

Fish and Game

Applicable Program

Commercial Fisheries Entry Commission

Indirect Expenditure Name

Reduced application fee for low income nonresidents

Department of Revenue Submission per AS 43.05.095**(1) Description of Provision**

Reduces limited entry permit application fees (Fee reduced from \$100 to \$50 for qualifying individuals).

(2) Authorizing Statute Regulation or Other Authority

20 AAC 05.250(b); AS 16.43.100, AS 16.43.110

(3) Year Enacted

1987

(4) Sunset or Repeal Date

None

(5) Legislative Intent

To assist low-income permit holders.

(6) Public Purpose

Assist low-income fishermen in their ability to apply for a commercial limited entry permit.

(7) Estimated Revenue Impact

FY 2009 - \$0

FY 2010 - \$0

FY 2011 - \$0

FY 2012 - \$0

FY 2013 - \$0

(8) Cost to Administer**(9) Number of Beneficiaries**

There have been no new limitations between 2009 and 2013 so there have been no new applications for entry permits.

Legislative Finance Analysis per AS 24.20.235**(1) Estimate of Annual Revenue Foregone by the State**

\$0

(2) Estimate of Annual Benefit to Recipients

\$50

(3) Legislative Intent Met?

No

(4) Should it be Continued, Modified or Terminated?

Recommend termination based on low usage and small benefit.