



NEW JERSEY DIVISION OF  
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### **APPLICATION TO TRANSFER A NEW JERSEY SPECIES PERMIT**

**New Jersey permits currently revoked, suspended or having violations pending are not transferable.**

#### **Section I - Replacement Vessel**

1. If you are a current New Jersey permit holder, and are replacing your existing permitted vessel with a replacement vessel, please complete Section I of the application.
2. Provide all requested information for the owner/company, the current permitted vessel and the replacement vessel.
3. The replacement vessel must not be greater than 10% larger in vessel length and not more than 20% greater in horsepower as compared to the originally permitted vessel.
4. You must provide copies of the Certificate of Documentation, vessel registration or other documentation to prove tonnage, length, and horsepower and ownership of the replacement vessel. Please be reminded that the vessel being replaced is no longer eligible for a New Jersey permit under the same harvesting history used to qualify for the original permit.
5. New Jersey American Lobster permits are exempt from the vessel limitations in #3 when transferring a lobster permit.
6. Sign and date the application where indicated for Section I.

#### **Section II - Sale of Vessel or Transfer of Shad Permit**

1. If a New Jersey permitted vessel is being sold, and the permit is being transferred with the vessel to a new owner, please complete Section II of the application.
2. If a New Jersey American shad permit is being transferred to an eligible family member, please complete Section II of the application. New Jersey shad permit holders are exempt from supplying vessel documentation when transferring a shad permit.
3. Provide all requested information for the previous owner, new owner, and the vessel being sold. Indicate if the vessel name is being changed.
4. Include vessel documentation as proof of ownership. Please be reminded that the seller of the vessel is no longer eligible for a New Jersey permit based on the seller's harvesting history with the vessel being sold.
5. The seller and buyer must sign and date the application where indicated for Section II. ***If the individuals involved in the transferring transaction are unable to come to the office in person, the transfer application must be notarized.***

**MAIL COMPLETED APPLICATION AND \$2.00 TRANSFER APPLICATION FEE PER TRANSACTION TO:**

Nacote Creek Research Station  
Permit Transfer  
P.O. Box 418  
Port Republic, NJ 08241

APPLICATION TO TRANSFER A NEW JERSEY PERMIT TO A REPLACEMENT VESSEL

**SECTION I – REPLACEMENT VESSEL**

**\*\*\*Please read instructions before completing\*\*\***

Is the NJ permit(s) being transferred currently revoked, suspended or have violations pending? Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_

**VESSEL BEING REPLACED**

VESSEL NAME \_\_\_\_\_

HOME PORT \_\_\_\_\_

VESSEL DOC/REGISTRATION # \_\_\_\_\_

**NEW VESSEL**

VESSEL NAME \_\_\_\_\_ NMFS VESSEL PERMIT # \_\_\_\_\_

HOME PORT \_\_\_\_\_

VESSEL DOC/REGISTRATION # \_\_\_\_\_

VESSEL LENGTH \_\_\_\_\_

VESSEL HORSEPOWER \_\_\_\_\_

[ ] **Black Sea Bass Permit #** \_\_\_\_\_ **Gear Type** \_\_\_\_\_

[ ] **Summer Flounder Permit #** \_\_\_\_\_ **Gear Type** \_\_\_\_\_

[ ] **Tautog Permit #** \_\_\_\_\_ **Gear Type** \_\_\_\_\_

[ ] **Lobster Permit #** \_\_\_\_\_

Will vessel be harvesting lobster in State waters? Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_

If yes, who is the individual possessing the New Jersey Commercial Lobster License?

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OWNER/COMPANY \_\_\_\_\_ Contact Party \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

CITY, STATE & ZIP \_\_\_\_\_ TELEPHONE # \_\_\_\_\_

EIN# or SS# \_\_\_\_\_ CELL PHONE # \_\_\_\_\_

E-MAIL ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_ DATE OF BIRTH \_\_\_\_\_

I certify under penalty of law that the information provided in this document is true, accurate and complete. I am aware that there are significant civil penalties for knowingly submitting false, inaccurate or incomplete information and that I am committing a crime of the fourth degree if I make a written false statement which I do not believe to be true.

SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

Owner/Agent

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Transfer Approval by \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**APPLICATION TO TRANSFER A NEW JERSEY PERMIT TO A NEW OWNER**

**SECTION II – SALE OF VESSEL**

(Use Section II for transferring American Shad Permit)

**\*\*\*Please read instructions before completing\*\*\***

Is the NJ permit(s) being transferred currently revoked, suspended or have violations pending? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_

**VESSEL INFORMATION**

VESSEL NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ NMFS VESSEL PERMIT#: \_\_\_\_\_

VESSEL DOC #/REGISTRATION # \_\_\_\_\_ HOME PORT \_\_\_\_\_

VESSEL NAME CHANGE (IF APPLICABLE): \_\_\_\_\_

[ ] **Black Sea Bass Permit #** \_\_\_\_\_ **Gear Type** \_\_\_\_\_

[ ] **Summer Flounder Permit#** \_\_\_\_\_ **Gear Type** \_\_\_\_\_

[ ] **Tautog Permit#** \_\_\_\_\_ **Gear Type** \_\_\_\_\_

[ ] **Shad Permit #** \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship \_\_\_\_\_

[ ] **Lobster Permit #** \_\_\_\_\_

Will vessel be harvesting lobster in State waters? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_

If yes, who is the individual possessing the New Jersey Commercial Lobster License?

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**CURRENT OWNER/COMPANY**

OWNER/COMPANY \_\_\_\_\_

CONTACT PARTY \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

TELEPHONE # \_\_\_\_\_

CITY, STATE & ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

CELL PHONE # \_\_\_\_\_

EIN or SS# \_\_\_\_\_

**NEW OWNER/COMPANY**

OWNER/COMPANY \_\_\_\_\_

CONTACT PARTY \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

HOME PORT \_\_\_\_\_

CITY, STATE & ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

NMFS PERMIT \_\_\_\_\_

SOCIAL SECURITY # OR EIN # \_\_\_\_\_

E-MAIL ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

TELEPHONE # \_\_\_\_\_

DATE OF BIRTH \_\_\_\_\_

BMFID # \_\_\_\_\_

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SECTION II: SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_  
(SELLER) Owner/Agent

SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_  
(BUYER) Owner/Agent

Transfer Approval by \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_ r: 3/17