

## BSAI Crab Buyback Loan Fee Collection 2024-25 Season Annual Report

**INSTRUCTIONS:** It is very important that each crab buyer report this information under the correct Registered Crab Receiver (**RCR**) **Permit number** under which the fish tickets were created. Separate reports must be submitted for each Reduction Endorsement Fishery. For 2024-25 these are: **BBR** (Bristol Bay red king crab); and **BSS, EBT, WBT** (Opilio/snow crab and Bairdi/Tanner crab).

Fee Collector / Buyer Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Crab Receiver Permit / Buyer Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Reduction Endorsement Fishery: \_\_\_\_\_

Total Pounds Purchased =

Total Delivery Value Paid =

Total Fee Amount Collected =

\*Total Amount of Interest Earned =  
Account Balance at Year End =

\*If applicable

Month	Pounds Purchased	Total Delivery Value	Total Fee Deposits	Date Disbursed to NMFS
July 2024				
August				
September				
October				
November				
December				
January 2025				
February				
March				
April				
May				
June				
<b>Total:</b>		<b>\$</b>	<b>\$</b>	

*Pursuant to 50 CFR 600.1017(a)(14) making false statements to NMFS regarding buyback information is prohibited.*

**Please return completed report via E-mail to:** [William.Fritz@noaa.gov](mailto:William.Fritz@noaa.gov)

Person Filing Report: \_\_\_\_\_ Date Submitted: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

*Is this an amended report?* \_\_\_ *Date amended* \_\_\_\_\_ *Signature affirming amended report* \_\_\_\_\_

**Paperwork Reduction Act Statement:**

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 0648-0376. Without this approval, we could not conduct this information collection. Public reporting for this information collection is estimated to be approximately two hours 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 to obtain benefits. Send comments regarding this burden estimate or any other aspect of this information collection, including suggestions for reducing this burden to Chief/Financial Services Division (F/MB5) Office of Management and Budget, 1315 East West Highway-13th Floor, Silver Spring, MD 20910.

Confidential name and address information may be released via a NOAA website for informational purposes. All other data submitted will be handled as confidential material in accordance with NOAA Administrative Order 216-100, Protection of Confidential Fisheries Statistics. Notwithstanding any other provisions of the law, no person is required to respond to, nor shall any person be subject to a penalty for failure to comply with, a collection of information subject requirements of the Paperwork Reduction Act, unless that collection of information displays a currently claim OMB Control Number.

**Privacy Act Statement:**

Authority: The authority regarding establishment of Fishing Capacity Reduction Programs is 16 U.S.C. §1861 (b)-(e). §§ 600.1000-600.1017 provides the Fishing Capacity Reduction Framework. Specific Fishery or Program Fishing Capacity Regulations authorizations are §§ 600.1100-600.1108.

Purpose: NMFS requests information from fish buyers and sellers to ensure accurate management and repayment of buyback loans.

Routine Uses: NMFS will enforce the collection of all fee payments and bring legal actions for collection enforcement against any fish seller or fish buyer who fails to pay, collect, deposit, and/or disburse the fee in accordance with the regulations. NMFS will audit ex-vessel landing records and fish buyer records for the purpose of determining and enforcing compliance. NMFS will use this information to determine compliance with §§ 600.1000-600.1017. Disclosure of this information is permitted under the Privacy Act of 1974 (5 U.S.C. Section 552a), to be shared within NMFS' Financial Services Division. Disclosure of this information is also subject to all of the published routine uses as identified in Commerce/NOAA-21, Financial Services Division. (<http://www.osec.doc.gov/opog/PrivacyAct/SORNs/noaa-21.html>)

Disclosure: Furnishing this information is mandatory; failure to provide complete and accurate information may result in penalties as described in §§ 600.1100-600.1108.