

Fisheries Structural Adjustment Scheme - Stage 3 **Payment for surrender of particular fishing nets**

Fund code: FSAGN3
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The purpose of this assistance is to provide a payment to former holders and lessees of primary commercial fishing licences on which particular fishery symbols were written to surrender usable nets.

Section 1 - Applicant details

Applicant entity name

Please ensure that the applicant entity name matches the name listed on the Department of Fisheries record.

Applicant entity ABN
(if applicable)

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GST registered?

Yes

No

Please select your primary ANZSIC code:

0414 Fish Trawling, Seining and Netting

0529 Other Agriculture and Fishing Support Services

0413 Line Fishing

0419 Other Fishing

0201 Offshore Longline and Rack Aquaculture

0411 Rock Lobster and Crab Potting

0203 Onshore Aquaculture

Please select the applicant entity:

	Title	Surname	Given Names	Date of Birth
Sole trader				
Partnership				
Individual trustees				
Company directors				

or

Company

Company name

Please list the Company Director/s' details above

or

Trust

Trustee

Individual *(please provide the individual trustee/s details above)*

Company *(please provide the Company name and the Company Directors' details above)*

Trust name

Trading name

Applicant contact name

Landline

Mobile

Email address

IMPORTANT:

By ticking this box, you consent to QRIDA using your personal information to provide you with information (including, where permitted by law), by telephone (including by text or SMS or electronically) about this grant product, including the progress of your grant application, and if your application is successful. Please refer to the privacy statement on page 11 of this document.

Road address of enterprise:

Postal address of enterprise:

Please tick if same as road address

Town/city

State

Postcode

Town/city

State

Postcode

Section 2 - Information checklist

As part of this application, you will need to provide the following:	Provided with this form:
<p>Proof of identification Please provide proof of identification for at least one (1) owner/director of the business. Acceptable documents can include any of two (2) of the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Government issued photographic identification such as Passport, Drivers Licence/Proof of age card. Medicare card. <p>Please note if QRIDA is unable to verify your identify using the provided documents, you may be requested to provide alternate forms of identification.</p>	Yes
<p>Copy of your bank statement Note: bank account name must match the applicant entity.</p> <p>Please ensure a copy of your bank account statement is provided to ensure prompt payment. The bank account details provided for payment below must match the bank statement. Any variation between the details listed on this application form and the bank statement provided can result in delays in payment.</p>	Yes

Section 3 - Application details

Which net surrender options are you applying for? (Please select all that apply)			
an N1, N2 or N4 PCFL	a surrendered PCFL with an N3 symbol	both a N1, N2, N4 PCFL and a surrendered N3	
What is/was your PCFL number?			
What symbol/s were on the licence?			
What is your boat mark?			
During this period, did you take at least 1kg of fish from a commercial fishery in the relevant region?			Yes No
Please select the region:	Great Barrier Reef	Great Sandy Marine Park	Gulf of Carpentaria

Section 4 - PCFL symbol & net information

In order to receive this grant the surrendered nets must be in a useable, fair or repairable condition. This means that the net's floats are attached to the top rope of the net, the net has a bottom rope and the mesh size is appropriate for the relevant fishing symbol. Please consult the guidelines for further clarification of these features.

Please confirm that you do not hold a primary commercial fishing license with any of the following symbols; K1, K2, K3, K4, K5, K6, K7, K8, NX, N3, N10, N15*:

Yes - My PCFL does not contain the above symbols.

No - My PCFL does contain one of the above symbols.

*** Please note: these symbols are ineligible under the Scheme Guidelines.**

Amount of assistance

The amount of assistance that may be given out under this Scheme is the amount worked out using the following formula: $L \times \$12.5 = A$, where A means the grant amount and L means the lesser of the length of usable net (expressed in meters) declared or surrendered by the applicant. Please refer to the Scheme Guidelines on QRIDA's website for further information.

The following questions are for N1, N2, N4 applicants:	
Did you hold or lease the PCFL between 1 September 2021 and 30 June 2023?	Yes No
Do you confirm the nets you are intending to surrender are in a useable condition as described in the guidelines with mesh sizes between 50mm and 215mm?	Yes No
What is the total length of the N1, N2, or N4 nets you intend to surrender?	metres
What is the total number of individual nets being surrendered?	
The following questions are for N3 applicants:	
Was your N3 surrendered on or after 8 December 2023?	Yes No
Do you confirm the nets you are intending to surrender are in a useable condition as described in the guidelines with mesh sizes between 160mm and 215mm?	Yes No
What is the total length of the N3 nets you intend to surrender?	metres
What is the total number of individual nets being surrendered?	

