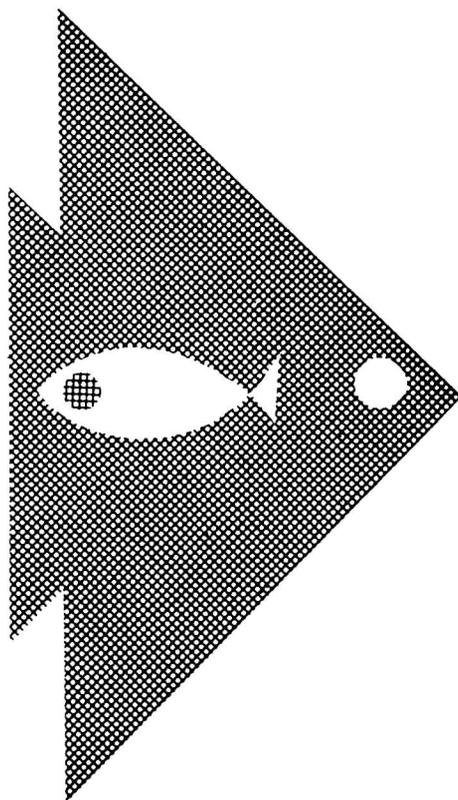


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## PREFACE

This list includes associations of fishermen and vessel owners (which are not cooperatives), together with associations of wholesale and retail dealers, processors, and distributors. The list was originally compiled in July 1947, and this latest revision was made in December 1970. The current list, in most instances, includes the name of an official of each organization who may be contacted; however, it may not be complete because there is a constant change in associations as new ones are formed and old ones become dormant or dissolved. Accordingly, the National Marine Fisheries Service assumes no responsibility in supplying the list to inquirers.

In addition to this list of associations, the Service has two other lists, one for cooperatives and another for unions. The List of Fishery Cooperatives in the United States has only organizations of fishermen currently recognized by the Department of Commerce as cooperatives under the provisions of the Fishery Cooperative Marketing Act of 1934. Some activities of certain fishermen's unions are considered to be in the nature of cooperative marketing and have been considered as such by the Federal courts (34 F Supp. 970, 974; 315 U.S. 143); however, all unions are listed in the List of Fishermen's and Fish Shore Workers' Unions in the United States.

All three lists are revised periodically and may be obtained free from the Office of Information, National Marine Fisheries Service, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, Department of Commerce, Washington, D.C. 20230.

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ABSTRACT

Sixteen national, 2 international, and 100 local fishery associations in 27 States and the District of Columbia are listed. Each association generally includes the name of one of the officers.

NATIONAL AND INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATIONS

American Fish Farmers Federation, Ken Coon, President, P.O. Box 476, Tuckerman, Arkansas 72473

American Fisheries Society, Robert F. Hutton, Executive Secretary, 1040 Washington Building, Washington, D. C. 20005

American Importers Association, Inc., Gerald H. O'Brien, Executive Vice President, 111 5th Avenue, New York, New York 10003

American Seafood Distributors Association, Elizabeth Guhring, Executive Secretary, 821 - 15th Street, NW., Washington, D. C. 20005

American Shrimp Cannery Association, Gordon M. Millet, President, P.O. Box 50774, New Orleans, Louisiana 70150

Catfish Farmers of America, Charles Pickering, President, 530 Tower Building, Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

Congress of American Fishermen, William G. Saletic, President, 1111 NW. 45th Street, Seattle, Washington 98107

National Cannery Association, R.D. Nordstrom, Director, Fishery Products Div., 1133 - 20th Street, NW., Washington, D. C. 20036, and Northwest Research Lab, 1600 S. Jackson Street, Seattle, Washington 98144

NATIONAL AND INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATIONS - Continued

National Fisheries Institute, Inc., Lee J. Weddig, Executive Director,  
1225 Connecticut Ave., NW., Washington, D. C. 20036

National Fish Meal and Oil Association, Steel Culbertson, Manager,  
Division of National Fisheries Institute, Inc., 1225 Connecticut  
Ave., NW., Washington, D. C. 20036

National Shellfisheries Association, Frederick W. Sieling, Vice  
President, Department of Chesapeake Bay Affairs, State Office  
Building, Annapolis, Maryland 21404

National Shrimp Congress, Inc., William R. Neblett, Manager,  
P.O. Box 431, Key West, Florida 33041

Oyster Institute of North America, Mrs. David H. Wallace, Secretary,  
22 Main Street, West Sayville, Long Island, New York 11782

Shrimp Association of the Americas, O. M. Longnecker, Jr., Manager,  
P.O. Box 1666, Brownsville, Texas 78520

