

NATIONAL INVENTORY OF MARINE MAMMALS INSTITUTIONAL CONTACTS

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I. Institution

Owner Facility Both Owner and Facility

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____ Country: _____

Phone: _____ Fax: _____

Webpage: _____

Association of Zoos and Aquariums member: Yes or No

Alliance of Marine Mammal Parks member: Yes or No

USDA license number: _____

II. Responsible Official

Salutation: _____ (e.g., Mr./Ms./Dr.)

Name: _____

Title: _____

Phone: _____

E-Mail: _____

III. Primary Contact

Salutation: _____ (e.g., Mr./Ms./Dr.)

Name: _____

Title: _____

Phone: _____

E-Mail: _____

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The Marine Mammal Protection Act of 1972, as amended (MMPA) (16 U.S.C. 1361 *et seq.*) requires that persons holding permanently captive marine mammals submit certain information to the National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS). Under the MMPA, NMFS is required to maintain an inventory of all marine mammals held for public display. Animals held for scientific research, enhancement, and national defense purposes by the Navy are also included in the inventory.

1. Please read all of the instructions before filling out this form.
2. The **Owner** is the entity with the legal title to the marine mammals at your institution. The **Facility** is the physical location of the animals. An **Owner and Facility** may be the same entity; if so, please select both under 'Institution' in Section I.
3. The **Responsible Official** is the individual responsible for and who has the signatory authority for marine mammal custody decisions for or as the owner, or animal care and disposition at the facility. The **Primary Contact** is the registrar or other person responsible for maintaining the marine mammal inventory records for the owner or at the facility. The **Responsible Official** and the **Primary Contact** can be the same person, but should be noted in both Sections II and III.
4. Institutional contact data submitted via this form will be entered into the National Inventory of Marine Mammals (NIMM).
5. Documentation required for this information collection is subject to the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA). Personal or sensitive information that is subject to the Privacy Act will be redacted under FOIA.

QUESTIONS? If you need assistance completing this form or would like to submit a completed form, please contact the Permits and Conservation Division via:

- a. Email (NIMM.Inventory@noaa.gov);
- b. Phone (301-427-8401); or
- c. Mail (NMFS Permits and Conservation Division (F/PR1), 1315 East-West Hwy, Silver Spring, MD 20910).

A Federal agency may not conduct or sponsor, and a person is not required to respond to, nor shall a person be subject to a penalty for failure to comply with an information collection subject to the requirements of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 unless the information collection has a currently valid OMB Control Number. The approved OMB Control Number for this information collection is 0648-0084. Without this approval, we could not conduct this information collection. Public reporting for this information collection is estimated to be approximately 30 minutes per response, including the time for reviewing instructions, searching existing data sources, gathering and maintaining the data needed, and completing and reviewing the information collection. All responses to this information collection are required for marine mammal inventory reporting purposes pursuant to the MMPA. Send comments regarding this burden estimate or any other aspect of this information collection, including suggestions for reducing this burden, to the Chief, Permits and Conservation Division, Office of Protected Resources, F/PR1, NOAA/National Marine Fisheries Service, 1315 East-West Highway, Silver Spring, MD 20910; email NIMM.Inventory@noaa.gov.