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TAKING of HALIBUT by PROXY is UNLAWFUL

Alaska state regulations prohibit the taking of halibut by proxy in sport, personal use, and subsistence fishing.

5 AAC 01.011(b), 5 AAC 75.011(b), 5 AAC 77.016(b)

20 Proxy Fishing Form See instructions on reverse

Providing false information on this form is subject to punishment as a misdemeanor under AS 16.05.420 and AS 11.56.210

This form provides information about an Alaskan resident (Proxy) who wishes to take finfish or shellfish on behalf of another Alaskan resident (Beneficiary) who is blind **AS 16.05.403 (a)**, 70% physically disabled **AS 16.05.940 (26)**, developmentally disabled **AS 16.05.940 (25) (A-G)** or 65 years of age or older, in accordance with **AS 16.05.405**, 5 **AAC 75.011**, 5 **AAC 77.016**, 5 **AAC 01.011**, and 5 **AAC 02.011**, and to provide information about the Beneficiary.

When proxy fishing, the Proxy must have each of the following in his/her possession **AS 16.05.405(c)**:

1) the valid sport fishing license of the Proxy AS 16.05.330(g)

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- 2) the sport fishing license or ADF&G Permanent ID card of the Beneficiary
- 3) all applicable subsistence or personal use permits for BOTH the Proxy and the Beneficiary on which BOTH are the household member issued the permit.
- 4) this **completed** Proxy Fishing Information Form, **signed by ADF&G**. Beneficiaries may substitute a written statement authorizing the Proxy for the "Beneficiary" portion of this form, as long as the statement includes all information requested of the Beneficiary below. The Proxy portion below must still be filled out, and the Proxy Fishing Information Form validated by ADF&G.

PERIOD OF PROXY	for the BENEFICIARY named on this form for the following period: only good within a calendar year, starting the day it is validated by ADF&G)				
BENEFICIARY INFORMATION (Person receiving the fish)	PROXY INFORMATION (Person catching the fish)				
Name	Name				
Address	Address				
CityState	CityState				
Zip CodeTelephone No	Zip CodeTelephone No				
Alaska resident fishing license number	Alaska resident fishing license number				
○ ADF&G Senior License (PID)○ ADF&G Disabled Veteran's License (DAV)	TYPE OF PROXY FISHING:				
Regular fishing license (Class 1, 1A, 4, 5, 5A, 5B, or 18 dup. res.)	Check all that apply:				
Applicable permits for the Beneficiary must be obtained, signed and listed below prior to validation by ADF&G.	O Sport Fishing 5 AAC 75.011 Personal Use Fishing 5 AAC 77.016				
Type of permitPermit #	○ Subsistence Finfish○ Subsistence Shellfish5 AAC 02.011				
Type of permitPermit #	I hereby certify that I am the Proxy, that I have read and understand the				
Type of Permit #	above statements, and that all of the information I provided on this form is true. I understand that I may not proxy fish for more than one				
REASON FOR PROXY AUTHORIZATION Beneficiary is: 65 years of age or older Blind AS 16.05.403(a) affidavit required 70% physically disabled AS 16.05.940 (26) affidavit required	Beneficiary at a time. I may not take more than twice the daily bag limit nor possess more than twice the possession limit. I may not fish with more than one legal limit of gear. I understand that I must fill out the Proxy Fishing Harvest Record card on the back of this form. I agree to deliver all edible parts of the fish or shellfish (harvested for the Beneficiary) to the Beneficiary within 30 days.				
Developmentally disabled AS 16.05.940 (25) (A-G) affidavit required	x				
Proxy Designation I hereby designate the person identified on this application as my proxy and authorize him/her to harvest fish and shellfish on my behalf. He/She	Signature of Proxy Date (must be signed prior to fishing)				
has possession of my resident sport fishing license or ADF&G permanent ID, and my applicable fishing permits. I understand that I may NOT fish at the same time as my Proxy. X	NOTE: A Proxy Form cannot be validated until all required information is filled out. A beneficiary must obtain and sign their own personal use or subsistence permit. For more frequently asked questions scan this code:				
Signature of Beneficiary Date (must be signed BEFORE validation)					
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ADF&G Employee Signature

Date

Location

Instructions Proxy Fishing Information Form

- 1. Fill in the Current year at the top of the form.
- 2. Fill in the dates the proxy fishing will occur.

