

## **CRAB POT**

### **O R D E R #2008-07**

#### **COMMERCIAL CRAB FISHERY TIME LIMITS**

**THE POTOMAC RIVER FISHERIES COMMISSION**, having found it necessary for the preservation of the blue crab population, having considered the protection, promotion, growth and conservation of the crab resources, and provisions of Regulation I, Section 7(a) and Regulation VII, Section 5(b).

**HEREBY DECLARES AND ORDERS:** it shall be unlawful for any person to take or catch crabs between sunset and one (1) hour before sunrise, or to land or unload crabs earlier than sunrise or later than sunset.

**AND IT IS FURTHER DECLARED AND ORDERED:** this Order #2008-07 shall become effective July 1, 2008 and remain in effect until such time as the Commission has taken further action.

### **O R D E R #2008-09**

#### **COMMERCIAL CRAB FISHERY POT LIMITS**

**THE POTOMAC RIVER FISHERIES COMMISSION**, having found it necessary for the preservation of the crab population, having considered the protection, promotion, growth and conservation of the crab resources, and provisions of Regulation I, Section 7(a) and Regulation I, Section 2(d)(3).

**HEREBY DECLARES AND ORDERS:** those persons holding a 285, 380, or 475 pot license are limited to that number from the effective date of this Order and each year thereafter.

**AND IT IS FURTHER DECLARED AND ORDERED:** this Order #2008-09 shall become effective July 1, 2008 and remain in effect until such time as the Commission has taken further action.