



**APPLICATION FOR APPROVAL**  
**Section 113(1)(a)(ii) of the Fisheries Act 1996**

*Possession and/or landing of fish, aquatic life, or seaweed in New Zealand fisheries waters by any vessel that is not a New Zealand ship.*

The completed application form and attachments are to be forwarded to the Fisheries Communication Centre by email [FCC@mpi.govt.nz](mailto:FCC@mpi.govt.nz); or by post to PO Box 38090, Petone 5045, Wellington, New Zealand.

The application fee of \$195.03 (GST incl) can be deposited directly into the Ministry for Primary Industries account (Westpac Bank, Government Business Branch, Lambton Quay, 030 049 0001709 02) quoting reference 1022.26040.000000.

Type of Approval:- Possession Only ☐  
One-off Landing ☐  
On-going Landing ☐

**1. Person In Possession Of, Or With Control Over The Fish, Aquatic Life Or Seaweed On The Vessel To Which This Application Relates**

Full legal name of New Zealand Person or Company

First name(s) or company name

Family name

Address

Date of birth or Company commencement

Name of contact person if company

First name(s)

Family name

Phone number:

Email:

FishServe Client Number (if applicable)

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## 2. Vessel Details

Name of vessel:

Previous name(s) (if applicable)

Flag State:  Port of Registry:

Previous Flag State (if applicable):

Lloyds/IMO number:  Radio call-sign:

MPI Vessel Reg. No (if applicable)  FFA Reg. No.

Gross tonnage:	<input type="text"/>	tonnes
Overall length:	<input type="text"/>	metres
Draught:	<input type="text"/>	metres
Maximum speed:	<input type="text"/>	knots

Registered length:	<input type="text"/>	metres
Beam:	<input type="text"/>	metres
Service speed:	<input type="text"/>	knots

Power output of main engines:  ☐ Kw ☐ Hp

Hull material:  Hull colour:

Position of superstructure: ☐ Fore ☐ Aft ☐ Midship ☐ Not applicable

Colour of superstructure:  Funnel colour:

Fishing methods:

### 3. Vessel Owner Details

Is the owner of the vessel the same person named in Part 1 of this form?

- ☐ Yes      Go directly to Crew Details  
☐ No        Give Owner Details below

Full legal name of Person or Company

First name(s) or company

Family name

Date of birth or date of commencement:

Business address

Phone number:

Email:

Ministry for Primary Industries Client Number (if applicable)

### 4. Crew Details

What is the total number of crew on the vessel?

#### Master

First name(s)

Family name

Date of birth:

Nationality:

Passport number:

#### First Mate

First name(s)

Family name

Date of birth:

Nationality:

Passport number:

#### Factory Manager (if applicable)

First name(s)

Family name

Date of birth:

Nationality:

Passport number:

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## 5. Vessel Monitoring

All vessels wanting approval to land fish in New Zealand will be required to carry and operate an Automatic Location Communicator reporting to either the Ministry for Primary Industries' Vessel Monitoring System, or, a foreign authority acceptable to the Director-General.

Is the vessel reporting to the Ministry for Primary Industries' Satellite vessel monitoring system?

☐ Yes ☐ No

Is the vessel reporting to a foreign authority's Satellite vessel monitoring system?

☐ Yes ☐ No

Name and contact details for the foreign authority

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The vessel owner will be required to give consent to the authority monitoring the vessel to release the information to the Ministry for Primary Industries. The information must be acceptable to the Director-General before any approval can be granted.

## 6. Authority to Fish

The fish to which this application relates must be caught in accordance with a relevant permit or authorisation issued by the vessel's flag state or a relevant Authority if operating within another jurisdiction. A copy, in English, of this permit or authorisation must be provided with this application.

Is the relevant permit or authorisation attached?

☐ Yes ☐ No

## 7. Area(s) and Species to be Fished (vessels applying for Ongoing Landing)

Please state the area(s) to be fished and the species targeted

FAO Area Name	FAO STAT Code	Species

For the list of area names and codes please see the following web sites:

FAO stat areas

<https://www.fao.org/fishery/en/area/search>

FAO species codes

<https://www.fao.org/fishery/en/aqspecies/search>

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## 8. Fishing History

State the fishery and area you will be entering the NZ EEZ from.

State the fishery and area you will be departing to NZ EEZ from.

Have you engaged in fishing or transporting fish in a manner that resulted in a high seas permit (or equivalent authorisation issued by another state) being suspended or revoked in the last 3 years?

☐

Yes

☐

No

Have you engaged in fishing or transporting fish without a high seas permit (or equivalent authorisation issued by another state) where such a permit was required in the last 3 years?

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Yes

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No

Have you or any other party materially involved in the proposed fishing operation (in particular the vessel owner, operator or master) breached the fisheries laws in any jurisdiction, including the high seas, in the last 10 years?

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Yes

☐

No

If you have answered “Yes” to any of the questions above, provide full details of the date, location and circumstances.

To the best of your knowledge, has the vessel referred to in Part 2 been used to breach the fisheries laws in any jurisdiction, including the high seas, in the last 10 years?

☐ Yes

☐ No

If “Yes”, provide full details of the date, location circumstances and ownership details.

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## 9. Declaration

I declare that:

- The information I have given on this application is true and correct.
- I am authorised to provide this information and make this declaration.
- I am aware it is an offence to provide false or misleading information or omit any material information.
- I understand I am required to notify the Fisheries Communication Centre if there are any changes in the particulars I have provided in this application form.

Full Legal Name	Position	Signature	Date