



**Oregon Administrative Rules
Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife**

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2 **Lottery for Limited Entry Sea Urchin Permits**

3 (1) If the total number of Sea Urchin Permits which have been renewed, and for which an appeal is pending with
4 the Commercial Fishery Permit Board and awarded through a prior lottery, is less than 30, a lottery shall be held
5 on the 4th Friday in April. However, as a result of any such lottery, the total number of permits issued shall not
6 exceed 30.

7 (2) An individual must be 18 years of age or older and furnish proof of age to be eligible for the lottery.

8 (3) An individual shall not already hold a valid Sea Urchin Permit, however, an individual whose permit is at issue
9 in a pending Sea Urchin Permit Board proceeding or before a court of law may participate in the lottery.

10 (4) If a permittee whose permit is at issue either before the Sea Urchin Permit Board or a court of law is awarded
11 another permit through the lottery and thereafter prevails before the Board or in court, the permittee shall
12 immediately surrender one of the Sea Urchin Permits to any Department office, so that only one valid permit is
13 held.

14 (5) An individual who qualifies to participate in the lottery shall send a complete lottery application to the
15 Department, date-stamped or postmarked no later than April 15 of the year for which the permit is to be issued.
16 An individual shall not submit more than one application to participate in the lottery. For successful applicants, the
17 application fee shall apply toward the permit fee of \$100.00 (plus a \$2.00 license agent fee) for resident applicants
18 and \$150.00 fee (plus a \$2.00 license agent fee) for nonresident applicants.

19 (6) The names of lottery applicants shall be drawn to obtain the available permits. All other names of lottery
20 applicants shall be drawn and placed on an alternate list in the order in which they were drawn, and shall be
21 issued permits during the next 24 months as they may become available through Permit Board actions or
22 surrender of permits by a permit holder.

23 (7) An individual whose name is drawn in the lottery shall thereafter apply on the prescribed form, to the
24 Department to obtain a permit. Such application must be received by the Department within 30 days of the date
25 the notification was mailed to the successful applicant following the lottery.

26 (8) Any individual who fails to apply for the lottery permit within 30 days shall forfeit such permit. The permit shall
27 then be made available to the first name on the alternate list, and shall be applied for in accordance with
28 section (7) of this rule.

29 (9) If all permits are not issued by renewal or through the lottery, permits thereafter may be issued on a first come
30 first served basis up to the total number of permits allowed. All applications shall be mailed to the Department and
31 priority shall be based on postmark or date-stamped date.

32 (10) The Commission may suspend the lottery for up to two years based upon its assessment of the condition of
33 the resource and recommendations of the Sea Urchin Permit Review Board.

34 (11) Each applicant for a permit lottery shall complete the application form prescribed by the Department.

35 (12) Only one application per vessel may be submitted for each permit fishery lottery.

36 (13) Any application which is not legible, has incomplete information, or is postmarked after the deadline shall not
37 be entered in the lottery. Applications for all permits will be accepted at the Salem headquarters office of the



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38 Department, and shall be postmarked or date stamped no later than March 31 of the year for which the permit is
39 issued.

40 Stat. Auth.: ORS 506.036, 506.109, 506.119 & 506.129
41 Stats. Implemented: ORS 506.109, 506.129 & 508.762
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