South African Rock Lobster Association, Inc., 70 Wall Street,  
New York, New York 10005

Sponge and Chamois Institute, Tracy Arnold, President, 60 East  
42d Street, New York, New York 10017

Tuna Research Foundation, Inc., Charles R. Carry, Executive Director,  
Ferry Building, Terminal Island, California 90731

U.S. Trout Farmers Association, Keith Brown, President, 67 West  
9000 South, Sandy, Utah 84070

LIST OF OTHER ASSOCIATIONS BY REGIONS

NEW ENGLAND STATES

Connecticut

Eastern Connecticut Clam Diggers Association, Industrial Place,  
c/o Fred Wilson, Mystic 06355

The Southern New England Fishermen's Association, Inc.,  
Jerry S. Leblanc, Secretary-Treasurer, Box 90, Stonington 06378

NEW ENGLAND STATES - Continued

Maine

Associated Fisheries of Maine, Roderick B. Littlefield, President,  
85 Exchange Street, Portland 04111

Biddeford Pool Fisherman's Association, Biddeford Pool 04006

Maine Lobstermen's Association, Inc., Ossie Beal, President,  
Beals 04611

Maine Sardine Packers' Association, Richard E. Reed, Secretary,  
15 Grove Street, Augusta 04330

Massachusetts

Boston Fisheries Association, Inc., Hugh F. O'Rourke, Executive  
Secretary, Administration Building, Fish Pier, Boston 02210

Chatham Fishermen's Association, Thomas Baker, President, Depot Road,  
Chatham 02633

Domestic Seafood Producers Association of New England, Michael Mineo,  
President, P.O. Box 732, Gloucester 01930

Eastham-Orleans Fisheries Association, Joseph King, President,  
County Road, North Eastham 02651

Fishing Masters Producers Association, Garrett Shoares, Secretary-  
Treasurer, 119 Main Street, P.O. Box 178, Gloucester 01931

Gloucester Fisheries Association, L. J. Hart, Secretary, P.O. Box 539,  
Gloucester 01930

Gloucester Master Mariners Association, 119 Main Street, Gloucester 01930

Gloucester Vessel Owners Association, 19 Duncan Street, Gloucester 01930

Independent Fishing Vessel Owners of Gloucester, 9 Wharf Street,  
Gloucester 01930

Massachusetts Lobstermen's Association, Inc., Raymond Noyes, President,  
338 Spring Street, Marshfield Hills 02051

New England Fish Exchange, Robert G. Dunn, President, Administration  
Building, Fish Pier, Boston 02210

NEW ENGLAND STATES - Continued

Massachusetts - Continued

New England Fisheries Institute, L. Lee Harrington, President,  
c/o Massachusetts Coastal Seafoods, Inc., Parker Street,  
Gloucester 01930

Seafood Producers Association, 377 Commercial Street, Provincetown 02657

Seafood Producers Association of New Bedford, Inc., Leonard T. Healey,  
Manager, 60 North Water Street, New Bedford 02740

South Shore Lobster Fishermen's Association, Robert S. Barlow,  
Secretary, 338 Spring Street, Marshfield Hills 02051

United Fishermen's Wives Organization, Lucille Swain, President,  
58 Lombard Street, New Bedford 02746

Rhode Island

The Rhode Island Fisheries Association, Alfred J. Brownell, President,  
864 Anthony Road, Portsmouth 02871

MIDDLE ATLANTIC STATES

Maryland

Chesapeake Bay Seafood Industries Association, Inc., Albert Woodfield,  
Secretary, P.O. Box 1034, Easton 21601

Chesapeake Seafood Packers Association, H. R. Bassett, Manager,  
1316 Woodland Road, Salisbury 21801

Mid-Atlantic Food Processors Association, Inc., John W. Rue, Executive  
Vice President and Secretary, P.O. Box 738, North Washington  
Street, Easton 21601

The Sea Food Dealers Association, Inc., J. Vernon Finch, President,  
c/o Reliant Fish Co., Section P, Wholesale Fish Market,  
Baltimore 21202

MIDDLE ATLANTIC STATES - Continued

New Jersey

Commercial Fishermen's Trappers and Land Owners Associations, Inc.,  
George Lee, Jr., President, Delmont 08314

New Jersey Oyster Planters and Packers Association, Inc.,  
c/o Nerallen S. Hoffman, P.O. Box 26, Bivalve 08301

North Jersey Commercial Fishermen's Association, Leonard Nelson,  
President, 467 Main St., Belford 07718

South Jersey Shellfishermen's Association, Inc., Frank Randall,  
President, P.O. Box 545, Absecon 08201

