Agenda Item E.2 Attachment 13 September 2020

Application Date: 3/2020

Applicant(s): 2

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Commercial Fishing Permits Held: General

Swordfish Experience: Drift/Gillnet & Pelagic Deepset longline: 10 years as Captain/Crew

Number of vessels*: 1

Vessel a) Name: Concha

Name of Operator: Troy Shaddon Pack

Commercial Fishing Experience: 15+ years, all trap fisheries and longline fisheries from Alaska to San Diego including;

- Lobster
- Rock Crab
- Dungeness Crab
- Slime Eel
- Blackcod
- Urchin
- Albacore tuna
- Bigeye Tuna
- Bluefin Tuna
- Swordfish (drift/gillnet/harpoon).

Do any of the applicants/vessel operators have current/pending state or federal violations in any commercial Fishery? NO

(If Yes, follow-up on the nature and status of any violations may be required as part of the application review process).

Duration: Two Year Permit

Intended DSBG Configuration (See Attachment A) Standard Linked Describe proposed gear modifications (if any) that differ from the descriptions in **Attachment A:** I intend to utilize the DSBG using standard configuration.

Do you intend to target any species other than swords? (This does not include other species that get caught incidentally when targeting swords) No

If you do plan to use the gear to catch other species, list the species and how the fishing method you plan to use would differ (depth, time of day, season, etc.): | only intend to target Swordfish.

| Fishing Area and Effort: | # Of Vessels/Vessel Name | Estimated fishing effort |
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| | | in number of days or sets |

| Southern California Bight | | |
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| (Pt. Conception to the U.SMex. Border) | 1/Concha | 100 |
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| <u>Central California</u> | | |
| (Point Reyes to Point Conception) | 1/Concha | 50 |
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| <u>Northern California</u> | | |
| (42 degrees N. latitude to Point Reyes). | 1/Concha | N/A |

Additional information you think would be helpful in reviewing the application concerning where you plan to share and the amount of fishing: F/v Concha is able to fish from 2 to 300 miles offshore (depending where the fish are, water temps, currents, and other conditions all is in conjunction with weather permitting). I am very familiar with this specific fishery, and have worked with many of the Fisherman currently holding DSBG permits. In Addition, I would like to contribute to the economic viability of the DSBG fishery and supply additional data to this growing sustainable Industry. I also plan on diminishing our dependence on imports and bringing in a significant amount of prosperity to our struggling fishing communities in California.

Explain what methods you would use, or information you plan to gather, to address the data gaps you checked off above: By reason and interest of this experimental permit, all efforts to contribute as much as possible to develop this ever growing Fishery. Any Data gaps I see I will make an effort to close, including but not limited too; retrieving lost gear, minimal to no bycatch mortality, while using radar reflectors on each set. Protected species are of utmost concern and by using the right depth of line and fewer circle hooks confidently feel that will decrease interactions overall.

Reporting Requirements and Observer Coverage: You must maintain a logbook for reporting catch and other operational information (such as time and location of catch) in a format specified by the National Marine Fisheries Service Up to 100% observer coverage may be required on your EFP fishing trips. Data gathered as part of the EFP will be publicly available. I acknowledge the above conditions, and verify that I am willing and able to cover the cost of any level of observer coverage required under permit terms and conditions. Yes. I acknowledge the above terms and conditions. I am willing to do anything that is required of me while fishing the EFP. Observer coverage is important for data collection and am familiar with many of the observers as having them on the boats I was running for bigeye tuna fishing out of california and hawaii. I am also willing to install and use the camera system that some of the boats use as well.

If you are unable to cover the entire cost of the observer coverage requirement, please explain what portion you may be able to cover and identify other sources of funding which may be available to help you cover observer costs: We are willing to comply and would like to use an observer camera program. It would be helpful if there was a source to help cover the observer coverage costs starting off being that this is a new type of fishing method, but if we have to cover it, that's okay and am willing to make any adjustments necessary for having an observer onboard.

Applicant(s) Signature:

a)*Troy S Pack*

b) Ashley C Fagerstedt