aVE Birds

 CC Loggerhead Sea Turtle
 LV Olive Ridley Sea Turtle
 DC Leatherback Sea Turtle
 CM Green Sea Turtle
 UH Hard Shell Sea Turtles

 PC False Killer Whale
 GG Risso's Dolphin
 GM Shortfinned Pilot Whale
 UW Whales/Dolphins/Porpoises
 TT Bottlenose Dolphin
 MN Humpback Whale

Behavior Codes
 01 Physical contact w/gear
 02 Attempt, no contact
 03 Near gear, within 50 m
 04 Near gear, 51 to 150 m
 05 Feeding on catch
 06 Porpoising
 07 Bow riding
 08 Breaching
 09 Swimming at surface
 10 Milling
 11 Motionless at surface
 12 Vessel avoidance
 13 Vessel attraction
 99 Other

Condition Codes
 01 Unknown
 02 Alive, not injured
 03 Injured
 04 Killed
 05 Dead, fresh
 06 Decomposed

Sighting Method Codes
 00 Not determined
 01 Sighted with naked eye
 02 Sighted with binoculars
 03 Sighted by capt./crew, then Observer
 04 Sighted by capt. or crew only
 09 Other

