

Southeast Alaska Purse Seine Salmon Buyback Loan Fee Collection

2024 Season Annual Fish Buyer Report

INSTRUCTIONS: Each salmon processor must report this information under the correct ADF&G Processor License number (Processor Code) associated with the landings on the fish tickets. Retroactive bonus payments paid in 2024 should be included as well. Only salmon caught with an S01A permit is subject to the buyback fee. This report is due by March 1, 2025.

Mail completed report to: **William.Fritz@noaa.gov**

Processor/Buyer Name: _____

Processor Code: _____

2022 Season Landings Only	Total Landings =	Pounds Purchased
	Total Delivery Value Paid =	
	Total Buyback Fees Collected =	

	Pounds Purchased	Value Paid	Loan A Fees Paid	Loan B Fees Paid	Total Fees Paid	Date Disbursed to NMFS
June 2024						
July 2024						
August 2024						
September 2024						
October 2024						
November 2024						
December 2024						
Total:						
Bonus (additional value) on 2023 landings during 2024 calendar year.						

Pursuant to 50 CFR 600.1017(a) (14) making false statements to NMFS regarding buyback information is prohibited.

Person Filing Report: _____ Phone Number: _____

Email Address: _____

Is this an amended report? ____ Date amended _____ Signature affirming amended report _____

Paperwork Reduction Act Statement:

A Federal agency may not conduct or sponsor, and a person is not required to respond to, nor shall a person be subject to a penalty for failure to comply with an information collection subject to the requirements of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 unless the information collection has a currently valid OMB Control Number. The approved OMB Control Number for this information collection is 0648-0376. Without this approval, we could not conduct this information collection. Public reporting for this information collection is estimated to be approximately four hours per response, including the time for reviewing instructions, searching existing data sources, gathering and maintaining the data needed, and completing and reviewing the information collection. All responses to this information collection are required to obtain benefits. Send comments regarding this burden estimate or any other aspect of this information collection, including suggestions for reducing this burden to the Financial Services Division (F/MB5) Office of Management and Budget, 1315 East West Highway-13th Floor, Silver Spring, MD 20910, Attn: William Fritz/Buybacks and William.Fritz@noaa.gov.

Confidential name and address information may be released via a NOAA website for informational purposes. All other data submitted will be handled as confidential material in accordance with NOAA Administrative Order 216-100, Protection of Confidential Fisheries Statistics. Notwithstanding any other provisions of the law, no person is required to respond to, nor shall any person be subject to a penalty for failure to comply with, a collection of information subject requirements of the Paperwork Reduction Act, unless that collection of information displays a currently claim OMB Control Number.

Privacy Act Statement:

Authority: The authority regarding establishment of Fishing Capacity Reduction Programs is 16 U.S.C. §1861 (b)-(e). §§ 600.1000-600.1017 provides the Fishing Capacity Reduction Framework. Specific Fishery or Program Fishing Capacity Regulations authorizations are §§ 600.1100-600.1108.

Purpose: NMFS requests information from fish buyers and sellers to ensure accurate management and repayment of buyback loans.

Routine Uses: NMFS will enforce the collection of all fee payments and bring legal actions for collection enforcement against any fish seller or fish buyer who fails to pay, collect, deposit, and/or disburse the fee in accordance with the regulations. NMFS will audit ex-vessel landing records and fish buyer records for the purpose of determining and enforcing compliance. NMFS will use this information to determine compliance with §§ 600.1000-600.1017. Disclosure of this information is permitted under the Privacy Act of 1974 (5 U.S.C. Section 552a), to be shared within NMFS' Financial Services Division. Disclosure of this information is also subject to all of the published routine uses as identified in Commerce/NOAA-21, Financial Services Division. (<https://www.noaa.gov/organization/information-technology/privacy-act-system-of-record-notices-sorns>)

Disclosure: Furnishing this information is mandatory; failure to provide complete and accurate information may result in penalties as described in §§ 600.1100-600.1108.