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UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY
REGION 10
1200 Sixth Avenue
Seattle, WA 98101

Reply To
Attn Of: OW-130

CERTIFIED MAIL - RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

JUN 04 2004

Patricia Yost, Assistant Secretary
WFM Select Fish, Inc.
5980 1st Avenue South
Seattle, Washington 98108

Re: NPDES Permit No. **AK-G52-0070**, Notice of Coverage and Authorization to Discharge

Dear Ms. Yost:

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) has received and reviewed your Notice of Intent (NOI) to be covered by the NPDES Permit AK-G52-0000, the general permit for Alaskan seafood processing facilities. This permit was issued and became effective on July 27, 2001. Your unique identifier under this general permit is provided above and on the enclosed title page of the permit. Please use this designated number in any correspondence with or reporting to EPA and the Alaska Department of Environmental Conservation (ADEC).

The permit includes an **effluent treatment requirement** of grinding solid seafood processing wastes to one-half inch in all dimensions before discharge, an **effluent limit** of 10 million pounds of seafood processing waste residues per calendar year, a **prohibition on the discharge of petroleum**, hydrocarbons, oil and grease, and a narrative limit on the violation of Alaska Water Quality Standards (see Part II). The permit requires that you develop and implement a **best management practices plan** that controls and reduces pollutant discharges at your site (see Part VI.A). The permit requires that you submit an **annual report** on seafood processing activity, discharges, noncompliance and process changes (see Part VI.B). The permit requires that you conduct periodic monitoring of the sea surface, seashore, and seafloor in accordance with your type of facility (see Parts VI.C and D).

Your waiver request to discharge at a depth of -40 ft (less than -60 ft MLLW) is approved due to the past discharge information. However, please note that a dive survey is required after the first year of discharge. Waivers are conditional and may be withdrawn by EPA and ADEC if information is gathered to warrant such an action.

We ask for your careful review of the various areas throughout the State of Alaska which are excluded from coverage by this NPDES general permit due to their characteristics as either special or impaired habitat.

Any report of noncompliance with permit requirements is to be reported by telephone to EPA at (206) 553-1846 and ADEC at (907) 269-7565.

A copy of the enclosed title page and this authorization letter together with the entire general NPDES permit no. AK-G52-0000 must be kept at both your operations site and your business office. If you have any questions, please call Robert Grandinetti at (206) 553-1283.

Sincerely,

Robert J. Grandinetti for
Kristine Koch
Acting Manager, NPDES Permits Unit

Enclosures

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NPDES Permit No. AK-G52-0070

United States Environmental Protection Agency, Region 10
1200 Sixth Avenue, OW-130
Seattle, Washington 98101

AUTHORIZATION TO DISCHARGE UNDER THE
NATIONAL POLLUTANT DISCHARGE ELIMINATION SYSTEM FOR

WFM Select Fish, Inc.
Yakutat Community Seafoods processing facility

In compliance with the provisions of the Clean Water Act, 33 U.S.C.A. § 1251 et seq. (hereafter, CWA or the Act), the owners and operators of the seafood processing facilities that are described in Part I of this general National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permit are authorized to discharge seafood processing wastes and the concomitant wastes set out in Part II of this Permit to waters of the United States, except those excluded from authorization of discharge in Part III of this Permit, in accordance with effluent limitations, monitoring requirements and other conditions set forth herein. The discharge of wastes not specifically set out in Part II of this Permit is not authorized under this Permit.

Upon the effective date of this Permit, it is the controlling document for regulation of seafood processing wastes and other designated wastewaters in the State of Alaska discharged by authorized facilities in accordance with this Permit.

This Permit shall become effective July 27, 2001.

This Permit and the authorization to discharge shall expire at midnight July 27, 2006.

Signed this 18th day of July, 2001.

/ s / Randall F Smith
Randall F. Smith
Director
Office of Water

A COPY OF THIS PERMIT MUST BE KEPT AT THE FACILITY WHERE THE DISCHARGES OCCUR.

In compliance with the Paperwork Reduction Act, 44 U.S.C. 3501 *et seq.*, the Office of Management and Budget has approved the collection of information requested in general NPDES permit no. AK-G52-0000 (OMB Control No. 2040-0004, 2040-0086 and 2040-0110).

