

The Fisheries (Fees) Regulations, 2006

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THE FISHERIES (MANAGEMENT AND DEVELOPMENT)

ACT, 1994

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THE FISHERIES (FEES) REGULATIONS, 2006.

In exercise of the powers conferred on him by section 107 of the Fisheries (Management and Development) Act 1994, the Minister of Fisheries and Marine Resources, hereby makes the following

Regulations: -

1. These Regulations shall be deemed to have come into operation on the 1st day of January, 2006.
2. The fees and royalties set out in the Schedule shall be charged for the issuance of the licences set out in the Schedule.

SCHEDULE

(A) INDUSTRIAL FISHING LICENCES

1. Categories A1 and 2: Shrimps and Cephalopod Trawlers

| | Period | Fees |
|-----|---------------|-------------------------------|
| (i) | 6 months | US\$150 for GRT up to 250 GRT |

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| | | US\$40 000 for over 259 GRT |
| | 12 months | US\$200 for GRT up to 250 GRT |
| | | Royalties |
| (ii) | 6 months | US\$10 000 per vessel |
| (iii) | 12 months | US\$18 000 per vessel |
| (iv) | 6 months | Discretionary but not less than US\$6 500 p |

2. Categories A3 and A4: Demersal and Mid-Water Trawlers (fish)

| | Period | Fees |
|------|---------------|--|
| (i) | 6 months | US\$1520 for GRT up to 250 GRT US\$40 000 per vessel over 259 GRT |
| | 12 months | US\$150 for GRT up to 250 GRT US\$40 000 per vessel over 250 GRT |
| | Period | Royalties |
| (i) | 6 months | US\$10 000 per vessel |
| (ii) | 12 months | US\$15 000 per vessel |

3. Categories A5, 6 and 7: Tuna Fishing Vessels

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| | A. Tuna purse seiners | |
| | Period | Fees |
| (i) | 3 months | US\$12 000 per vessel |
| (ii) | 6 months | US\$15 000 per vessel |
| (iii) | 12 months | US\$18 000 per vessel |
| | B. Tuna long liners | |
| | Period | Fees |
| (i) | 3 months | US\$8 000 per vessel |
| (ii) | 6 months | US\$10 000 per vessel |
| (iii) | 12 months | US\$12 000 per vessel |
| | C. Purse seiners for small pelagic | |
| | Period | Fees |
| | 12 months | US\$20 000 per vessel |

(B) FISHERY SUPPORT AND PROCESSING LICENSES

4. Category B1: Processing plants establishments

| | Period | Fees |
|--|---------------|------------------------------|
| | 12 months | US\$20 000 per establishment |

5. Category B2: Mothership for processing

| | Period | Fees |
|--|---------------|----------------------------------|
| | 12 months | US\$20 000 per processing vessel |

6. Category B3: Mothership with canoes, ports, traps, nets or line fishing

| | Period | Fees |
|------|---------------|-----------------------|
| (i) | 6 months | US\$20 000 per vessel |
| (ii) | 12 months | US\$35 000 per vessel |

7. Category B4: Transshipment vessels

| | Period | Fees |
|-------|--------------------------------------|---|
| (i) | 6 months | US\$15 000 per vessel |
| (ii) | 12 months | US\$18 000 per vessel |
| (iii) | Transshipment/Carrier | US\$3 000 per carrier per transshipment |
| | Transshipping Fishing Vessels | |

| | Period | Fees |
|-------|-----------------------------------|---|
| (i) | With Sierra Leone fishing licence | US\$450 000 per vessel per transhipment |
| (ii) | With foreign fishing license | US\$900 000 per vessel per transhipment |
| (iii) | Transhipment or carrier | US\$3 000 per vessel per transhipment |

8. Category B5: Supply Vessels

| | Period | Fees |
|--|---------------|----------------------|
| | 12 months | US\$3 000 per vessel |

9. Category C1: Semi-industrial fishing vessels

| | Period | Fees |
|------|---------------|---------------|
| (i) | 6 months | Le3.0 million |
| (ii) | 12 months | Le5.0 million |

10. Category C2: Fishing canoes, recreational fishing or line fishing

| | Category | Fees |
|-----|-----------------|-------------|
| (a) | Kru Canoe | Le40 000.00 |

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| (b) | STD1-3 Canoe | Le60 000.00 |
| (c) | STD3-5 Canoe | Le90 000.00 |
| (d) | STD5-10 (Snapper, Herring etc.) | Le240 000.00 |
| (e) | STD5-10 (Shark, Other etc.) | Le240 000.00 |
| (f) | Ghanatype Canoe (Herrings, Bonga) | Le240 000.00 |
| (g) | Ghanatype Canoe (Shark, Others) | Le240 000.00 |
| (h) | Recreational or sport fishing | Le240 000.00 |
| (i) | Beach seine Canoe | Le410 000.00 |
| (j) | Beach seine (Fololo) | Le300 000.00 |
| (k) | Foreign Canoe | Le3 000 000.00 |

11. Category D1: Canoe support for industrial vessels

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| | | Fees |
| | Canoe Permit | Le65 000 per canoe per day |

MADE this 9th day of May, 2006

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