

VIRGINIA MARINE RESOURCES COMMISSION

FISHERIES MANAGEMENT DIVISION

380 FENWICK ROAD, BUILDING 96

FORT MONROE, VA 23651

EXCEPTION TO DELAYED COMMERCIAL REGISTRATION FORM

(REGULATION 4 VAC 20-610-10 SECTION 30, G)

**FAILURE TO PROVIDE ALL INFORMATION WILL DELAY YOUR APPLICATION**

**FULL NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_

**DMV ID (customer) NUMBER:** \_\_\_\_\_

**MAILING ADDRESS:** \_\_\_\_\_

**PHYSICAL ADDRESS:** \_\_\_\_\_

**DATE OF BIRTH:** \_\_\_\_\_ **TELEPHONE:** \_\_\_\_\_

**HEIGHT:** \_\_\_\_\_ **WEIGHT:** \_\_\_\_\_ **EYE COLOR:** \_\_\_\_\_ **HAIR COLOR:** \_\_\_\_\_

**REASON FOR CONSIDERATION OF AN EXCEPTION OF THE 2 YEAR DELAY:** (SEE ATTACHED EXCERPT FROM  
REGULATION 4 VAC 20-610-10)

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**PLEASE ATTACH ANY ADDITIONAL DOCUMENTS**

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SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT

OFFICE USE ONLY

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**APPROVED**  
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VIRGINIA MARINE RESOURCES COMMISSIONER OR DEIGNEE

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**DENIED**  
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DATE

**VIRGINIA MARINE RESOURCES COMMISSION  
"PERTAINING TO COMMERCIAL FISHING AND MANDATORY HARVEST REPORTING"  
CHAPTER 4VAC20-610-10 ET SEQ.**

A copy of this regulation, in its entirety is available on our website – <http://mrc.virginia.gov/regulations/FR610.shtm>

G. Exceptions to the two-year delay described in 4 VAC 20-610-30 F may be granted by the commissioner or his designee, if any of the following criteria are met:

1. The applicant is purchasing another fisherman's Commercial Fisherman Registration License, and the seller holds a valid, current Commercial Fisherman Registration License and surrenders that license to the commission at the time the license is sold.
2. An immediate member of the applicant's family, who holds a current Commercial Fisherman Registration License, has died or is retiring from the commercial fishery and the applicant intends to participate in the fishery.
3. The applicant purchased a valid Commercial Fisherman Registration License during the preceding year, did not transfer that Commercial Fisherman Registration License, and can demonstrate a significant hardship, on the basis of health or active military duty, as described in 4 VAC 20-610-30 G.4.
4. Any exceptions based on a health condition shall only be granted by the Commissioner or his designee only after receipt of an attending physician's description of the medical condition. Any exception based on active military duty shall only be granted by the Commissioner or his designee after receipt of those military orders.