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IMPORTANT LICENSE INFORMATION FOR:

LIMITED ACCESS COMMERCIAL OR LIMITED COMMERCIAL LOBSTER AND CRAB LICENSEES

Legislation was passed in 2011 which resulted in a change to the eligibility requirements for limited access commercial or limited commercial lobster and crab licenses in New Hampshire.

Beginning January 1, 2012, those eligible for commercial (1200-traps) or limited commercial (600-traps) lobster and crab licenses must do one of the following *each year* in order to maintain their limited access license eligibility in subsequent years:

1. Purchase the commercial or limited commercial license *annually* which they are eligible for; or,
2. File a notarized affidavit with the NH Fish and Game Department *annually* stating the intent to remain eligible for the license in the subsequent year. *The affidavit must be delivered to the Department or postmarked on or before June 30.*

Failure to comply with the above will result in the loss of eligibility for the commercial or limited-commercial lobster and crab license.

Exceptions to the above requirements are:

1. Active duty military personnel stationed outside of New Hampshire may submit duty orders and a written request to the Executive Director for an exemption from the requirements for the year(s) they are stationed outside of the state; and
2. Those prohibited from purchasing a lobster and crab license for the entire calendar year due to court conviction for marine fisheries violations.

The Lobster and Crab License application and a copy of the affidavit form can be found online at www.FishNH.com. If you have any questions, please feel free to call me or Renee Zobel at 603-868-1095.

Sincerely,

Cheri Patterson
Chief of Marine Fisheries

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STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE
FISH AND GAME DEPARTMENT

AFFIDAVIT

This must be completed annually and postmarked by June 30 each year.

Submitted to indicate the qualified lobster license holder intends to remain eligible to purchase a New Hampshire commercial (1200-trap) or limited commercial (600-trap) lobster and crab license in the future.

Last Name First Name MI Suffix

Mailing Address City ST Zip

(_____) _____ ____/____/_____
Phone Number Date of Birth

License Type: Commercial/ Limited Commercial (*Circle One*)

License #

I swear that I intend to remain eligible for the commercial or limited commercial lobster license for the current year. I further swear all statements on this document are true. Supplying false information on this document will result in revocation of eligibility issued.

Signature Date

Notary Public:

State of New Hampshire
County of _____

Signed or attested before me on ____ day of ____ by _____ (name(s) of person(s)).

(Signature of notarial officer)
Notary Public, State of New Hampshire

My commission expires _____
RSA 456-B:8, IV.

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