Information for net collectors (this is provided to Future Fishing and the net collection contractor)

This information will be used by the Department of Agriculture and Fisheries (DAF) and the contractor to facilitate the collection or drop off of the nominated nets. Please be advised that payment cannot occur until after the nets have been collected.

Are you planning to surrender any other nets without compensation?	Yes	No
What is the estimated length of net being surrendered for no payment (i.e. other nets)?	metres	
What is the number of individual nets being surrendered for no payment (i.e. other nets)?		
Do you have the means to transport your nets to a surrender location?	Yes	No
What is the address where the nets you wish to surrender are currently stored or located?		
Street	Town/city	State Postcode

Section 5 - Bank account details**Please provide your bank account details for payment of the assistance funds by Electronic Funds Transfer**

(Note: Bank account name must match the applicant entity).

Please ensure a copy of your bank account statement is provided to ensure prompt payment. The bank details provided for payment below must match the bank statement. Any variation between the details listed on this application form and the bank statement provided can result in delays in payment.

Bank	Branch	BSB
Account name	Account number	

Section 6 - Information QRIDA will be provided by the Department of Agriculture and Fisheries (DAF)

QRIDA will be requesting the following information from DAF to assist with your application:

- Copy/s of the primary commercial fishing licence/s subject of your application
- Where applicable, a copy of your fishing data including the PCFLs and/or fishing symbols held on the PCFL
- Where applicable, registered temporary transfers of the PCFL may be provided to evidence lease arrangements.

Applicant consent

Application for assistance for this section is subject to the following conditions:

Before receiving assistance, I will enter into a written agreement with QRIDA that sets out the terms on which the assistance is provided, and I will comply with such terms.

I will not apply to the Chief Executive of DAF to move a fishery symbol that is the subject of my application before the end of the day on 30 June 2024.

Section 7 – Applicant declaration and authorisation

In the following sections, titled acknowledgements, consents and privacy statement:

- QRIDA means Queensland Rural and Industry Development Authority; and
- Identity Verification Service Provider means Dun & Bradstreet (Australia) Pty Limited ACN 006 399 677 trading as Illion.

Please tick each of the below to indicate your acceptance. Your acknowledgement and acceptance of each item is a condition of submitting a valid application.

Acknowledgements

I/ We have read and understood the guidelines at qrída.qld.gov.au for the Fisheries Structural Adjustment Scheme and have obtained clarification where needed.

I/We certify that all of the information provided in the whole of this application is true and accurate.

I/We certify that to the extent this application or any information provided in relation to this application contains information of, or about, another person, I/we have the authorisation of that person to provide the information and for it to be used and disclosed in accordance with the terms of this application.

I/We are aware when to surrender any usable net seeking payment must be documented in an approved Net Surrender Receipt, signed by the applicant and provided to QRIDA.

I/We are aware that QRIDA reserves the right to approve an amount of assistance that may be less than the amount applied for, and that penalties may apply for providing false or misleading information.

I/We are aware that it is an offence and that penalties may be applied under the *Rural and Regional Adjustment Act 1994* (Qld) if any information provided in an application or any document provided in respect of an application is found to be false misleading or incomplete in a material manner.

I/We have read the Collection Notice and the Privacy Statement below and understand how personal information provided in my/our application may be collected, used and disclosed.

I/We certify that the business which is subject of this application is not in administration, liquidation or a state of insolvency and that all of the business owners are similarly, to the best of my/our knowledge, not in a state of bankruptcy, insolvency, financial distress or difficulty.

Do you have, or have you had, any business dealings with QRIDA that could be considered an actual, potential, or perceived conflict of interest with this application? Yes No

If yes - please provide details of all your business dealings with QRIDA that may be considered an actual, potential, or perceived conflict of interest.

Discharge of third party's interest

I/We acknowledge and agree that if the relevant PCFL is charged, mortgaged or given by way of security to any third party or to a bank, the interest held by a bank of any other third party must be discharged prior to the surrender and that I/we will be required to indemnify QRIDA and DAF, and hold it harmless against, any costs, liabilities, damages, expenses and any other losses of whatsoever nature as a result of any charge, mortgage or any other encumbrance affecting the relevant PCFL.

