



MARYLAND DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES  
**2025 APPLICATION TO PERMANENTLY TRANSFER A COMMERCIAL  
STRIPED BASS PERMIT OR SHARE (Atlantic OR Chesapeake Bay)**

**SECTION A: PERMIT/SHARE TRANSFERRED TO (transferee)**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Commercial Fishing License # \_\_\_\_\_  
Telephone # \_\_\_\_\_ DNRid: \_\_\_\_\_ License Type: ☐ TFL ☐ FIN ☐ HLI  
Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Mailing City \_\_\_\_\_ Mailing State \_\_\_\_\_ Mailing Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_  
Tag Shipping Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Shipping City \_\_\_\_\_ Shipping State \_\_\_\_\_ Shipping Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

**SECTION B: PERMIT/SHARE TRANSFERRED FROM (transferor)**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Commercial Fishing License # \_\_\_\_\_ DNRid: \_\_\_\_\_

1) **Striped Bass Permit Transfer:** ☐ Yes ☐ No      **Number of permits to be transferred:** \_\_\_\_\_

2) **Percent of Transferor's Share to be transferred:**

☐ 100% ☐ 75% ☐ 50% ☐ 25% ☐ \_\_\_\_\_ % = a share of \_\_\_\_\_ \*

\*If needed, please contact the Permits Coordinator/Assistant Permits Coordinator for assistance in calculations of shares

**SECTION C: BILL OF SALE-** I \_\_\_\_\_, hereby sell to

\_\_\_\_\_ my commercial permit and/or share for the sum of \$ \_\_\_\_\_.

**SECTION D: NOTIFICATION STATEMENT**

\_\_\_\_\_ (Transferor Initials) I acknowledge that I have notified the current permit and/or allocation holder of this permanent transfer application.

**SECTION E: SIGNATURES & NOTARY**

I acknowledge that this application applies only to the commercial striped bass permit and/or share. I am aware of the requirement to follow all applicable commercial fishing laws and regulations in order to maintain this permit. I certify under penalty of perjury that the statements made herein are true and correct to the best of my knowledge, information and belief.

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Transferor (FROM) Signature**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Date**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Transferee (TO) Signature**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Date**

**NOTARY FOR TRANSFEROR**

State of \_\_\_\_\_ County of \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signed (or attested)

before me on this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20 \_\_\_\_ by \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
SIGNATURE OF NOTARIAL OFFICER

My commission expires: \_\_\_\_\_

NOTARY SEAL:

**NOTARY FOR TRANSFEE**

State of \_\_\_\_\_ County of \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signed (or attested)

before me on this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20 \_\_\_\_ by \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
SIGNATURE OF NOTARIAL OFFICER

My commission expires: \_\_\_\_\_

NOTARY SEAL:

**For Department Use Only**

APPROVED BY \_\_\_\_\_

Copies -Fishing and Boating Services / Transferee / Transferor

DATE \_\_\_\_\_

Form: 2025 Permanent Transfer Form

**INSTRUCTIONS FOR PERMANENT TRANSFER:**

- 1.) The transferee (person receiving permit/share) must fill out Section A completely.
- 2.) The transferor (person transferring permit/share) must fill out Section B completely.
- 3.) Transferors may make as many transfers as they wish during the given transfer period.
- 4.) A permittee may own no more than 1% of the total Maryland Chesapeake Bay striped bass quota
- 5.) A permittee may own no more than 5% of the total Maryland Atlantic striped bass quota.
- 6.) This form must be certified by a notary public in order to be processed. There is not a notary public at the Tawes Building, please have this done before you turn in the form.
- 7.) Permits, allocations, and shares transferred may be used in the Chesapeake Bay only or the Atlantic only. Transferees may use any legal gear within the legal gear season, as long as the transferee holds the appropriate license. HLI license holders may only harvest their allocations with a hook and line.
- 8.) If this striped bass permit and/or allocation being transferred is currently used by another license holder under a temporary transfer, the current holder must be notified by the owner prior to permanent transfer-Section D.
- 9.) Please submit this transfer application to Fishing and Boating Services for review and approval before submitting this, and any other associated paperwork, to a Licensing Service Center.

MAIL COMPLETED PAPERWORK (AND CURRENT PERMIT CARDS-IF AN IN-SEASON TRANSFER) TO:

**Maryland DNR FABS  
Attn: Permitted Fisheries  
580 Taylor Ave B-2  
Annapolis, MD 21401**

OR SET UP AN APPOINTMENT TO MEET WITH:

**Permits Coordinator (410-279-8369)  
Assistant Permits Coordinator (667-204-0917)**

Email: [fisheriespermittedspecies.dnr@maryland.gov](mailto:fisheriespermittedspecies.dnr@maryland.gov)