

**SAULT STE. MARIE TRIBE OF CHIPPEWA INDIANS
COMMERCIAL CAPTAIN FISHING LICENSE APPLICATION
ISSUANCE OF LAPSED LICENSES
RESTRICTED TO LAKE SUPERIOR**

APPLICANT	
Name:	
File #:	
Address:	
City/State/Zip Code:	
Phone Number:	Email Address:

Pursuant to Tribal Code Chapter 20.102 a Lapsed License is any license that has been put back under the control of the Tribe and is now available to issue to a new fisher. **There are two (2) Lake Superior commercial fishing licenses available for this lottery.**

LOTTERY ELIGIBILITY

- 1) Must be an enrolled member of the Tribe and at least 18 years of age
- 2 Must be able to demonstrate at least one (1) year of relevant fishing experience.
- 3)**Preference** shall be given to applicants who can demonstrate gill net or trap net fishing experience

Required Documentation:

Applicants must submit proof of one (1) year of relevant fishing experience and demonstrated gill net or trap net experience to gain preference. Examples of allowable documentation include but are not limited to:

1. References from other Commercial Captains where you have worked in their operation
2. Proof of employment on any fishing boat in a tribal or state operation
3. Documented proof of income derived from gill net or trap net fishing or the equivalent.

Restrictions on License:

The following restrictions will apply to the two (2) licenses available in this lottery:

1. These Licenses shall be restricted to **Lake Superior**
2. They shall be restricted to Marquette (Unit 5) and Munising (Unit 5).
3. These restrictions will be reviewed annually and may be modified at that annual review.

Application Fee:

The following fees must be paid at the time of submission of the application and if you are successfully drawn:

1. \$100 Non-Refundable Application Fee
2. After being selected for the **Lake Superior** Commercial Captain License you are required to pay the annual non-refundable license fee of \$250.

Applications must be submitted by Check only to Tribal Law Enforcement at:

Attn: License Lottery
P.O Box 925
2175 Shunk Rd.
Sault Ste. Marie, MI 49783

License must be paid in full before issuance. Licenses issued pursuant to this subsection are non-transferable for five years, except transfer to heirs pursuant to this Chapter.

I hereby certify that all information contained herein is true and correct and that I have submitted all required documentation to show proof of my eligibility to participate in the lottery. Failure to comply with the above requirements may deem me ineligible for the lottery and the use of the Commercial Captain license.

Printed Name

Date

Signature