



# Alaska Department of Environmental Conservation

## Division of Water

### Authorization to Discharge – Modification #2

**AUTHORIZATION TO DISCHARGE UNDER THE  
 ALASKA POLLUTANT DISCHARGE ELIMINATION SYSTEM  
 FOR  
 OFFSHORE SEAFOOD PROCESSORS IN ALASKA  
 FACILITY ASSIGNED AUTHORIZATION NUMBER: AKG523032  
 GENERAL PERMIT NUMBER: AKG523000  
 See [General Permit](#) for all permit requirements**

The following facility is authorized to discharge in accordance with the terms of the State of Alaska General Permit AKG523000 and any site specific requirements listed in this authorization.

The modified authorization effective date is **May 8, 2020**

The authorization to discharge shall expire at midnight, **December 31, 2023**

The permittee shall reapply for a permit reissuance on or before **October 1, 2023**, 90 days prior to the expiration of the general permit.

| <b>SECTION 1 – RESPONSIBLE PARTY</b>   |   |             |                     |
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| Issued to: John Kelley, Alaska Operations Manager, Ocean Fresh Seafood Company |   |             |                     |
| <b>SECTION 2 – VESSEL INFORMATION</b>  |   |             |                     |
| Vessel Name  | M/V Ocean Fresh   |             |                     |
| Vessel Category  | Offshore Processing Vessel discharging while stationary in waters between 0.25 and 3.0 nm from shore. |             |                     |
| Discharge Site Location  | Latitude  | Longitude   | Receiving Water     |
| Chignik - 1  | 56.3044   | -158.395    | Anchorage Bay       |
| Chignik - 2  | 56.33666  | -158.36298  | Chignik Bay         |
| Corner Bay   | 57.748762   | -135.207686 | Tenakee Inlet       |
| Amalga Harbor  | 58.479232   | -134.839295 | Favorite Channel    |
| Neets Bay  | 55.773405   | -131.625182 | Behm Canal          |
| Kvichak Bay - Naknek Y Site 1  | 58.705254   | -157.205525 | Kvichak Bay         |
| Kvichak Bay - Naknek Y Site 2  | 58.701837   | -157.224646 | Kvichak Bay         |
| Kvichak Bay - Naknek Y Site 3  | 58.686504   | -157.261152 | Kvichak Bay         |
| Kvichak Bay - Naknek Y Site 4  | 58.710066   | -157.199242 | Kvichak Bay         |
| Kvichak Bay - Naknek Y Site 5  | 58.686365   | -157.266639 | Kvichak Bay         |
| Kvichak Bay - Naknek Y Site 6  | 58.675954   | -157.28819  | Kvichak Bay         |
| Kvichak Bay - Naknek Y Site 7  | 58.67314  | -157.307658 | Kvichak Bay         |
| Kvichak Bay - Naknek Y Site 8  | 58.64674  | -157.341446 | Kvichak Bay         |
| Corner Bay   | 57.752833   | -135.138434 | Tenakee Inlet       |
| Noyes Island   | 55.491649   | -133.580627 | St Nicholas Channel |

| <b>Discharge Site Location</b> | <b>Latitude</b> | <b>Longitude</b> | <b>Receiving Water</b> |
|--------------------------------|-----------------|------------------|------------------------|
| Kasaan Bay                     | 55.423656       | -132.230598      | Clarence Strait        |
| Shelter Bay                    | 60.13666        | -147.94411       | Knight Island Passage  |
| Sawmill Bay                    | 60.05894        | -148.03289       | Elrington Passage      |
| Kizhuyak Bay                   | 57.87724        | -152.74195       | Kizhuyak Bay           |
| Port Hobron                    | 57.1695         | -153.1553        | Sitkalidak Strait      |
| Sitkalidak Strait              | 57.1708         | -153.3234        | Sitkalidak Strait      |
| Pivot Point                    | 57.3164         | -153.0051        | Kiliuda Bay            |
| Shearwater Bay                 | 57.3214         | -152.9373        | Shearwater Bay         |
| Cormorant Rock                 | 57.6358         | -153.9758        | Uyak Bay               |
| Larsen Bay                     | 57.5704         | -153.9555        | Uyak Bay               |

**SECTION 3 – OUTFALL EFFLUENT LIMITATIONS AND MONITORING REQUIREMENTS**

**EFFLUENT LIMITATIONS**

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| Compliance Point                             | After the last vessel structure before discharge into receiving waters or to subsequent mixing with other water flows.   |
| Amount of Seafood Waste Discharge Limitation | <p>A permittee shall not discharge a cumulative amount (by weight) of seafood processing waste on a daily or annual basis which exceeds the amount for each single location and area of operation as projected on the March 18, 2020 Notice of Intent. Discharge maximums are listed for each specific discharge location on the NOI.</p> <p>Where discharges from multiple vessels may be occurring at identical locations or single areas of operation sites, and are within 1.0 nm from shore - No more than 3,300,000 lbs. of seafood waste, cumulatively between all vessels, shall be discharged at each site.</p> |

**MONITORING REQUIREMENTS**

|                             |  |
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| Seafood Processing Effluent | Refer to Table 2 and 3 in General Permit |
| MSD System                  | Refer to Table 4 in General Permit       |
| Graywater System            | Refer to Table 5 in General Permit       |
| Non-commingled Effluent     | Refer to Table 6 in General Permit       |

