

## Sea Turtle Release Equipment Checklist

PLACE AN "X" IN THE BOX FOR EVERY ITEM PRESENT ON THE VESSEL AND CROSS THROUGH A BOX WITH A SINGLE LINE FOR ITEMS THAT ARE NOT PRESENT. DO NOT LEAVE ANY BLANKS. WRITE ANY ADDITIONAL COMMENTS BESIDE ITEM DESCRIPTIONS.

### REQUIRED FOR TURTLES NOT BOATED:

- A- (1) Long-handled line cutter.
- B- (1) Long-handled dehooker for internal hooks.
- C- (1) Long-handled dehooker for external hooks (The long-handled dehooker for internal hooks used for Item B will also satisfy this requirement).
- D- (1) Long-handled device to pull an "Inverted V" (If 6' J-Style Dehooker is used for Item C, it will also satisfy this requirement).
- E-(1) Turtle control device (2 devices are recommended).

### REQUIRED FOR TURTLES BOATED:

- F- (1) Dip net.
- G- (1) Standard automobile tire.
- H- (1) Short-handled dehooker for internal hooks.
- I- (1) Short-handled dehooker for removing external hooks (The short-handled dehooker for internal hooks used for Item H will also satisfy this requirement).
- J- (1) Long-nose or needle-nose pliers.
- K- (1) Bolt cutter.
- L- (1) Monofilament line cutter.
- M- (2) Types of mouth openers/mouth gags from the following list:
  - A block of hard wood;
  - A set of (3) canine mouth gags;
  - A set of (2) sturdy dog chew bones;
  - (2) rope loops covered with hose;
  - A hank of rope;
  - A set of (4) PVC splice couplings;
  - A large avian oral speculum.

### RECOMMENDED EQUIPMENT:

- (N)- (1) Turtle hoist.