

(II) ~~ONE~~ 1 DOZEN FOR AN INDIVIDUAL EXEMPT UNDER SUBSECTION (D) OF THIS SECTION.

(F) (1) THE DEPARTMENT SHALL DEPOSIT ALL FEES RECEIVED FOR NONCOMMERCIAL CRABBING LICENSES TO THE CREDIT OF THE FISHERIES RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT FUND TO BE USED FOR RESEARCH, INCLUDING INDEPENDENT STUDIES OF THE FISHERY, AND TO DETERMINE THE EXTENT OF THE NONCOMMERCIAL CRAB CATCH. THE AMOUNT OF FUNDS EXPENDED ON THE CRAB RESEARCH MAY NOT EXCEED \$200,000.

(2) ANY FUNDS REMAINING BEYOND THE FINANCIAL DEMANDS OF THE RESEARCH REQUIRED UNDER PARAGRAPH (1) OF THIS SUBSECTION SHALL BE USED FOR ENFORCEMENT.

(G) (1) AN INDIVIDUAL WHO MAY CATCH OR ATTEMPT TO CATCH CRABS UNDER THIS SECTION MAY NOT OFFER TO SELL OR SELL CRABS THAT WERE CAUGHT FOR NONCOMMERCIAL OR RECREATIONAL PURPOSES.

(2) A PERSON MAY NOT KNOWINGLY BUY OR OFFER TO BUY CRABS FROM AN INDIVIDUAL WHO CAUGHT CRABS FOR NONCOMMERCIAL PURPOSES UNDER THIS SECTION.

(H) (1) EXCEPT AS PROVIDED IN PARAGRAPH (2) OF THIS SUBSECTION, A PERSON WHO VIOLATES ANY PROVISION OF THIS SECTION IS GUILTY OF A MISDEMEANOR AND ON CONVICTION IS SUBJECT TO:

(I) FOR A FIRST OFFENSE, A FINE NOT EXCEEDING \$500; AND

(II) FOR A SECOND OR SUBSEQUENT OFFENSE, A FINE NOT EXCEEDING \$1,000.

(2) A PERSON WHO VIOLATES SUBSECTION (G) OF THIS SECTION IS GUILTY OF A MISDEMEANOR AND ON CONVICTION IS SUBJECT TO:

(I) FOR A FIRST OFFENSE, A FINE NOT EXCEEDING \$500; AND

(II) FOR A SECOND OR SUBSEQUENT OFFENSE, A FINE OF NOT LESS THAN \$500 AND NOT EXCEEDING \$2,000.

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(A) EXCEPT AS PROVIDED IN SUBTITLE 7 OF THIS TITLE, AN INDIVIDUAL WHO ATTEMPTS TO CATCH OR CATCHES CRABS IN THE WATERS OF THE COASTAL BAYS OF THE ATLANTIC OCEAN AND THEIR TRIBUTARIES MAY NOT:

(1) CATCH OR POSSESS MORE THAN 1 BUSHEL PER DAY;

(2) USE MORE THAN 600 FEET OF TROTLINE;

(3) USE MORE THAN 10 COLLAPSIBLE CRAB TRAPS OR NET RINGS; OR

(4) USE MORE THAN 2 CRAB POTS FROM THE SHORE ADJACENT TO PRIVATE PROPERTY.