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Board of Harbor and Land Commissioners, State House, Boston, March 8, 1916.

The Board of Harbor and Land Commissioners, acting under the provisions of chapter 523 of the Acts of 1913, hereby approves the following permit issued January 1, 1916, by the Selectmen of the town of Truro to Warren W. Small, for the National Weir Company, to construct and maintain a fish weir in the tidewaters of Truro.

The location of said fish weir is shown on the accompanying plan.

The approval of this permit may be modified or revoked by this Board at any time, after notice and hearing, without claim for compensation therefor.

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Harbor and Land Commissioners.

"National Weir Co.

Warren W. Small, Licensee. Truro, Mass. January 1, 1916.

Under authority given Selectmen of towns by Sec. 114, Chap. 91, Revised Laws of Massachusetts, and in consideration of the agreement of the licensee to fulfil the conditions of this license hereinafter set forth, a license is hereby issued to Warren W. Small for above weir company, subject to all the provisions of said Chap. 91, to construct and maintain for Five consecutive years from date hereof a deep water weir in the tide

waters of the Town of Truro, all parts of which shall be below extreme low water mark, and within such limits as are described below;-

Limits; -Between the boundary line of the Towns of Truro and Provincetown and another parallel line One Thousand (1,000) feet southerly from said Truro and Provincetown line. The southern limit of this license is the northern limit of the license granted to Fred C. Rich for the Northwestern Weir Co. said weir to be placed in the centre of this grant

This license is issued upon the following conditions which the licensee in accepting the license agrees to fulfil. First; The licensee shall pay annually to the Treasurer of the Town of Truro as soon as feasible after the close of the year's fishing and not later than Jan. 15th a sum equal to one per cent of the gross stock of the weir for the year, and in case the property used in fishing this grant shall not be taxable in the Town of Truro, he shall pay to said Treasurer an additional sum equal to what might have been levied as a tax against such property had same been taxable in said town.

Second; This license is not transferable, and the licensee shall fish this grant either as managing owner or managing agent unless this condition shall be waived in writing by the Selectmen of the Town of Truro and the party or parties to disg same agreed to by the Selectmen, and the names of such party or parties inserted in such waiver.

Third;—No fish or fish offal shall be thrown or dumped by the parties fishing this grant or their employees on the shores of the Town of Truro or in the waters adjacent thereto nearer than a point two hundred feet below extreme low water mark or the same distance below any bar that may become exposed at any stage of the tide. Should it become necessary to dump from the weir boar any considerable quantity of refuse fish the same shall not be dumped nearer the shore than the outer end of the weir. Should it become necessary to clear the weir of refuse fish all reasonable care shall be taken to prevent such fish from becoming a nuisance.

Fourth; -No more than two bowls shall be placed in the waters covered by this license, and such bowls shall be placed in one consinuous line or string, and such line or string consisting of leaders, hearts, bowls etc shall not exceed a total length of three thousand feet.

This license may be revoked by the Selectmen for good and sufficient reasons.

Henry B. Holsbery

Selectmen of Truro.

Edward C Morgan

This license is hereby accepted by the licensee subject to all the conditions named therein.

Warren W. Small. Licensee