

be operated and shall state that applications will be received up to January 1st. On January 1st the Commission shall issue such additional licenses, within the limits set, to be chosen by lot from among the applications received prior to January 1st, or from among the applications for each particular area. The Commission shall by regulation fix the number of nets that may be licensed to any one applicant under this section.

63. Licenses to operate nets granted under the authority of this sub-title shall expire on December 31st of each year, but shall be renewable annually to the person named therein, unless revoked or suspended for cause, provided application for renewal for the ensuing year be filed on or before December 1st of the preceding year. If any person shall fail to make a bona fide use of his license during any two consecutive license years, the license shall lapse and shall not be renewed.

63A. The Commission shall not grant a license to any person, under the provisions of this sub-title, to operate a pound net on the location occupied by any other licensee or within four hundred (400) yards thereof measured at right angles to the line of stakes, unless such other licensee shall have failed to apply for renewal of his license on or before December 1st of the year for which it was granted.

The Commission shall mail blanks for application for renewal of license to each licensee at the address given in his most recent license application or to such other address as he may have designated in writing subsequent to filing application. Such blanks shall be sent by registered mail during the month of November and the mailing thereof shall constitute sufficient notice and warning of the expiration of the license on December 31st following.

63B. Before issuing any license the Commission shall collect the following license fees:

#### POUND NETS

In Chesapeake Bay, \$5.00 for the first net and \$1.00 for each additional net.

In the tributaries of Chesapeake Bay, \$2.00 for the first net, \$1.00 for additional net.

In Chincoteague, Sinepuxent, Isle of Wight and Assawoman Bays and their tributaries, and in the Atlantic Ocean within three miles of the Maryland Shore, \$5.00 for each net.

#### HAUL SEINES

In Chesapeake Bay and tributaries, \$3.00 for each net.

In Chincoteague, Sinepuxent, Isle of Wight and Assawoman Bays and their tributaries, and in the Atlantic Ocean within three miles of the Maryland shore, \$5.00 for each net.