NOTICE OF INTENT

to be covered under

NPDES GENERAL PERMIT AK-G52-0000

for

SEAFOOD PROCESSORS IN ALASKA

(See Part IV.C. of the Permit, reissued 2001)

Please submit this NOI to:

EPA Region 10, NPDES Permits Unit, OW-130,
1200 Sixth Ave., Seattle, WA 98101
and a copy to
ADEC Attn: Air and Water Quality Division,
555 Cordova Street, Anchorage, AK 99501

Submittal of this document constitutes notice that the party identified in Section 1 intends to be covered by the NPDES general permit authorizing discharges from seafood processing activities in Alaska and obligates the permittee to comply with the terms and conditions of the permit.

Please fill in all information. Attach supplemental information sheets as appropriate.

SECTION 1 - PERMIT INFORMATION

NPDES PERMIT NO. **AK-G52** 0070	ADEC Number (Seafood Processor License) 6497

SECTION 2 - OPERATOR INFORMATION (Part IV.C.2)

Company Name YAKUTAT SEAFOOD, LLC	
Address 532 MAX ITALIO DRIVE	Phone (907) 784-3392
City/State/Zip YAKUTAT, ALASKA 99689	FAX (907) 784-3686
Representative/Title GREG INDRELAND MANAGING PARTNER	E-mail gregyak@yahoo.com

SECTION 3 - OWNER INFORMATION (Part IV.C.3)

Owner Name CITY & BOROUGH OF YAKUTAT	
Address 309 MAX ITALIO DRIVE	Phone (907) 784-3323
City/State/Zip YAKUTAT ALASKA 99689	FAX (907) 784-3281
Representative/Title STEVE HENRY . CITY MANAGER	E-mail cbyman@Starband.com

SECTION 4 - FACILITY or VESSEL INFORMATION (Part IV.C.4)

Facility/~~Vessel~~ Name YAKUTAT SEAFOODS	No of Employees 35-50
Address SAME AS SECTION 2	Phone SAME
City/State/Zip SAME "	FAX SAME

Latitude and Longitude of Discharge(s)

LAT. 139.44 W & LONG. 59.33 N

Previous facility/~~vessel name(s)~~ CITY & BOROUGH OF YAKUTAT.

Type of vessel N/A	USCG no. N/A	Vessel length N/A

SECTION 5 - FACILITY CLASSIFICATION (Part IV.C.5; Check each that applies)

N/A	Offshore floating seafood processor: operating and discharging more than one (1) nautical mile from shore at MLLW
N/A	Nearshore floating seafood processor: operating and discharging from one (1) to one half (0.5) nautical mile from shore at MLLW
✓	Shore-based seafood processor: operating and discharging less than one half (0.5) nautical mile from shore at MLLW (Includes vessels that meet discharge location criteria)

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This form is provided under the State of Alaska Certification of the permit and OMB Control Numbers 2040-0086 and 2040-0110.

SECTION 6 - PROJECTED PRODUCTION INFORMATION (Part IV.C.6; Check all that apply)

✓	Whole	✓	Head-on & Gutted	✓	Headed & Gutted	✓	Fillets	N/A	Cured, salted or smoked
N/A	Canned	N/A	Fish meal	N/A	Surimi, fish paste	N/A	Mince, dry/ washed	N/A	Mince, wet/ unwashed
✓	Roe	N/A	Crab: whole, pieces	N/A	Shrimp, scallops, clams, oysters, snails, urchins, cucumbers (circle appropriate items)				Other (identify):

Catch Processed (by type, e.g., cod, pollock, salmon)	Finished Product (by type, e.g., fillets, surimi, canned)	24-hour Design Capacity in lbs of processing raw product	Location (Lat/Long or ADF&G areas)	Anticipated Processing Activity -- Number of days per month											
				Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
SALMON	H&G, FILLETS	120,000	LAT 139W LON 59N						20	31	30	30	31		
HALIBUT	H&G, FILLETS	250,000	"			20	30	31	30	31	30	30	31		
SABLEFISH	H&G ONLY	100,000	"			20	30	31	30	31	30	30	31		
ROCKFISH	H&G, WHOLE	120,000	"			20	30	31	30	31	30	30	31		

SECTION 7 - RECEIVING WATER INFORMATION (Part IV.C.7)

Name(s) of waterbody(ies) receiving discharges of the facility MONTI BAY, GULF OF ALASKA

Name of any larger, adjacent receiving waterbody(ies) YAKUTAT BAY, GULF OF ALASKA

List any areas within three (3) nautical miles of operation which are excluded from coverage under the General Permit (e.g., Parks, Preserves, Refuges, Critical Habitats etc.)