New York

Freeport Boatmen's Association, Inc., Martin M. Fischer, Manager,  
540 South Grove Street, Freeport, Long Island 11520

Fresh Water Fish Wholesalers Association, Inc., 34 Peck Slip,  
New York 10038

Peconic Baymen's Protective Association, Inc., 113 Griffing Avenue,  
Riverhead, Long Island 11901

Pennsylvania

Independent Sea Food Dealers Association, Main Line Seafood Market,  
Ardmore 19003

Wholesale Seafood Dealers of Philadelphia, Herbert L. Roomberg,  
President, 3425 So. Lawrence Street, Philadelphia 19148

Virginia

Chesapeake Bay Watermen's Association, James W. Hudnall, President,  
Kilmarnock 22482

Fish Dealers of Richmond, Roy P. Morton, Jr., Secretary,  
c/o R. P. Martin, Seafood Company, Inc., 110 N. 18th Street,  
Richmond 23223

MIDDLE ATLANTIC STATES - Continued

Virginia - Continued

Oyster Growers and Dealers Association of Virginia, Walter B. Fidler,  
Secretary, Warsaw 22572

Oystermen's Benefit Association of Lancaster County, Palmer 22533

Virginia Crab Packers Association, Mrs. Nellie H. Rodgers, President,  
61 South King Street, P.O. Box 562, Hampton 23369

Virginia Watermen's Association, William Forrest, Secretary-Treasurer,  
21 Poplar Road, Poquoson 23362

SOUTH ATLANTIC AND GULF STATES

Alabama

Alabama Fisheries Association, Ralph Richards, Executive Director,  
P.O. Box 318, Mobile 36601

Florida

Florida Commercial Fisheries Association, c/o James Connor,  
Crystal River 32629

Southeastern Fisheries Association, Inc., Larry W. Shafer, President,  
330 S. Adams Street, Tallahassee 32301

Tarpon Springs Sponge Exchange, Inc., Louis S. Smitzes, President,  
Anclote Boulevard, Tarpon Springs 33589

Georgia

Georgia Sea Food Dealers Association, c/o A. Leavitt, Capitol Fish  
Company, Atlanta 30301

Retail Fish Dealers Association of Chatham County, c/o John J.  
Hennessy, 3 Bull Street, Savannah 31401

SOUTH ATLANTIC AND GULF STATES - Continued

Louisiana

Jefferson Parish Fishermen's Association, Antoine Alario, President,  
P.O. Box 468, Westwego 70094

Louisiana Oyster Dealers and Growers Association, Inc., 402 Board  
of Trade Building, 320 Magazine Street, New Orleans 70130

Louisiana Shrimp Association, Ira Matt, President, 1819 South Bayou  
Drive, Golden Meadow 70351

North Carolina

North Carolina Fisheries Association, Inc., Roger Jones, President,  
P.O. Box 718, New Bern 28560

South Carolina

South Carolina Seafood Producers Association, Beaufort 29902

Texas

Brownsville Port Isabel Shrimp Producers Association, Nobel A. Hardee,  
Jr., Secretary, Sea Garden Sales Co., Inc., P.O. Box 951,  
Brownsville 78520

Freeport Shrimp Association, Roger Hoss, President, P.O. Box 1053,  
Freeport 77541

Texas Shrimp Association, O. M. Longnecker, Jr., Executive Secretary,  
P.O. Box 1666, Brownsville 78520

GREAT LAKES AND INLAND AREA STATES

Illinois

Illinois Commercial Fishermen's Association, 6 East Clayton Street,  
c/o Mathon Kyritsis, Waukegan 60085

Illinois Fisheries Council, William Nichols, President, 129 South  
Orange Street, Havana 64644

GREAT LAKES AND INLAND AREA STATES - Continued

Kansas

Kansas Commercial Fish Growers Association, Walter Clarke, President,  
Towanda 67144

Michigan

Big Bay De Noc Fishermen's Association, A. La Vallee, Secretary,  
Garden 49835

Fisheries Council of the Great Lakes, Arthur Salasnek, President,  
33 Vernier Road, Grosse Pte. Shores 48236

Lake Superior Commercial Fishermen's Association, Roy Koski,  
Secretary-Treasurer, Aura 49906

Menominee County Fishermen's Association, Alex C. Strand, Secretary,  
Star Route, Menominee 49858

Michigan Fish Producers Association, Roy A. Jensen, Secretary,  
P.O. Box 62, Escanaba 49829

Ohio

Ohio Commercial Fishermen's Association, Ray H. Full, President,  
P.O. Box 120, Vermilion 44089

