OMB Control No. 0648-0703

Expiration Date:

**NOTIFICATION TO TRANSPORT CULTURED JUVENILES TO OFFSHORE SYSTEMS**

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| **FOR OFFICE USE ONLY** |
| Date Received |  |
| Gulf Aquaculture Permit Number |  |
| Reviewer Initials and Date |  |

**Permittees must notify NOAA Fisheries via phone (XXX) XXX-XXXX or the web form (website TBD) at least 72 hours prior to the desired date of transport.**

***This form is not required if the hatchery is co-located with the offshore aquaculture facility in the Gulf EEZ.***

 **Part 1 – Permit Holder Information**

LAST NAME FIRST NAME MIDDLE NAME Suffix (Sr., II, etc.)

MAILING ADDRESS Apt/Suite #

CITY STATE COUNTY ZIP CODE

WORK TELEPHONE NUMBER CELL PHONE NUMBER GULF AQUACULTURE PERMIT NUMBER

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 **Part 2 – Species and Transfer Information**

DATE OF TRANSFER (MM/DD/YYYY) TIME OF TRANSFER

 : AM / PM

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HATCHERY NAME HATCHERY MAILING ADDRESS (or GPS COORDINATES IF LOCATED OFFSHORE)

Provide the GPS coordinates for the location of the offshore aquaculture facility where fish are being transported.

LATITUDE (DEGREE MINUTES TO THIRD DECIMAL PLACE) LONGITUDE (DEGREE MINUTES TO THIRD DECIMAL PLACE)

 Genus and Species Average Total Length # of Fish Transported

 (inches)

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**Note: Prior to stocking fish in an allowable aquaculture system at an aquaculture facility in federal waters of the Gulf, the permittee must provide NOAA FISHERIES with a copy of a health certificate signed by an aquatic animal health expert (as defined in 50 CFR 622.106(a)(5)), certifying that such fish were inspected and determined to be free of reportable pathogens as specified by the World Organization of Animal Health or National Aquatic Animal Health Plan.**

 **Part 3 – Signature**

I hereby declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing information is true and correct (28 U.S.C. section 1746; 18 U.S.C. section 1621; 18 U.S.C. section 1001).

PERMIT OWNER SIGNATURE DATE SIGNED (MM/DD/YYYY)

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PRINTED NAME POSITION IN COMPANY (if applicable)

**Mail the completed form to:**

**NMFS Permits Office (F/SER14), Attn: Regional Aquaculture Coordinator,**

**263 13th Avenue South, St. Petersburg, FL 33701.**

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