

UCHUCKLESAHT TRIBE

**Resources Harvesting Act
Form RH-2A**

**FISHING AUTHORIZATION AND VESSEL DESIGNATION
APPLICATION**



Date received:

*(for Department of Lands
and Resources use only)*

Fish harvested under this Authorization are for Domestic Purposes (as defined in the Maa-Nulth Harvest Document) only and are not to be sold

Commercial Fishing Licence Number (if applicable):	
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Uchucklesaht Fishing Authorization Number (if any):	
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Vessel Name:	
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Transport Canada Registration Number or DFO VRN/CFV Number:	
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Vessel Master and DOB:	
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Crew Names:	
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Address of Vessel Master:	
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Telephone Number:	
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Fishing Gear

Gear Type:		Maximum Mesh Size:	
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Gear Amount:		Maximum Net Length:	
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Signature:	
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Date:	
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This Authorization and Designation is NOT valid unless accompanied by a copy of the Uchucklesaht Catch Book

I certify that the information provided by me in this application is true.

I declare I will:

- (a) comply with this Authorization and Designation and any conditions and harvest details of the director as written below, the Maa-nulth Treaty, the Maa-nulth Harvest Document, the Uchucklesaht Resources Harvesting Act and its Fisheries Regulation, the Maa-nulth Fisheries Operational Guidelines and all orders and directives given by the director in exercising this Authorization and Designation; and
- (b) prepare deliver by paper, email, or telephone a weekly catch report form (for the period Sunday to Saturday) to the director before 16:00 hours the following Monday of each week during the term of this Authorization and Designation.

OFFICE USE ONLY

Fishing area:	
Salmon species and quantity: (pieces)	
Other species and quantity: (pounds)	
Conditions: (if any)	
Date Issued:	
Date Expires:	
Fee Paid (if any)	
Uchucklesaht Fishing Authorization Number:	
Uchucklesaht Catch Book Number:	
Signature of Director:	

Registered Vessels:

No registered vessel will be used to harvest fish under authority of this Authorization and Designation for a species of fish:

- (a) within a period of six (6) hours prior to that vessel being used to harvest fish of the same species under the authority of a commercial fishing licence;
- (b) while that vessel is being used to harvest fish of the same species under the authority of a commercial licence; or
- (c) within a period of twelve (12) hours after that vessel has been used to harvest fish of the same species under the authority of a commercial fishing licence.

Gill nets will be marked as follows:

- (a) a buoy floating on the surface of the water shall be attached to each end of every gill net that is not attached to a vessel;**
- (b) the buoys referred to in subparagraph (a) shall be orange and at least 125 cm in circumference and;**
- (c) the end of the gill net that is not attached to a vessel shall be marked with a lantern that gives a steady white light during the period beginning one hour after sunset and ending one hour before sunrise.**

The buoys referred to above will be identified with the name of the Authorization and Designation holder and Uchucklesaht in characters not less than 75 mm in height.

Catch Reporting:

The Authorization and Designation holder will receive a Uchucklesaht Catch Book as an attachment to this Authorization and Designation.

The Authorization and Designation holder will maintain catch records of all harvest operations in the Uchucklesaht Catch Book.

The Authorization and Designation holder will include the following information in the Uchucklesaht Catch Book in order to prepare a weekly catch report to be delivered to the director:

<u>Fields Names</u>	<u>Examples</u>
• Date fished	Aug 25, 2012
• Sub-area(s) fished	23-4 & 23-7
• Number of hours fished	4 hrs
• Number of sets	3 sets
• Number of fish caught and retained by species	3,000 sockeye, 28 pinks
• Number of fish caught and released by species	5 chinook

Vessel Identification Flag:

A vessel designated to harvest fish under this Authorization and Designation must be identified by the Identification Number specified by the Authorization and Designation and by affixing a Vessel Identification Flag. The Vessel Identification Flag shall be mounted as high as practicable and be clearly visible, legible, and unobstructed from view.

To receive payment the Authorization and Designation holder shall return the Vessel Identification Flag to the director upon expiry of this Authorization and Designation.

This Authorization and Designation will be carried on the designated vessel at all times while the vessel is used for fishing and transporting fish under this Authorization and Designation and will be presented on request of an enforcement officer.