**SECTION 4 – RECEIVING WATER**

| <b>Latitude</b>                                | <b>Longitude</b>                                   | <b>Receiving Water</b>   |
|--|--|--------------------------|
| As designated on the NOI                       | As designated on the NOI                           | As designated on the NOI |
| <b>Receiving Water Monitoring Requirements</b> | <b>Refer to Table 7, 8 and 9 in General Permit</b> |                          |

**SECTION 5 – MIXING ZONE**

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| Mixing Zone Compliance Point:                | All Alaska Water Quality Standards shall be met at the boundary of each authorized mixing zone at each single discharge location within an authorized area of operation.  |
| Mixing Zone Authorization:                   | The discharge is assigned a mixing zone at each discharge location within an authorized area of operation listed in the NOI.  |
| Mixing Zone Description:                     | The mixing zone size for each discharge location within an authorized area of operation listed in the NOI is the standard mixing zone, a circle with a 100 foot radius centered on the outfall terminus extending from the seafloor to the sea surface. |
| Water quality criteria that may be exceeded: | Dissolved gas, oil and grease (O&G – polar), pH, temperature, color, turbidity, residues, fecal coliform and enterococci bacteria, and total residual chlorine.   |

**SECTION 6 – ZONE OF DEPOSIT**

|                             |                              |  |
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| Zone of Deposit Authorized? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No |
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**SECTION 7 – SITE SPECIFIC REQUIREMENTS**

The operator is reminded that the minimum depth of discharge at mean lower low water (low tide) is -60 feet at all of the above approved sites.

A seafloor survey is required whenever the criteria in Permit Part 2.3.4.1 are met.

The permittee shall follow the requirements in Permit Part 1.8.4 while processing at Anchorage Bay, Chignik Bay, Noyes Island, Sitkalidak Strait, Kiliuda Bay, Shearwater Bay, and Uyak Bay.

**SECTION 8 – Electronic Reporting (E-Reporting) Rule for Discharge Monitoring Reports (DMR)**

The permittee must submit DMR data electronically through NetDMR per Phase I of the E-Reporting Rule (40 CFR 127) upon the effective date of the Permit. Authorized persons may access permit information by logging into the NetDMR Portal (<https://cdxnodengn.epa.gov/oeca-netdmr-web/action/login>). DMRs submitted in compliance with the E-Reporting Rule are not required to be submitted as described in Appendix A – Standard Conditions unless requested or approved by the Department. Any DMR data required by the Permit that cannot be reported in a NetDMR field (e.g. mixing zone receiving water data, etc...), shall be included as an attachment to the NetDMR submittal. DEC has established an e-Reporting Information website at <http://dec.alaska.gov/water/compliance/electronic-reporting-rule> that contains general information about this new reporting format. Training materials and webinars for NetDMR can be found at <https://netdmr.zendesk.com/home>.

## SECTION 9 – DEC STAFF CONTACT

If you have any technical questions regarding this authorization or the requirements of the general permit, please contact Jackie Ebert at [jackie.ebert@alaska.gov](mailto:jackie.ebert@alaska.gov) or (907) 465-5336.

If you have questions regarding compliance with any permit or authorization requirement, please call:

- Katrina Chambon at [Katrina.Chambon@alaska.gov](mailto:Katrina.Chambon@alaska.gov) or (907) 269-7550

If you have questions regarding NetDMR, please contact Dawn Hannasch at [dawn.hannasch@alaska.gov](mailto:dawn.hannasch@alaska.gov) or (907) 465-5304.

A permittee shall orally report any noncompliance event that may endanger health or the environment within 24 hours after the permittee becomes aware of the circumstances and in writing within five days after the permittee becomes aware of the circumstances. Please use the phone numbers and addresses below to report noncompliance events. Additional information regarding twenty-four hour reporting may be found in Appendix A of General Permit AKG523000. The required written follow-up notification can be sent via fax, email, or U.S. Postal Service.

Alaska Department of Environmental Conservation  
Attn: Compliance and Enforcement Program  
555 Cordova Street  
Anchorage, Alaska 99501

Toll Free Nationwide: 1-800-569-4114  
Anchorage or International: 1-907-269-4114  
Fax: 1-907-269-4604  
Email: [dec-wqreporting@alaska.gov](mailto:dec-wqreporting@alaska.gov)

## SECTION 10 – CERTIFICATION/SIGNATURE



Signature

May 8, 2020

Date

Earl L. Crapps

Printed Name

Section Manager Domestic & Industrial Utilities

Title

## SECTION 11 – ATTACHMENTS

The following AKG523000 Offshore Seafood Processor reporting forms are available electronically by clicking on the icons immediately following the form title.

AKG523000 Offshore Seafood Annual Report Form 

AKG523000 Annual Report Attachment E-1 

AKG523000 Annual Report Attachment E-2 

Attachment B Seafood Waste Size and Waste Conveyance Inspection Form 

Attachment C Sea Surface Log Form 

Attachment D Seafloor Survey and Transect Form 

Attachment F QAPP/BMP Certification Form 

Attachment G Notice of Termination Form 