



Request for Full Observer Coverage

NOAA/National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS)
Alaska Region
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File annually by October 15 of the year prior to fishing activity.

NMFS will provide notification of approval or denial.

REQUEST ACKNOWLEDGEMENT		
1. By marking this box, I verify that the vessel named in Block B is eligible to be placed in the observer full coverage category as described at 50 CFR part 679.51; and I request this vessel be placed in the full observer coverage category for the fishing year indicated in Box 2.	2. Fishing Year:	
BLOCK A -- OWNER INFORMATION		
1. Owner Name:	2. Company Name (<i>if any</i>):	
3. Business Mailing Address:		
4. Business Telephone Number:	5. Business Fax Number:	6. Business E-Mail Address:
BLOCK B -- VESSEL INFORMATION		
1. Vessel Name:	2. Federal Fisheries Permit Number:	
BLOCK C -- APPLICANT CERTIFICATION		
<i>Under penalties of perjury, I hereby declare that I, the undersigned, completed this application, and the information contained herein is true, correct, and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief.</i>		
1. Applicant Name (<i>please print or type</i>)		
2. Signature:	3. Date:	

PUBLIC REPORTING BURDEN STATEMENT

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