



**JOB HAZARD ASSESSMENT (Continuation Sheet)**

ACTIVITY: \_\_\_\_\_

DATE PREPARED: \_\_\_\_\_

BASIC JOB STEPS	HAZARDS	SAFE JOB PROCEDURE
Shocking specimens for collection	Electrocution, Repetitive strain, UV Radiation, Heat Stress	<p>Review all operational procedures approved under 241 FW 6.</p> <p>Wear the following PPE:</p> <p>(a) Hip boots will be worn so they can be easily removed in case the boat capsizes.</p> <p>(b) Rubber chest waders can also be worn, when necessary, in order to remain dry as protection against electrical shock.</p> <p><b>NOTE:</b> Any straps for hip boots or chest waders must be put on over the PFD so they can be released in an emergency.</p> <p>(c) Rubber gloves that are rated above the voltage being used will be worn. These will be inspected before each use and replaced at adequate intervals.</p> <p>(d) Polaroid-type sunglasses will be worn to reduce glare from the water.</p> <p>(e) Department/USCG approved Personal Flotation Devices that are international orange with reflective tape (see 242 FW 1 for specifics). <b>Note:</b> Life vests that meet the requirements of Type II are designed to turn an unconscious person in the water from a face downward position to a vertical or slightly backward position. Float coats may provide some protection against the loss of body heat if the person were to accidentally fall into the cold water.</p> <p>Use short handled nets to capture fish from boat to ease strain on arms, elbows and shoulders.</p> <p>Drink fluids frequently and take breaks as needed.</p> <p><b>Instruction Sheets.</b> For electrofishing equipment, boats and operational procedures, instruction sheets will be enclosed in waterproof plastic and be readily available for reference at all times during the electrofishing operation.</p>