NONE

Nature of Receiving Water: Discharge is to marine water ✓ Discharge is to fresh water _____ Discharge is to estuary or tidal tributary _____

Attention: Nearshore and Shore-based Processors must submit a bathymetric map of the receiving water within one (1) nautical mile of the discharge showing the location of the facility and all discharge point(s)

SECTION 8 - DESCRIPTION of DISCHARGES (Part IV.C.8)

Sanitary Wastes

N/A	Package Treatment Plant	✓	Municipal System
N/A	On-site septic system	N/A	Community Septic system
N/A	USCG Approved System (MSD) Type: N/A		Capacity (gals/day): N/A

Seafood Processing Wastes

Outfall depth: 50 ft. | Outfall distance from shore: 320 ft. | Water depth at outfall: 52 ft.

Vessels indicate the range of water column depths at which vessel discharges processing wastes: to ft.

Grinder - Type/Name: AUTIO 12 INCH Grinds seafood wastes to: 1 1/2 inch width

Other Wastewaters (Check all that apply)

✓	Process disinfectants CONTACT SURFACE CLEANERS AND SANITIZERS	N/A	Transfer water
N/A	Cooling water	N/A	Gray water
N/A	Boiler water	N/A	Live tank water
N/A	Cooking water	N/A	Air scrubber water
N/A	Refrigerated seawater		Other (name):

Projected Maximum Quantity in lbs of Process Waste Solids that are Discharged

Specific Species Processed	TOTAL DAILY Amount of Solids Discharged	TOTAL ANNUAL Amount of Solids Discharged
SALMON	lbs.	330,000 lbs.
HALIBUT	lbs.	155,000 lbs.
SABLEFISH	lbs.	300,000 lbs.

SECTION 9 - REFUELING CAPABILITY and PROXIMITY TO FUELING STATIONS (Part VI.C.9)

Does your facility/vessel refuel fishing vessels? Yes (No)
If yes, what is the capacity of your refueling tanks?

If no, what is the location and distance to the nearest refueling station?

SECTION 10 - SUBMITTALS (Part IV.C.10; to be attached to this NOI) * shore-based & near-shore processors only

✓	Letter certifying that the facility has developed and operates in accordance with a Best Management Practices Plan
✓	Location Map showing the location of the facility in the context of the coastal area of Alaska *
✓	Bathymetric Map of Receiving Water showing facility, outfall and water depths within one mile of the discharge *
	Waiver Request (for seafloor survey, discharging to excluded areas (Part III.A,B,C), if applicable

SECTION 11- SIGNATURE and CERTIFICATION (Part IV.C.11)

I certify under penalty of law that this document and all attachments were prepared under my direction or supervision in accordance with a system designed to assure that qualified personnel properly gather and evaluate the information submitted. Based on my inquiry of the person or persons who manage the system or those persons directly responsible for gathering the information, the information submitted is, to the best of my knowledge and belief, true, accurate, and complete. I am aware that there are significant penalties for submitting false information, including the possibility of fine and imprisonment for knowing violations.

Signature Principal or ~~Partner~~	Title/Company Managing Owner
Print Name GREG INDRELAND	Date 6/26/06

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Grinder - Type/Name: ALITIO 12 INCH | Grinds seafood wastes to: 2 1/2 inch width

Other Wastewaters (Check all that apply)

✓	Process disinfectants CONTACT SURFACE CLEANERS AND SANITIZERS	N/A	Transfer water
N/A	Cooling water	N/A	Gray water
N/A	Boiler water	N/A	Live tank water
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Does your facility/vessel refuel fishing vessels? Yes (No)
If yes, what is the capacity of your refueling tanks?

