The Government of the People’s Republic of Bangladesh

Department of Fisheries, Bangladesh

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MatshyaBhabon, Ramna, Dhaka

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**Notice**

Applications are invited from interested Bangladeshi real entrepreneurs/ investors to apply for Long liner types fishing licenses against modern trawler / fishing vessels to catch fishes in deep sea, in the Bay of Bengal.

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| Type | Fishing Area | Important information |
| Long liner | Beyond the depth of 200 meters and in the International waters | The intervention will be implemented by the local entrepreneurs with the assistance of foreign entrepreneurs/experts as long lining is a new technique for Bangladesh and need to acquire knowledge and techniqueof such fishing to catch Tuna and Tuna like pelagic fishes.  |

The applicants are be requesting to apply following the terms and conditions given below:

Qualification and conditions:

1. The applicant must be a citizen of Bangladesh.
2. In case of individual applicant, photocopy of trade license, national identity card/ passport of the applicant those are attested by a Class-I gazetted officer have to be submitted.
3. In case of company, photocopy of Certificate of Incorporation that is attested by a Class-I gazetted officer must be submitted.
4. In compliance with the terms and conditions the profile of proposal along with specification of the trawler / vessel must be submitted within 60 (sixty) days of the publication of this notice. A complete application could be submitted to either of designated person mentioned below:
5. Director General, Department of Fisheries, MatshyaBhaban, Ramna, Dhaka,

Or

1. Director, Marine Fisheries Office, CGO Building-1, Agrabad, Chittagong.
2. An amount of BDT 300,000/-(Three Lac) non-refundable pay order from any commercial bank must be submitted along with application in favor of the Director General, Department of Fisheries, MatshyaBhaban, Ramna, Dhaka.
3. An attested copy of TIN or e-TIN certificate and the certificate of income tax payment for the fiscal year of 2015-2016 must be submitted with the application.
4. A Bank Solvency Certificatemust be lodged, mentioning the ability of the person/company is BDT 10 (Ten) Crore to invest in such business.
5. Applicant must submit the profile proposal for a modern long liner vessel along with complete specifications (length, width, depth, gross tonnage, fish hold capacity, fish hold volume, speed, year of building the vessel and country of origin, freezing system, detail description of engine, horse power, operational equipment and detail description of other facilities).
6. New vessel could be built locally or modern trawler/fishing vessel of maximum 5 (Five) years old that are well functioning and suitable could be imported.
7. One applicant can apply for one long liner license.
8. The notice for application invitation and approved English version of the notice will be appeared in website of Department of Fisheries ([www.fisheries.gov.bd](http://www.fisheries.gov.bd))
9. In case of joint venture with foreign entrepreneurs, proposal must be submitted by local entrepreneurs in compliance with the terms and conditions approved by the Ministry of Fisheries and Livestock.
10. Detailed terms and conditions with all relevant information will be available to collect in free of cost from the Marine Section of Department of Fisheries (Room no. 1128, MatshyaBhaban, Ramna, Dhaka) and from Marine Fisheries Office, CGO Building-1, Agrabad, Chittagong by 02/03/2017 in working days.

**Disqualification:**

Persons/ institutions are not eligible for applying, who have been cancelled with their approval of fishing trawler/fishing vessels earlier.

The committee empowered by the Government that holds absolute authority to verify/scrutinize/cancel applications and to recommend qualified applicants after evaluation.

 On behalf of the Director General

 Signature / illegible

02/01/2017

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