



REPUBLIC OF VANUATU

FISHERIES ACT [CAP 315]

**Fisheries Regulations (Amendment)
Order No. 182 of 2012**

In exercise of the powers conferred on me by subsection 79(1) of the Fisheries Act [CAP 315], I, the Honourable KALVAO MOLI, Minister of Agriculture, Quarantine, Fisheries and Forestry make the following Order.

1 Amendment

The Fisheries Regulations Order No. 28 of 2009 is amended as set out in the Schedule.

2 Commencement

This Order commences on the day on which it is made.

Made at Port Vila this 19 day of December 2012.



Honourable KALVAO MOLI
Minister of Agriculture, Quarantine,
Fisheries and Forestry

SCHEDULE

AMENDMENTS OF THE FISHERIES REGULATIONS ORDER 28 OF 2009

1 Clause 32 (Title)

Delete “licence”, substitute “certificate”

2 Clause 32

Delete “licence”, substitute “certificate”

3 Subclause 33(2)

Delete “licence”, substitute “certificate”

4 After subclause 33(1)

Insert,

“(1A) If an operator of a Vanuatu flag fishing vessel wishes to conduct fishing or fishing related activities in more than one fishing area, the fee remains the same as set out in schedule 14.”

5 Subclause 33(3)

Repeal the subclause, substitute

“(3) If an operator of a flagged vessel with a valid Authorization to Fish Certificate submits a new application for the same vessel wishing to conduct fishing or fishing related activities in another fishing area, other than the one authorised under the existing valid certificate, it must pay an additional fee prescribed in Schedule 14.”

6 Clause 36 (Title)

Delete “licence”, substitute “certificate”

7 Schedule 12

Repeal the schedule, substitute

"SCHEDULE 12

(Regulation 31(b))

**APPLICATION FORM FOR INTERNATIONAL AUTHORISATION TO FISH
CERTIFICATE**

INSTRUCTIONS:

- *Underline surnames*
- *Address means complete mailing address*
- *Mark X or circle where appropriate*
- *If not applicable, mark N/A*
- *Type or handwrite clearly*
- *All units are in metric system (specify units if other system is used)*

To: Director of Fisheries
Department of Fisheries
Port Vila
Vanuatu

I hereby apply for an International Authorisation to Fish certificate.

1	Name of vessel		
2	Name of owner		
3	Address of owner		
4	Name of charterer		
5	Address of charterer		
6	Country of registration		
7	Country registration number		
8	Radio call sign		
9	Operational base(s)	Port	Country
10	Name of vessel master		
11	Address of vessel master		

12	Name of fishing master				
13	Address of fishing master				
14	Type of vessel (circle where appropriate)	Single purse seiner	Group purse seiner	Purse carrier	Longliner
		Pole and line	Other (please specify)		
15	Normal total number of crew				
16	Intended Fishing zone(s)				
17	Hull materials (circle where appropriate)	Steel	Wood	FRP	
		Other (please specify)			
18	Year built				
19	Place of construction				
20a.	Gross tonnage		20b. Net tonnage		
21	Overall length (in meters)				
22	Main engine(s) power (specify in units)				
23	Fuel carrying capacity (in kilolitres)				
24	Daily freezing capacity (mark X where appropriate)	Method	Capacity (metric tons/day)	Temperature (Degrees Celsius)	
		Brine (NaCl) BR			
		Brine (CaCl) CB			
		Air (Blast) BF			
		Air (Coils) RC			
Other (please specify)					
25	Type approved mobile transmitting unit (MTU) details	MTU Inmarsat mobile number (IMN)			
		MTU Serial number (ISN)			
		MTU Make (MTU model)			
		Security seal numbers	(1)		

			(2)		
			(3)		
		DNID Member number			
COMPLETE EITHER A, B, OR C (BELOW) AS APPROPRIATE					
A – Purse Seiners					
25	Net length (in meters)				
26	Net depth (in meters)				
27	Support vessels	Name.....	Type.....		
		Name.....	Type.....		
		Name.....	Type.....		
B – Pole and Line vessels					
28	Bait storage (mark X where appropriate)	Circulation method		Capacity (cubic meters)	
29	Activities (circle where appropriate)	Refrigerator	Scouting boat	Anchor boat	Supply/Mothership
		Other (please specify)			
30	Fishing vessels supported				

I understand I am required to:

- i. Report any changes in items 1 to 13 within 60 days; and
- ii. Annually notify any other changes in the information contained in this application to the Director of Fisheries in Port Vila, Vanuatu.

Signature of applicant (circle appropriate title)		
	Owner	Charterer	Duly authorised agent
Address of applicant			

8 Schedule 13

Repeal the schedule, substitute

“SCHEDULE 13

(Regulation 32)

INTERNATIONAL AUTHORISATION TO FISH CERTIFICATE

Fisheries Regulation

The person certified below is authorised in accordance with subsection 14(3) of the Fisheries Act No. 55 of 2005 to use the vessel described below for fishing outside Vanuatu waters in accordance with the terms and conditions set out in this authorisation and the conditions prescribed from time to time in the Fisheries Regulation.

Authorisation Number	
Name of vessel	
Authorized Fishing zone(s)	
Name of owner	
Official number	
Call sign	
Year built	
Name of builder	
State	
Gross tonnage	
Net tonnage	
Length	
Breadth	
Depth	
Material	
Citizenship	
Home Port	
Authorised management authority	

Terms and conditions:

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Issue date		Expiry	
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Director of Fisheries
Fisheries Department

Republic of Vanuatu”

9 Schedule 14

Repeal the schedule, substitute

“SCHEDULE 14

(Regulation 33)

REGIONAL AGREEMENTS	FISHING CATEGORY AND AUTHORIZATION FEE						
	Longline	Purse seine	Trawler	Reef Carrier	Squid Jigger	Pole and Line	Others
WCPFC, IATTC, IOTC, ICCAT, SPRFMO, CCAMLR, CCSBT and OTHERS	USD5,000	USD10,000	USD5,000	USD5,000	USD5,000	USD5,000	USD5,000

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