If no, what is the location and distance to the nearest refueling station? 1/4 MILE

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YAKUTAT Seafoods

P.O. Box 456, Yakutat, Alaska 99689 Ph (907) 784-3392 Fax (907) 784-3686

July 13, 2006

Re: EPA General Permit

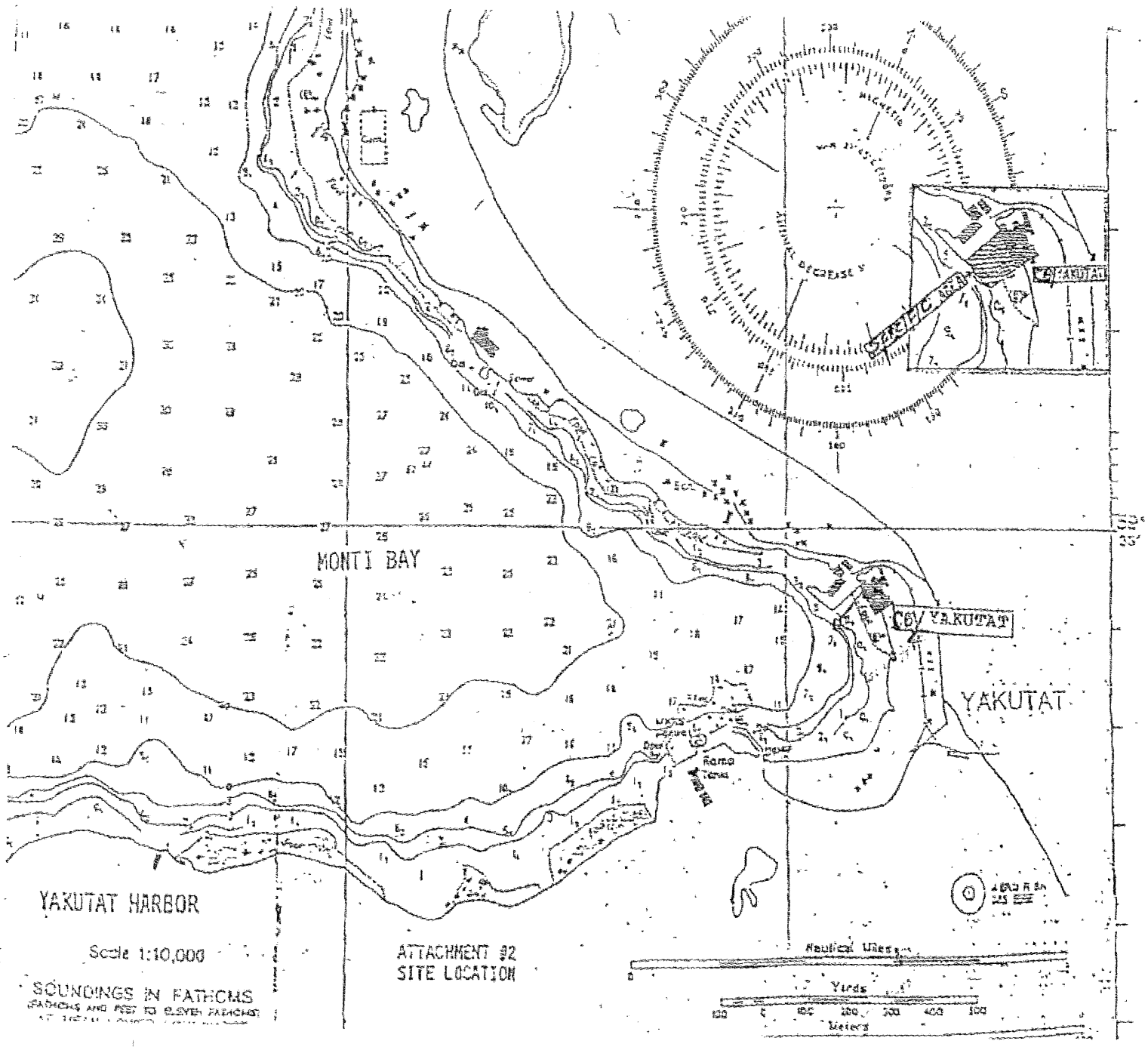
To Whom It May Concern:

Yakutat Seafoods Inc. has written, and maintains, a Best Management Plan. This is a working document that is updated regularly.

Yakutat Seafoods Inc. also requests a waiver for discharge in water less than 60 feet. The area of discharge has large tide movement with good flow for flushing the area. The current in this area is constantly in motion and dissipation of discharged material happens quickly.

Thank you,

Greg Indreland
Managing Partner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