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FISH AND WILDLIFE SERVICE  
Washington, D.C. 20240



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To: State Fish and Wildlife Agencies  
Secretary, Department of Natural Resources of the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico  
Governor of Guam  
Governor of the U.S. Virgin Islands  
Governor of American Samoa  
Governor of the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands  
Mayor of the District of Columbia  
Secretary of the Treasury

Enclosed are copies of the Final Certificates of Apportionment under the provisions of the Pittman-Robertson Wildlife Restoration Act and the Dingell-Johnson Sport Fish Restoration Act, as amended. These apportionments are for the fiscal year beginning October 1, 2015, and are available for the periods of time specified in the Acts.

These final apportionments are based on deposits into the Wildlife Restoration Fund and the Sport Fish Restoration and Boating Trust Fund during Fiscal Year 2015. The amounts reflect sequestered amounts of \$24,292,040 in the Sport Fish Restoration Trust Fund and \$47,292,497 in the Wildlife Restoration Trust Fund for 2016. In addition, \$59,137,413 million in the Wildlife Restoration Trust Fund and \$25,377,643 million in the Sport Fish Restoration Trust Fund that were sequestered in FY 2015 have been apportioned for your use.

The Service is pleased to make these funds available to you. If you have questions about the apportionments, please contact the Fish and Wildlife Service Regional Director for your area.

Sincerely,

Deputy *James W. Kurth*  
DIRECTOR

Enclosures



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CERTIFICATE OF APPORTIONMENT OF \$361,077,093 OF THE APPROPRIATION FOR DINGELL-JOHNSON SPORT FISH RESTORATION TO THE STATES, THE COMMONWEALTH OF PUERTO RICO, GUAM, THE U.S. VIRGIN ISLANDS, AMERICAN SAMOA, THE COMMONWEALTH OF THE NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, AND THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA FOR FISCAL YEAR 2016

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Pursuant to the Dingell-Johnson Sport Fish Restoration Act, as amended (16 U.S.C. 777 et seq.), we have, at this time, apportioned \$361,077,093 to the States, the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico, Guam, the U.S. Virgin Islands, American Samoa, the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands, and the District of Columbia. The funds so apportioned are based on the amount credited during Fiscal Year 2015 to the Sport Fish Restoration Account. This includes \$25,377,643 that was sequestered in 2015 and is now available. A preliminary apportionment of \$239,902,227 was made on December 2, 2015, and is included as part of this final apportionment. The funds are available for the fiscal year beginning October 1, 2015, and are available for the period of time specified in the Act.

The amounts apportioned to the States are as provided by Section 4 of the Act, and adjusted so no State shall receive more than 5 percent or less than 1 percent of the total amount apportioned.

The amounts apportioned to the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico, Guam, the U.S. Virgin Islands, American Samoa, the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands, and the District of Columbia are as provided by Section 12 of the Act.

Therefore, in accordance with the above, the apportionment of Dingell-Johnson Sport Fish Restoration funds for Fiscal Year 2016 is as shown on the enclosed tabulation.

*James W. Kurtz*

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DIRECTOR

**Deputy**

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U.S. FISH AND WILDLIFE SERVICE  
 FINAL APPORTIONMENT OF DINGELL-JOHNSON  
 SPORT FISH RESTORATION FUNDS FOR FISCAL YEAR 2016  
 CFDA: 15.605

<u>STATE</u>	<u>SPORTFISH RESTORATION-9510</u> <u>(Returned Sequestered Funds 2015)</u>	<u>2016 SPORTFISH</u> <u>RESTORATION-9510</u>	<u>TOTAL SPORTFISH</u> <u>RESTORATION-9510</u>
ALABAMA	\$451,204	\$6,001,859	\$6,453,063
ALASKA	1,268,882	16,784,973	\$18,053,855
AMERICAN SAMOA	84,592	1,118,998	\$1,203,590
ARIZONA	498,791	6,438,269	\$6,937,060
ARKANSAS	393,694	5,215,243	\$5,608,937
CALIFORNIA	1,268,882	16,784,973	\$18,053,855
COLORADO	607,848	7,966,254	\$8,574,102
CONNECTICUT	253,776	3,356,995	\$3,610,771
DELAWARE	253,776	3,356,995	\$3,610,771
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA	84,592	1,118,998	\$1,203,590
FLORIDA	835,570	11,234,251	\$12,069,821
GEORGIA	473,234	7,421,732	\$7,894,966
GUAM	84,592	1,118,998	\$1,203,590
HAWAII	253,776	3,356,995	\$3,610,771
IDAHO	446,057	5,962,409	\$6,408,466
ILLINOIS	497,158	6,423,169	\$6,920,327
INDIANA	322,764	4,281,315	\$4,604,079
IOWA	333,891	4,227,982	\$4,561,873
KANSAS	361,080	4,782,628	\$5,143,708
KENTUCKY	385,883	5,061,703	\$5,447,586
LOUISIANA	489,202	6,590,151	\$7,079,353
MAINE	253,776	3,356,995	\$3,610,771
MARYLAND	253,776	3,356,995	\$3,610,771
MASSACHUSETTS	253,776	3,356,995	\$3,610,771
MICHIGAN	806,504	10,637,433	\$11,443,937
MINNESOTA	949,243	11,953,143	\$12,902,386
MISSISSIPPI	299,158	3,910,291	\$4,209,449
MISSOURI	582,596	7,474,925	\$8,057,521
MONTANA	603,628	8,084,741	\$8,688,369
N. MARIANA ISLANDS	84,592	1,118,998	\$1,203,590
NEBRASKA	323,689	4,227,189	\$4,550,878
NEVADA	367,920	4,848,077	\$5,215,997
NEW HAMPSHIRE	253,776	3,356,995	\$3,610,771
NEW JERSEY	253,776	3,356,995	\$3,610,771
NEW MEXICO	440,139	5,783,335	\$6,223,474
NEW YORK	590,535	7,582,086	\$8,172,621
NORTH CAROLINA	731,451	9,937,919	\$10,669,370
NORTH DAKOTA	299,206	3,934,099	\$4,233,305
OHIO	506,241	6,688,840	\$7,195,081
OKLAHOMA	516,683	6,852,112	\$7,368,795
OREGON	568,523	7,528,960	\$8,097,483
PENNSYLVANIA	618,477	8,097,836	\$8,716,313
PUERTO RICO	253,776	3,356,995	\$3,610,771
RHODE ISLAND	253,776	3,356,995	\$3,610,771
SOUTH CAROLINA	358,193	4,711,497	\$5,069,690
SOUTH DAKOTA	322,799	4,246,223	\$4,569,022
TENNESSEE	554,119	7,341,959	\$7,896,078
TEXAS	1,268,882	16,784,973	\$18,053,855
UTAH	461,560	6,066,283	\$6,527,843
VERMONT	253,776	3,356,995	\$3,610,771
VIRGIN ISLANDS	84,592	1,118,998	\$1,203,590
VIRGINIA	363,874	4,956,822	\$5,320,696
WASHINGTON	509,217	6,904,788	\$7,414,005
WEST VIRGINIA	253,776	3,356,995	\$3,610,771
WISCONSIN	849,325	11,005,470	\$11,854,795
WYOMING	383,269	5,084,608	\$5,467,877
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$25,377,643</b>	<b>\$335,699,450</b>	<b>\$361,077,093</b>