

Criteria for Inclusion in the General Permit for Concentrated Aquatic Animal Production Facilities

This general permit shall apply only to the discharge of wastewater from Concentrated Aquatic Animal Production facilities as defined in *Utah Administrative Code (UAC) R317-8-3.6*. A concentrated aquatic animal production facility means a hatchery, fish farm, or other facility which meets the following criteria:

1. For cold water aquatic animals which include but are not limited to the Salmonidae family of fish; e.g. trout and salmon; the facility must discharge at least 30 days per year but does not include: 1) facilities which produce less than 9,090 harvest weight kilograms (approximately 20,000 lbs) of aquatic animals per year; and 2) facilities which feed less than 2,272 kilograms (approximately 5000 lbs) of food during the calendar month of maximum feeding; 3) designation by the Executive Secretary as outlined in *UAC R317-8-3.6(3)(a)*.

2. For warm water aquatic animals which include but are not limited to the Ictaluridae, Centrarchidae and Cyprinidae families of fish; e.g. respectively, catfish, sunfish and minnows; the facility must discharge at least 30 days per year, but does not include: 1) closed ponds which discharge only during periods of excess runoff; 2) facilities which produce less than 45,454 harvest weight kilograms (approximately 100,000 lbs) of aquatic animals per year; 3) designation by the Executive Secretary as outlined in UAC R317-8-3.6(3)(a).A. Notice of Intent for a General Permit for Concentrated Aquatic Animal Production Facilities.

1. Any facility which desires a general permit for concentrated aquatic animal production and meets the requirements of B above can be issued a general permit by following the procedures listed below:

Submit a Notice of Intent (NOI) to obtain a general permit for aquatic animal production. The NOI shall include responses to the following items:

- a. Applicant
 - 1. Name:
 - 2. Address:
 - 3. Location: _____ Latitude: _____ Longitude:
 - 4. Phone Number: _____
 - 5. Fax Number:
 - 6. Responsible On-Site Official _____, Phone #

- b. Is this NOI for a new facility or renewal of an existing permitted facility?
_____ New _____ Renewal

- If new, proceed to Item c.

- If renewal, has there been any change in structures, operation procedures, etc., that may in any way change the discharge water quality? _____ Yes _____ No
- If yes, please define the changes then proceed to Item h.

c. Water Sources: please complete one column of the following table for each source.

Parameter	Source #	Source #	Source #
Source Name			
Latitude			
Longitude			
Flow Rate Max:			
Flow Rate Min:			
Intermittent or Continuous Flow			
Quality - BOD ₅			
TSS			
pH			
TDS			
Treatment (if any)			

d. Are any of the discharge points located on Indian lands or within National Forest Service boundaries? _____ Yes _____ No

If yes, please describe those which are.

e. Are any of the discharge points within the Colorado River Basin Drainage? _____ Yes _____ No

f. **Location of Discharge Points.**

Outfall 001: _____ Latitude: _____ Longitude: _____

Outfall 002: _____ Latitude: _____ Longitude: _____

(Include additional outfalls on a separate sheet if needed)

Name of Receiving Waters, Canals, Ditches, Etc.

Outfall 001:

Outfall 002:

(Include additional outfalls on a separate sheet if needed)

- g. The number of Ponds _____, Raceways _____, Other facilities (please describe)
- h. The anticipated total yearly harvestable weight of each species:
 Species 1 _____, Annual Harvestable Weight
 Species 2 _____, Annual Harvestable Weight
- i. Estimated time of year, indicated by month, during which the fish population is greatest.
- j. Please attach all existing discharge water quality data on BOD₅, TSS, pH, and TDS that has not been previously reported.
- k. The NOI must be signed by a responsible official of the company with the following format:

I certify under penalty of law that I have personally examined and am familiar with the information submitted in the application and all attachments and that, based on my inquiry of those persons immediately responsible for obtaining the information contained in the NOI application, I believe the information is true, accurate and correct. I am aware that there are significant penalties for submitting false information, including the possibility of fine and imprisonment.

 Name of Official (Signature) Title Date