



Licence to Fish in the Ascension Fishery Limits in accordance with the Ascension Fisheries (Conservation and Management) Ordinance, 2015

LICENCE NUMBER: ...2015_001.....

LICENSING PERIOD: From: .13th January 2016.....

To: 31st July 2016.....

VESSEL NAME: CHIEN CHYANG.....

INTERNATIONAL

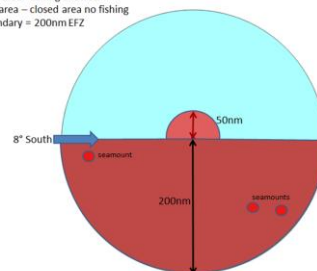
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REGISTRATION NUMBER: CT6-1200 (IMO 8749896).....

Conditions of licence

1. No fishing, unless requested by AIG for research purposes, shall take place within 50nm of Ascension Island taken from the nearest point on the low water line on the coast or other baseline from which the breadth of the Territorial waters are measured, or anywhere within the EFZ south of 08°S.
2. A licence shall be kept on board the vessel for which it was granted at all times while within the fishery limit provided that, where a vessel has put to sea prior to the receipt of a licence, production of the licence number shall be sufficient.
3. All vessels may be subjected to an at sea licensing inspection. A breach of any condition of the licence may lead to court proceedings, an administration penalty or revocation of the licence without repayment of any fee paid. The master must permit and facilitate any Fisheries Protection Officer or Scientific Observer to board and disembark from the boat in safety, and in accordance with the ordinary practice of seamen the boat must be manoeuvred to make a lee.
4. All vessels must report to Georgetown, Ascension Island if requested to do so for inspection and licensing purposes;
5. The method of fishing shall be by pelagic longline only. The use of gill nets or purse seines is strictly prohibited.
6. The vessel must fish within ICCAT quota limits.
7. The licensee shall ensure that reports on the current activities of the vessel are sent, in the manner set out in the relevant form by email to Ascension Island Government: the Catch Report Form (Entry to EFZ) at entry of the licensed vessel to the fishery limit of Ascension Island; the Catch Report Form (by set) on each Wednesday while the licensed vessel is in the fishery limit of Ascension Island; and the Catch Report Form (depart from EFZ) on departure of the licensed vessel from the fishery limit of Ascension Island
8. Vessels must record in the Catch Report Form (by set) all catch, including other fish by-catch, and any incidental seabird or turtle mortality. This must include information on both captures and fates of all species (ie fish (including by-catch species), birds, turtles) i.e. whether kept onboard, discarded dead or released alive. Catch reports must be completed on a set by set basis and at all times while within the fishery limit. This data must then be submitted electronically to Ascension Island Government.
9. Failure to submit completed catch reports will result in future licences being withheld.
10. Weekly position and full set by set catch reports must be sent to Ascension Island Government.
11. The vessel is responsible for ensuring full reporting of data to the ICCAT Secretariat through the relevant authorities of their registered flag state
12. The vessel's AIS must be operating and functioning properly.

Blue area- fishing allowed
Red area - closed area no fishing
Boundary = 200nm EFZ



13. From entering until their final departure from the Ascension EFZ, all vessels must make VMS transmissions to the AIG's Fisheries Monitoring Centre at a minimum of four hourly intervals.
14. Hooks must not be discarded overboard. All hooks on board the vessel must be stored in a way that ensures they will not be lost overboard.
15. Vessels must record all lost gear and report it on the Lost Gear Reporting Form to the Ascension Island Government.
16. An observer appointed by Ascension Island Government may at any time be deployed on board while fishing within the Ascension fishing limits. For so long as the Scientific Observer is onboard the vessel they must be provided with officer standard accommodation, plentiful good quality food, sufficient workspace to carry out their designated tasks, access to samples, access to catch reports, and access to communications equipment for communication with the Fisheries Department. Communications between the vessel and the observer will ordinarily be in English.
17. No inorganic waste products are to be discarded from the vessel. All waste products must be incinerated or stored on board.
18. Vessels operators must provide AIG with a copy of the Fire Plan and a Contingency Plan (including contact numbers in case of emergency) for operations in Ascension waters. Such a plan should note that the fishing grounds are geographically isolated and that Ascension Island Government cannot provide support in case of breakdown or emergency. We recommend that vessels do not work in isolation and that your plans include provision such that another vessel in the fishery will provide back-up in case of emergency.
19. The use of any Fish Aggregating Device (FAD) is not permitted within the Ascension EFZ.
20. Any buoy used as part of a longline set within the fishery limits must be clearly marked with vessel name, callsign and be equipped with radar reflector and lights.
21. Vessels are required to carry de-hookers and dip-nets on board to support the live release of incidentally-caught seabirds, turtles and sharks.
22. Vessels are not to undertake shark finning and any sharks retained must still have their fins attached. Vessels are also not allowed to retain on board any bigeye thresher, hammerhead, shortfin mako or oceanic whitetip sharks (caught either within or outside of the EFZ) and all attempts should be made to return them to the sea alive.
23. It is illegal to retain on board any species of sea turtle in Ascension waters, and all attempts should be made to return them to the sea alive.
24. Vessels must ensure that all their safety equipment is in date and that there are sufficient life jackets on board for everyone (including the observer(s); all life-jackets must be in good condition, fitted with light (with batteries in date), whistle and reflective tape and be readily accessible in the event of an emergency. There must also be sufficient life raft places for every officer, crew member and observer(s) who will be on board for so long as the vessel is intended that she shall be in the EFZ.
25. The vessels pilot ladder must conform to the standards set out in IMO Resolution A889 (21) for Pilot Ladders.
26. The vessel must be marked with their international radio call sign in accordance with the FAO Standard Specifications for the Marking and Identification of Fishing Vessels.
27. The vessel must have sufficient room and workspace for any national observer, ICCAT observer or an observer placed on board the vessel by Ascension Island Government.
28. The vessel must have on board the relevant charts for the fishery limits of Ascension Island and also have on board all of the ICCAT recommendations and resolutions which are relevant for operations in the EFZ of Ascension Island.

DATED: 13th January 2016

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DIRECTOR OF FISHERIES OF ASCENSION ISLAND



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To: 31st July 2016.....

VESSEL NAME: SHUN YU.....

INTERNATIONAL

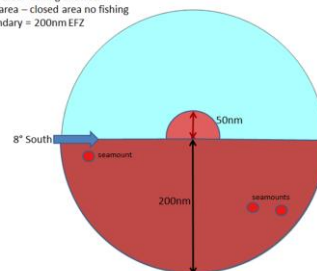
RADIO CALL SIGN: BI2548.....

REGISTRATION NUMBER: CT7-0548 (IMO 8947577).....

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