

INSTRUCTIONS FOR COMPLETING THE PACIFIC ISLANDS PRECIOUS CORAL DAILY HARVEST LOG

Effort information

COLLECTOR/COMPANY NAME: Individual name (black coral diver), company name of submersible/ROV.

VESSEL NAME: Name of support vessel.

PERMIT NO.: Western Pacific Precious Coral Fishery Permit number.

RADIO CALL SIGN: Radio call sign.

DATE OF HARVEST: Date of precious coral harvest.

HARVEST METHOD: Precious coral harvest method, i.e. submersible, hand harvest.

AREA FISHED: General area fished, i.e. island or bank name and location.

START TIME: Start time (24 hour clock) of harvesting operations.

START LATITUDE, START LONGITUDE: Start location of harvest operations.

END TIME: End time (24 hour clock) of harvesting operations.

END LATITUDE, END LONGITUDE: End location of harvest operations.

HARVEST DEPTH RANGE: Maximum and minimum depth of harvest operations (fathoms).

NUMBER OF DIVES: Number of dives conducted in the day.

NO. OF HOURS FISHED (bottom time): Total bottom time of harvesting (all dives combined).

PORT OF LANDING: Port of vessel return (e.g., Honolulu, Hilo, Kodiak, Los Angeles, etc.).

VIDEO RECORD PROVIDED: Check the appropriate box if submersible or ROV dive video is submitted with the report.

Catch Information

NUMBER OF CORAL TREES HARVESTED: Total number of coral trees harvested, tallied by individual species groups.

WEIGHT HARVESTED (lbs): Total wet weight of coral trees harvested, tallied by individual species groups.

Protected Species Information

Enter number of individual species observed in the appropriate activity designation box. Please identify if possible. **Note:** Some species, including the Indo West Pacific Scalloped Hammerhead shark, are listed under the Endangered Species Act (ESA) as distinct population segments that are similar in appearance to other sub-populations that are not ESA-listed. NMFS regulations at 50 CFR 665.14 require that you report all catch and effort. If you are unsure of the species identification, you should record your best judgment and explain any uncertainty in remarks on the back of the form.

CONTACT AND VERIFICATION INFORMATION

CAPTAIN/OPERATOR: Print full name, sign on signature line, date of report completion.