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# **Fisheries (Monthly Harvest Returns) Circular 2017**

## **Issuing Authority**

This circular is issued under regulation 47(1) of the Fisheries (Reporting) Regulations 2017 by Martyn Dunne, Chief Executive of the Ministry for Primary Industries.

## **Introduction**

(This introduction is not part of the circular but is provided to give users its background and broad purpose.)

The Fisheries (Reporting) Regulations 2017 revoked and replaced the Fisheries (Reporting) Regulations 2001. The 2001 Regulations set out the forms used for various paper-based returns, including monthly harvest returns. Under the 2017 Regulations, most reports will be provided electronically but monthly harvest returns may still be provided on paper. This circular sets out the forms to be used for monthly harvest returns, which are the same as they were under the 2001 Regulations.

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## **1 Title**

- (1) This circular is the Fisheries (Monthly Harvest Returns) Circular 2017.

## **2 Commencement**

- (1) This circular comes into force on 1 October 2017.

## **3 Purpose**

- (1) The purpose of this circular is to set out the manner and form in which monthly harvest returns must be provided to MPI under the Fisheries (Reporting) Regulations 2017, other than monthly reports required to be provided electronically.

## **4 Form of harvest return and amendment in Schedule**

- (1) The form of the monthly harvest return, and the form for any amendment to the monthly harvest return, are set out in the Schedule.


## **5 What does not have to be reported in monthly harvest return**

- (1) A monthly harvest return does not need to report in respect of fish or fish product recorded using disposal codes or landing codes that are marked with a “No” in Part 5 (Disposal codes) or Part 6 (Landing codes) of Schedule 2 of the Fisheries (E-logbook Users Instructions and Codes) Circular 2017.



## Form 2: Monthly harvest return amendment

# Monthly Harvest Return AMENDMENT



**1. Client and Return details**

Client Number  Amendment for the month of:  Year   Page  of

Client Name

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**2. Only enter the quota and non quota stock that have changed**

Stock species	area	Reported Catch (kgs, unless stated in Regulations)	Revised Catch (kgs, unless stated in Regulations)	.0kg	Stock species	area	Reported Catch (kgs, unless stated in Regulations)	Revised Catch (kgs, unless stated in Regulations)	.0kg

**3. Only enter vessels that are affected by amendments**

registration number of vessel	name of vessel	To be added (Tick one for each vessel)	To be removed (Tick one for each vessel)
		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

**4. Please provide a reason for your amendment**

**5. Declaration**

- I declare that the information I have given on this form is correct and complete to the best of my knowledge.
- I understand it is an offence to fail to complete this return or supply false information or make any material omission.
- I have read and understood the details on the Privacy Act 1993 supplied with this form.
- I declare I am authorised to supply this information.

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Name of person making this declaration

Signature

Date  /  / 20