

(1) THE MAKING OF ANY MATERIALLY FALSE STATEMENT IN THE APPLICATION FOR THE LICENSE;

(2) THE CONVICTION OF THE LICENSEE OF ANY VIOLATION OF THE PROVISIONS OF THIS SUBTITLE RELATING TO CATCHING HARD-SHELL CLAMS WITH A HANDSCRAPE, SHINNECCCK RAKE, OR HYDRAULIC OR MECHANICAL DREDGE. A LICENSEE MAY NOT CATCH HARD-SHELL CLAMS WITH ANY SHINNECOCK RAKE, HYDRAULIC OR MECHANICAL DREDGE, OR SIMILAR DEVICE, DURING THE PERIOD HIS LICENSE IS SUSPENDED OR REVOKED.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section presently appears as Article 66C, section 712(f) (8) of the Code. The provisions of section 698(b) are limited to the issuance of licenses and, therefore, do not supersede the provisions of this proposed section relating to handscrapes and hydraulic or mechanical dredges. The reference to "subsection" is proposed for deletion because the provisions of the present subsection (f) are set forth throughout this subtitle. In addition, new language is added to make this section applicable to hard-shell clam dredging in light of Article 66C, section 712A(g). The only other changes made are in style.

4-1027. CLAM DEALER'S LICENSES.

ANY PERSON WISHING TO ENGAGE IN THE BUSINESS OF SHIPPING OR SELLING HARD-SHELL CLAMS TAKEN FROM THE WATERS OF THE STATE FIRST SHALL OBTAIN A LICENSE FROM THE CLERK OF THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE COUNTY WHERE THE APPLICANT RESIDES. AN APPLICANT SHALL PAY A \$25 LICENSE FEE AND 50 CENTS TO COVER THE COST OF ISSUANCE TO THE CLERK OF THE CIRCUIT COURT. THIS LICENSE SHALL BE VALID ONLY FOR THE CALENDAR YEAR IN WHICH IT IS ISSUED. THE CLERK OF THE CIRCUIT COURT SHALL SEND MONTHLY TO THE DEPARTMENT A RECORD OF EVERY LICENSE ISSUED UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF THIS SUBSECTION. THIS SECTION IS NOT INTENDED TO PROHIBIT ANY LICENSEE FROM SELLING HIS OWN CATCH WITHOUT A SHIPPER'S OR DEALER'S LICENSE.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section presently appears as Article 66C, section 712(b) of the Code. The reference to "marketing" is proposed for deletion in favor of "selling" in order to maintain consistency with the language