FORM 17 – Application for an Aquaculture (Crown Land) Licence

# Applicant details

Company name (if applicable – see attached overleaf)

Applicant’s full name (or company nominee)

Date of birth

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Residential address (cannot be a post office)

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Postal address

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Home phone number Fax number

Work phone number Mobile phone number

Email address

Type of licence required:

Abalone 🞐

Bivalve shellfish 🞐

Offshore 🞐

Eels 🞐

Other 🞐

*please 🗹 tick the appropriate licence type(s)*

# Description of aquaculture site:

# Address of aquaculture site:

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Is the proposed aquaculture site on land?

Yes No

Is the proposed aquaculture site:

Totally freehold by you

Leased by you

Species of fish:

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# Description of proposed facility:

(What type of system will be used eg recirculation unit, semi-intensive pond aquaculture, raceway systems etc)

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Estimated production per annum:

(proposed production in kilograms or number of fish on an annual basis for sale)

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# Where do you intend to obtain your stock from?

# (through another farmer or through a General Permit provisions)

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# Will your farmed product be sold live, processed or in another form?

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# Where are you planning to access water from?

Private water supply

Crown land

If Crown land, which water authority have you sought permission from?

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# Describe how you intend to discharge any waste water:

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# Please attach a copy of your business plan for your proposal including the following information:

# 1. Proposed financial plan

# 2. Marketing strategies

# 3. Timeframes for development

# 4. Plan of the production system

# 5. Any letters of approval from other agencies

# Please attach a diagram (drawn to scale) describing the following features:

# 1. Land tenure and use

# 2. Adjacent land tenure and use

# 3. Easements and frontages

# 4. Location of aquaculture facility including ponds, raceways buildings etc

# 5. Location of existing buildings and structures

# 6. Location of watercourses, wetlands, irrigation channels etc

# Checklist

# Have you?

Paid the application fee (refer to Applicant Information Sheet)

If this application is in the name of a company, enclose a current ASIC company statement (extracted from the ASIC database within 6 months)

Completed the Fit & Proper Person form.

Provided a National Police Certificate for the individual applying (or for each Director if the application is in the name of a company).

# Declaration

By signing this document you certify that the information contained in this application is true, correct and complete, and that you have read and understood the information sheet for applicants.

Failure to include any material matter with the result that the information provided is misleading, or providing false or misleading information in a material detail may result in prosecution under section 119A, 119B or 148(7) of the *Fisheries Act 1995*.

Signature Dated

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