

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Cate O'Keefe, Executive Director, New England Fishery Management Council; telephone: (978) 465-0492.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

**Agenda**

The SSC will meet to consider the information provided by the Council's Scallop and Groundfish Plan Development Teams, including stock assessment or data update information where appropriate; recommend the overfishing limits and acceptable biological catches for: Atlantic sea scallops for fishing years (FY) 2026 & 2027 (default); Ocean pout for FY 2026-2030; and Atlantic wolffish for FY 2026-2030. Other business will be discussed as necessary.

Although non-emergency issues not contained on the agenda may come before this Council for discussion, those issues may not be the subject of formal action during this meeting. Council action will be restricted to those issues specifically listed in this notice and any issues arising after publication of this notice that require emergency action under section 305(c) of the Magnuson-Stevens Act, provided the public has been notified of the Council's intent to take final action to address the emergency. The public also should be aware that the meeting will be recorded. Consistent with 16 U.S.C. 1852, a copy of the recording is available upon request.

**Special Accommodations**

This meeting is physically accessible to people with disabilities. Requests for sign language interpretation or other auxiliary aids should be directed to Cate O'Keefe, Executive Director, at 978-465-0492, at least 5 days prior to the meeting date.

(Authority: 16 U.S.C. 1801 *et seq.*)

Dated: September 25, 2025.

**Rey Israel Marquez,**

*Acting Deputy Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, National Marine Fisheries Service.*

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**ACTION:** Notice; receipt of application.

**SUMMARY:** Notice is hereby given that Adam Gilbertsen, University of Minnesota, 689 23rd Avenue Southeast, MRF Room 1-151, Minneapolis, MN 55455, has applied in due form for a permit to import, export, and receive marine mammal parts for scientific research.

**DATES:** Written comments must be received on or before October 29, 2025.

**ADDRESSES:** The application and related documents are available for review by selecting "Records Open for Public Comment" from the "Features" box on the Applications and Permits for Protected Species home page, <https://apps.nmfs.noaa.gov>, and then selecting File No. 29152 from the list of available applications. These documents are also available upon written request via email to [NMFS.Pr1Comments@noaa.gov](mailto:NMFS.Pr1Comments@noaa.gov).

Written comments on this application should be submitted via email to [NMFS.Pr1Comments@noaa.gov](mailto:NMFS.Pr1Comments@noaa.gov). Please include File No. 29152 in the subject line of the email comment.

Those individuals requesting a public hearing should submit a written request via email to [NMFS.Pr1Comments@noaa.gov](mailto:NMFS.Pr1Comments@noaa.gov). The request should set forth the specific reasons why a hearing on this application would be appropriate.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Shasta McClenahan, Ph.D., or Jennifer Skidmore, (301) 427-8401.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The subject permit is requested under the authority of the Marine Mammal Protection Act of 1972, as amended (MMPA; 16 U.S.C. 1361 *et seq.*), the regulations governing the taking and importing of marine mammals (50 CFR part 216), the Endangered Species Act of 1973, as amended (ESA; 16 U.S.C. 1531 *et seq.*), the regulations governing the taking, importing, and exporting of endangered and threatened species (50 CFR parts 222-226), and the Fur Seal Act of 1966, as amended (16 U.S.C. 1151 *et seq.*).

The applicant requests a 5-year research permit to import, export, and receive marine mammal parts to derive, cryopreserve, and characterize cell lines for comparative virology experiments. Parts from up to 30 cetaceans and 30 pinnipeds, excluding walrus, per year may be obtained from the following foreign or domestic legal sources: other researchers, captive animals, subsistence harvests, bycatch in legal fisheries, museums, scientific collections, and foreign stranded animals.

In compliance with the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 (42

U.S.C. 4321 *et seq.*), an initial determination has been made that the activity proposed is categorically excluded from the requirement to prepare an environmental assessment or environmental impact statement.

Concurrent with the publication of this notice in the **Federal Register**, NMFS is forwarding copies of the application to the Marine Mammal Commission and its Committee of Scientific Advisors.

Dated: September 25, 2025.

**Shannon Bettridge,**

*Chief, Marine Mammal and Sea Turtle Conservation Division, Office of Protected Resources, National Marine Fisheries Service.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE**

**National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration**

**[RTID 0648-XF134]**

**Marine Mammals and Endangered Species**

**AGENCY:** National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS), National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), Commerce.

**ACTION:** Notice; issuance of permits and permit amendments.

**SUMMARY:** Notice is hereby given that permits and permit amendments have been issued under the Marine Mammal Protection Act (MMPA) and the Endangered Species Act (ESA), as applicable.

**ADDRESSES:** The permits and related documents are available for review upon written request via email to [NMFS.Pr1Comments@noaa.gov](mailto:NMFS.Pr1Comments@noaa.gov).

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Courtney Smith, Ph.D. (File No. 22629), Amy Hapeman (File No. 28217), Erin Markin, Ph.D., (File No. 29010), and Sara Young (File No. 23188); at (301) 427-8401.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The requested permits have been issued under the MMPA of 1972, as amended (16 U.S.C. 1361 *et seq.*), the regulations governing the taking and importing of marine mammals (50 CFR part 216), the ESA of 1973, as amended (16 U.S.C. 1531 *et seq.*), and the regulations governing the taking, importing, and exporting of endangered and threatened species (50 CFR parts 222-226), as applicable. Notices were published in the **Federal Register** on the dates listed below that requests for a permit or permit amendment had been submitted.

**DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE**

**National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration**

**[RTID 0648-XF221]**

**Marine Mammals; File No. 29152**

**AGENCY:** National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS), National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), Commerce.

To locate the **Federal Register** notice that announced our receipt of the application and a complete description

of the activities, go to <https://www.federalregister.gov> and search for

the file number provided in table 1 below.

TABLE 1—ISSUED PERMITS AND PERMIT AMENDMENTS

File No.	Version No.	RTID	Applicant	Previous <b>Federal Register</b> notice	Issuance date
22629 .....	04	0648-XA471	Mystic Aquarium, 55 Coogan Boulevard, Mystic, CT 06355 (Responsible Party: Susette Tibus).	85 FR 56219, September 11, 2020.	August 15, 2025.
23188 .....	03	0648-XB081	Institute of Marine Sciences, University of California at Santa Cruz, 130 McAllister Way, Santa Cruz, CA 95060 (Responsible Party: Daniel Costa, Ph.D.).	86 FR 26013, May 12, 2021.	August 18, 2025.
28217 .....	N/A	0648-XE722	Douglas Nowacek, Ph.D., Duke University, 135 Duke Marine Lab Rd., Beaufort, NC 28516.	90 FR 23032, May 30, 2025.	August 11, 2025.
29010 .....	N/A	0648-XE978	Caribbean Oceanic Restoration and Education Foundation, 2608 Fish Bay, St. John, VI 00830 (Responsible Party: Rebecca Gibbel, DVM).	90 FR 27529, June 27, 2025.	August 19, 2025.

In compliance with the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 (NEPA; 42 U.S.C. 4321 *et seq.*), a final determination has been made that the activities proposed for File Nos. 28217 and 23188, are categorically excluded from the requirement to prepare an environmental assessment (EA) or environmental impact statement (EIS).

For File No. 22629, an EA was prepared for the original permit (85 FR 56219, September 11, 2020) analyzing the effects of the permitted activities on the human environment in compliance with NEPA. Based on the analyses in that EA, NMFS determined that issuance of that permit would not significantly impact the quality of the human environment and that preparation of an EIS was not required. That determination is documented in a Finding of No Significant Impact (FONSI), signed on August 27, 2020. NMFS determined that issuance of this minor amendment (No. 22629–04) with a 1 year extension would not change the findings of the original EA and FONSI.

For File No. 29010, NMFS has determined that the activities proposed are consistent with the Preferred Alternative in the Final Programmatic EIS for the Coral Reef Conservation Program (NMFS 2020), and that issuance of the permit would not have a significant adverse impact on the human environment.

As required by the ESA, as applicable, issuance of these permits was based on a finding that such permits: (1) were applied for in good faith; (2) will not operate to the disadvantage of such endangered species; and (3) are consistent with the purposes and

policies set forth in section 2 of the ESA.

Dated: September 25, 2025.

**Shannon Bettridge,**

*Chief, Marine Mammal and Sea Turtle Conservation Division, Office of Protected Resources, National Marine Fisheries Service.*

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## COMMODITY FUTURES TRADING COMMISSION

### Agency Information Collection Activities Under OMB Review

#### Correction

In notice document 2025–17979, appearing on pages 44809–44810 in the issue of Wednesday, September 17, 2025, make the following correction:

On page 44809, in the second column, in the **DATES** section, “September 17, 2025” should read “October 17, 2025”.

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## DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

### Office of the Secretary

[Docket ID: DoD–2024–HA–0055]

### Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request

**AGENCY:** Office of the Assistant Secretary of Defense for Health Affairs (OASD(HA)), Department of Defense (DoD).

**ACTION:** 30-Day information collection notice.

**SUMMARY:** The DoD has submitted to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for clearance the following proposal for collection of information under the provisions of the Paperwork Reduction Act.

**DATES:** Consideration will be given to all comments received by October 29, 2025.

**ADDRESSES:** Written comments and recommendations for the proposed information collection should be sent within 30 days of publication of this notice to [www.reginfo.gov/public/do/PRAMain](http://www.reginfo.gov/public/do/PRAMain). Find this particular information collection by selecting “Currently under 30-day Review—Open for Public Comments” or by using the search function.

#### FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Reginald Lucas, (571) 372–7574, [wbs.mc-alex.esd.mbx.dd-dod-information-collections@mail.mil](mailto:wbs.mc-alex.esd.mbx.dd-dod-information-collections@mail.mil).

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

**Title:** Associated Form; and **OMB Number:** SCORE™ Well-Being and Engagement Survey; OMB Control Number 0720–SCOR.

**Type of Request:** New.  
**Number of Respondents:** 6,873.

**Responses per Respondent:** 1.

**Annual Responses:** 6,873.

**Average Burden per Response:** 15 minutes.

**Annual Burden Hours:** 1,718.

**Needs and Uses:** The 2001 National Defense Authorization Act addresses patient safety in military and veteran’s healthcare and requires an examination of systemic factors which lead to medical error. The Safety Culture, Operational reliability, Resilience/burnout, and Engagement (SCORE™) Survey, a validated commercial assessment tool for patient safety that