Tennessee

Nashville Seafood Club, c/o Nat Williams, 2606 Westwood Drive,  
P.O. Box 9246, Nashville 37204

Wisconsin

Midwest Fisheries Federation, Jerry Bolda, President, 2310 N. Richards  
Street, Milwaukee 53212

Wisconsin Fisheries Council, W. J. Kutchera, President, 2423 West  
Vliet Street, Milwaukee 53205

## PACIFIC AREA STATES

### Alaska

Ketchikan Vessel Owners Association, 1251 Water Street, Ketchikan 99901

### California

Alaska Independent Fishermen's Marketing Association, P.O. Box 887,  
Pittsburg 94565

California Fisheries Association, Sid Lesser, President, 1467 Echo  
Park Avenue, P.O. Box 26362, Los Angeles 90026

California Seafood Institute, John P. Gilchrist, Secretary,  
2677 Larkin Street, San Francisco 94109

Fishermen's Wharf Merchants Association, Inc., A. Lagomarsino,  
Secretary, Fishermen's Wharf, Pier 45, San Francisco 94133

Lower California Fisheries Association, Anthony S. Chiappe, President,  
935 W. Harbor Drive, San Diego 92101

San Diego Commercial Fishing Boat Owners, Inc., H. J. Faulkner,  
Secretary-Treasurer, 4904 N. Harbor Drive, San Diego 92106

Western Fishboat Owners Association, J. V. Shaw, President,  
4904 North Harbor Drive, San Diego 92106

### Hawaii

Fishing Boat Associations of Hawaii, c/o United Fishing Agency,  
Ltd., 218 North Nimitz Highway, Honolulu 96817

Honolulu Ahi Boat Owners Association, c/o United Fishing Agency,  
Ltd., 218 North Nimitz Highway, Honolulu 96817

Oahu Fish Peddlers Association, c/o James Masuda, United Fishing  
Agency, Ltd., 218 North Nimitz Highway, Honolulu 96817

Tuna Boat Owners Association, Oliver Kinney, President, c/o Bumble  
Bee Seafoods, Inc., P.O. Box 238, Honolulu 96809

PACIFIC AREA STATES - Continued

Oregon

Alaska Independent Fishermen's Marketing Association, Eino Moilanen,  
President, P.O. Box 16159, Portland 97233

Columbia River Salmon and Tuna Packers Association, Theodore T. Bugas,  
Executive Secretary, P.O. Box 60, Astoria 97103

Seafood Dealers Association, Inc., V. W. Horgan, Secretary,  
P.O. Box 626, Astoria 97103

Washington

Association of Pacific Fisheries, W. V. Yonker, Executive Vice  
President, 1600 S. Jackson Street, Seattle 98144

Conference of Washington State Tuna Packers, R. E. Silver, Chairman,  
Pier 89, Seattle 98119

Drum Seiners Association, Inc., Peter Zuanich, Secretary-Treasurer,  
125 Hawthorne Road, Bellingham 98225

Grays Harbor Gillnetters Association, 216 "O" Street, Hoquiam 98550

Halibut Association of North America, William Gilbert, Promotional  
Manager, 402 Maritime Building, 911 Western Avenue, Seattle 98104

Halibut Fishermen and Wives Association, Mrs. Annette Larson,  
President, 127 NW. 136th, Seattle 98177

Northwest Fisheries Association, George E. Federspiel, President,  
405 Maritime Building, 911 Western Avenue, Seattle 98104

Northwest Fish Traffic Committee, Charles R. Pollock, Secretary,  
1818 Westlake Avenue North, Seattle 98109

Northwest Salmon Canner's Association, Earl W. Sifferman, President,  
207 Fishermen's Terminal, Seattle 98119

Olympia Oyster Growers Association, Inc., Mrs. Joyce R. McMillen,  
Secretary, Route 1, Shelton 98584

Pacific Coast Oyster Growers Association, Lee J. Wiegardt, President,  
1201 Black Lake Boulevard, Olympia 98501

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Washington - Continued

Puget Sound Gillnetters Association, Ben Cain, Secretary-Treasurer,  
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Puget Sound Salmon Cannery, Inc., Verne Larsen, President, 1600 S.  
Jackson Street, Seattle 98104

Washington Reef Net Owners Association, Inc., John R. Brown,  
Executive Secretary, Lummi Island 98262

Washington State Trout Growers Association, 22711 31st Avenue,  
Bothell 98001

West Coast Shrimp Producers Association, 1440 S. Jackson Street,  
Seattle 98144

Willapa Harbor Oystermen's Association, Bay Center 98572

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