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CERTIFICATE OF APPORTIONMENT OF \$351,917,483 OF THE APPROPRIATION FOR DINGELL-JOHNSON SPORT FISH RESTORATION (CFDA NO. 15.605) 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 2018

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

Pursuant to the Dingell-Johnson Sport Fish Restoration Act, as amended (16 U.S.C. 777 et seq.), we have, at this time apportioned \$351,917,483 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 2017 to the Sport Fish Restoration Account. This includes \$2,171,617 in Sport Fish Restoration Funds that were reverted from previous year apportionments. Also included in this apportionment is \$24,328,203 that was sequestered in 2017 and is now available. A preliminary apportionment of \$230,889,019 was made on November 30, 2017, and is included as part of this final apportionment. The funds are available for the fiscal year beginning October 1, 2017, 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 that 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 2018 is as shown on the enclosed tabulation.

Additional deductions from the Sport Fish Restoration Account and amendments to previous year apportionments include:

Sequestration - A total of \$24,124,248 has been temporarily sequestered from the Sport Fish Restoration Fund and will be available for apportionment next year.

Multi-State Conservation Grant – A total of \$3,003,000 was directed into the Multi-State Conservation Grant Program.

FWS Administration – A total of \$11,188,358 was withheld for FWS Administrative Support.

National Outreach Program – A total of \$12,237,892 was withheld for the National Outreach Program

Fisheries Commissions – A total of \$808,000 was withheld to support the Fisheries Commissions

Boating Infrastructure Improvement Program – A total of \$24,475,784 was withheld to support the Boating Infrastructure Improvement Program.

Coastal Wetlands Program – A total of \$17,138,862 was withheld to support the Coastal Wetlands Program.

North American Wetlands Conservation Account – A total of \$17,138,862 was transferred to the North American Wetlands Conservation Account.



Principal Deputy

DIRECTOR

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Date

Enclosure

U.S. FISH AND WILDLIFE SERVICE
 FINAL APPORTIONMENT OF DINGELL-JOHNSON
 SPORT FISH RESTORATION FUNDS FOR FISCAL YEAR 2018

CFDA: 15.605

<u>STATE</u>	<u>SPORTFISH RESTORATION-9510</u> <u>(Returned Sequestered Funds 2017)</u>	<u>2018 SPORTFISH</u> <u>RESTORATION-9510</u>	<u>TOTAL SPORTFISH</u> <u>RESTORATION-9510</u>
ALABAMA	\$425,132	\$5,726,047	\$6,151,179
ALASKA	1,216,410	16,379,464	\$17,595,874
AMERICAN SAMOA	81,094	1,091,964	\$1,173,058
ARIZONA	505,527	6,648,976	\$7,154,503
ARKANSAS	368,845	4,980,136	\$5,348,981
CALIFORNIA	1,154,138	15,359,595	\$16,513,733
COLORADO	623,083	8,520,590	\$9,143,673
CONNECTICUT	243,282	3,275,893	\$3,519,175
DELAWARE	243,282	3,275,893	\$3,519,175
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA	81,094	1,091,964	\$1,173,058
FLORIDA	841,651	11,394,960	\$12,236,611
GEORGIA	538,887	7,502,537	\$8,041,424
GUAM	81,094	1,091,964	\$1,173,058
HAWAII	243,282	3,275,893	\$3,519,175
IDAHO	439,609	5,990,675	\$6,430,284
ILLINOIS	461,900	6,131,309	\$6,593,209
INDIANA	322,386	4,255,345	\$4,577,731
IOWA	307,052	4,206,078	\$4,513,130
KANSAS	347,207	4,634,720	\$4,981,927
KENTUCKY	367,611	4,831,152	\$5,198,763
LOUISIANA	471,797	6,436,374	\$6,908,171
MAINE	243,282	3,275,893	\$3,519,175
MARYLAND	243,282	3,275,893	\$3,519,175
MASSACHUSETTS	243,282	3,275,893	\$3,519,175
MICHIGAN	739,687	9,952,765	\$10,692,452
MINNESOTA	865,755	11,634,615	\$12,500,370
MISSISSIPPI	276,427	3,732,782	\$4,009,209
MISSOURI	545,404	7,132,346	\$7,677,750
MONTANA	591,278	8,057,709	\$8,648,987
N. MARIANA ISLANDS	81,094	1,091,964	\$1,173,058
NEBRASKA	307,630	4,175,736	\$4,483,366
NEVADA	348,990	4,625,611	\$4,974,601
NEW HAMPSHIRE	243,282	3,275,893	\$3,519,175
NEW JERSEY	243,282	3,275,893	\$3,519,175
NEW MEXICO	425,650	5,818,845	\$6,244,495
NEW YORK	541,802	7,278,378	\$7,820,180
NORTH CAROLINA	713,447	9,631,052	\$10,344,499
NORTH DAKOTA	286,178	3,844,440	\$4,130,618
OHIO	489,514	6,409,452	\$6,898,966
OKLAHOMA	496,565	7,198,803	\$7,695,368
OREGON	547,306	7,272,940	\$7,820,246
PENNSYLVANIA	589,576	7,982,046	\$8,571,622
PUERTO RICO	243,282	3,275,893	\$3,519,175
RHODE ISLAND	243,282	3,275,893	\$3,519,175
SOUTH CAROLINA	347,283	4,551,905	\$4,899,188
SOUTH DAKOTA	309,715	4,180,338	\$4,490,053
TENNESSEE	522,995	6,934,276	\$7,457,271
TEXAS	1,216,410	16,379,464	\$17,595,874
UTAH	444,605	5,961,334	\$6,405,939
VERMONT	243,282	3,275,893	\$3,519,175
VIRGIN ISLANDS	81,094	1,091,964	\$1,173,058
VIRGINIA	355,819	4,849,027	\$5,204,846
WASHINGTON	495,167	6,617,363	\$7,112,530
WEST VIRGINIA	243,282	3,275,893	\$3,519,175
WISCONSIN	790,668	10,633,845	\$11,424,513
WYOMING	364,243	4,965,714	\$5,329,957
TOTAL	\$24,328,203	\$327,589,280	\$351,917,483