3. BENEFICIARY Information

- a. Fill in the form with name, address, and telephone number of the Beneficiary (the person receiving the fish).
- b. Write down the number of the Beneficiary's current year Alaska resident sport fishing license, or ADF&G Permanent ID card, or ADF&G Disabled Veteran's card in space provided. Proof of fishing is required for validation.
- c. For a fishery that requires a permit, write down the Beneficiary's permit number in the space provided. If you are unsure if a permit is needed, ask an ADF&G official to help you.
- d. Indicate one of the four reasons for the proxy.
- e. The Beneficiary signs where it says "Signature of Beneficiary" prior to validation.

4. PROXY Information

- a. Fill in the spaces on the form with the name, address, and telephone number of the Proxy (the person catching the fish).
- b. Write down the number of the Proxy's current year Alaska resident sport fishing license, or ADF&G Permanent ID card, or ADF&G Disabled Veteran's card in the space provided.
- c. The Proxy signs where it says "Signature of Proxy." The proxy does not need to sign before validation, but must sign before proxy fishing.
- d. For example: If the Proxy has obtained a Chitina Personal Use Salmon Fishery Permit – Below the Bridge, you cannot proxy fish for an individual with a Glennallen Subdistric Subsistence Salmon Permit. If you cannot obtain a permit because you failed to report your harvest on time in the previous year, you may not proxy for someone who has that permit.
- ADF&G Officials: Validate all licenses and Proxy and Beneficiary information.
 Sign form and make 2 copies. Original copy to RTS, Anchorage ADF&G, keep one copy on file in your respective office and give one copy to the Proxy.

Definitions

AS 16.05.403(a) A resident hunting license, a resident sport fishing license, a resident subsistence fishing permit, or a resident personal use fishing permit indicating that the purchaser is blind may be obtained from the department upon payment of the fee prescribed in AS 16.05.330 - 16.05.430 and upon presentation of either an affidavit of the applicant stating that the applicant cannot distinguish light from darkness or an affidavit signed by a licensed physician or a licensed optometrist stating that the applicant's central visual acuity does not exceed 20/200 in the better eye with correcting lenses or that the applicant's widest diameter of visual field subtends an angle no greater than 20 degrees.

AS 16.05.940(26) "person with physical disabilities" means a person who presents to the department either written proof that the person receives at least 70 percent disability compensation from a government agency for a physical disability or an affidavit signed by a physician licensed to practice medicine in the state stating that the person is at least 70 percent physically disabled.

AS 16.05.940(25) (A-G) "person with developmental disabilities" means a person who presents to the department an affidavit signed by a physician licensed to practice medicine in the state stating that the person is experiencing a severe, chronic disability (A) attributable to a mental or physical impairment or a combination of mental and physical impairments; (B) that is manifested before the person reaches 18 years of age; (C) that is likely to continue indefinitely; (D) that results in substantial functional limitations in three or more of the following areas of major life activity: self care, receptive and expressive language, learning, mobility, self-direction, capacity for independent living, and economic selfsufficiency; (E) that reflects the person's need for a combination and sequence of special, interdisciplinary, or generic care, treatment, or other services that are of lifelong or extended duration and are individually planned and coordinated; (F) and that the person is not a danger to themselves or others; (G) and that the person does not suffer from a mental illness; in this subparagraph, "mental illness" means an organic, mental, or emotional impairment that has substantial adverse effects on a person's ability to exercise conscious control of the person's actions or ability to perceive reality or to reason or understand.

PROXY FISHING HARVEST RECORD

You must immediately record, in ink, the information requested below on this harvest record. This recording requirement is **IN ADDITION TO** the information required to be recorded on the back of the fishing license or harvest record card, and **IN ADDITION TO** recording requirements on personal use and subsistence fishing permits. This form does not have to be returned to the Department; however, you must show this form, upon request, to any representative of ADF&G or any peace officer of the state. If extra space is needed, attach another sheet.

Date of harvest	Location (body of water fished)	Species	Number of fish or crab	Approximate weight or volume of shellfish other than crab		Date of delivery to Beneficiary
				gallons	pounds	_
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