Consent to Third Party Disclosures to QRIDA

I/We give consent to the Chief Executive of the Department of Agriculture and Fisheries (DAF) to give to QRIDA a copy of my/our fishing data to the extent relevant to my/our application.

I/We authorise any Relevant Person[^] to disclose to QRIDA and each of its authorised representatives such information as QRIDA or an authorised representative considers to be necessary or appropriate in connection with this application or any aspect of the Scheme, including my/our financial statements and personal taxation returns and other supporting information to verify my/our identity, determine if my/our business is eligible to receive a grant under the Scheme and in relation to the administration and management of the Scheme and any grant provided to me/us under the Scheme

[^] For the purposes of the above consents, Relevant Person includes:

- the Identity Verification Service Provider and any accountant, solicitor, business consultant, bank, financier, supplier, processor, or other agent named or identified in this application or in supporting documentation provided with, or in support of, this application; and
- any Commonwealth, state or local government department, agency or authority that QRIDA or an authorised representative may consider relevant.

Collection Notice

Collection and use of your personal information

QRIDA and its authorised representatives are collecting and obtaining (from you and from the Relevant Persons) your personal information (including your name, identification documents, bank account details, date of birth and contact details) in connection with the Scheme, for the following purposes:

- verification of your identity;
- assessment of your application and your eligibility for the Scheme at the time of making the application and on an ongoing basis;
- the administration and management of the Scheme or any grant provided to me/us under the Scheme including for compliance and enforcement purposes; and
- any other purposes related, or otherwise necessary to give effect, to the purposes listed above.

QRIDA and its authorised representatives may also use your personal information for the following purposes:

- to contact you in relation to your application, and the evaluation of the Fisheries Structural Adjustment Scheme;
- to facilitate its internal business operations and fulfil legal obligations;
- to assess the performance of QRIDA and other Queensland and Commonwealth Government grant and loan programs and services;
- to promote or market QRIDA and other Queensland and Commonwealth Government grant and loan programs and services (including the success and outcomes of the programs and services);
- research and development of QRIDA and other Queensland and Commonwealth Government actual and proposed services;
- to identify and assess your eligibility for or interest in other QRIDA and Queensland and Commonwealth Government administered grant and loan programs or services;
- to collate statistical data; and
- as permitted by law, including in accordance with QRIDA's disclosure rights under s. 40 of the *Rural and Regional Adjustment Act 1994*.

Disclosure of your personal information

QRIDA may disclose your personal information to the Relevant Persons, QRIDA's employees, contractors, related affiliates and third parties to the extent necessary or convenient to enable QRIDA to further the purposes described above (which do not extend to commercial purposes). Government agencies to whom personal information is to be disclosed are:

- Queensland Government Department of Agriculture and Fisheries
- Queensland Treasury
- Australian Government Department of Agriculture, Water and the Environment

Section 7 – Applicant declaration and authorisation (cont'd)

Consent

QRIDA has taken all reasonable steps to ensure that the recipients will only use or disclose your personal information for the purpose that it was provided.

By completing and submitting this application, you are consenting to QRIDA handling your personal information in the manner described in this Collection Notice and our Privacy Policy.

Privacy Statement

More information about the way QRIDA uses, discloses, and secures your personal information, how you can access and correct that information, and how you can make a complaint about a breach of privacy can be found in its privacy policy (available at <https://www.qrida.qld.gov.au/privacy>). QRIDA will comply with the Human Rights Act 2019 (Qld) when making any decision, including with respect to collection, use, and disclosure of personal information.

By ticking this box, I/we are acknowledging and/or consenting to each of the matters I/we have indicated above.

Please note that if:

- more than one (1) person is a holder of the PCFL or quota unit, each holder of the PCFL or quota unit must consent; and
- a public company is the holder of the PCFL or quota unit, a director must consent.

In signing below, I/we are acknowledging and/or consenting to each of the matters indicated above:

Applicant	Signature	Name	Position	Date
One				
Two				
Three				
Four				

How to apply

Please submit your completed application including all supporting documents to QRIDA by:

Post: GPO Box 211, Brisbane QLD 4001 **Email:** fisheriesstructuraladjustment@qrida.qld.gov.au

Enquiries

Further information on the program is available on the QRIDA website at qrida.qld.gov.au

If you need assistance with completing your application please contact QRIDA on **1800 623 946**.