APPLICATION FOR COMMERCIAL FUR LICENSE

Mail to: SCDNR License Office • PO Box 11710 • Columbia, SC 29211-1710 (803) 734-3833

Visti *www.dnr.sc.gov* for additional licenses and information. M-F 8:30-4:50 PM ET

Applicant Information

Customer #	or	Social Security #	Gender	Race	Date of Birth
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Name (as it appears on your Driver's License or ID Card)

First Name _____ M.I. _____ Last Name _____ Suffix _____

Home Address

Street _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____ SC County of Residence _____

Mailing Address *(only if different from Home address)*

Street _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone	Driver's License or ID Card #	State Where Issued

Select One: Trapper ☐ Hunter ☐

Please check the proper fee and remit that amount:

Resident License	☐	$25
Nonresident License	☐	$200

All persons, *regardless of age*, who take furbearing animals by any means for commercial purposes are required to possess a valid state hunting license.

Note: Although State law does not require a hunting license in order to hunt in South Carolina until the age of 16, the possession of a valid state hunting license is mandatory to obtain a commercial fur license *regardless of age*. To obtain a valid state hunting license, **anyone** born after July 1, 1979 must successfully complete a SC DNR Hunter's Education Course and obtain a certification of completion. A youth under 16 that successfully completes an approved Trapper's Education Course is not required to have their hunting license to purchase a Commercial Fur License until the age of 16. Anyone under 16 simply accompanying a licensed adult commercial fur harvester, is not required to possess any licenses.

- Please Note: Fur tags are no longer required for most species and may only be ordered from November 1st - April 30th, unless otherwise approved by the Furbearer Project.
- A SEPARATE APPLICATION MUST BE SUBMITTED TO ORDER TAGS.
- Tags are only required for bobcat and otter before being sold, shipped, or transferred to any other person or business, or transported out of state. The SCDNR may limit the number of tags issued for each species. Currently, only licensed Commercial Fur Harvesters may purchase tags.
- Please see the current Commercial Fur Harvest Regulations brochure for more information.

NOTICE: *ALL LICENSED COMMERCIAL FUR HARVESTERS ARE REQUIRED BY STATE LAW TO SUMBIT A HARVEST REPORT BY APRIL 15TH REGARDLESS OF WHETHER OR NOT ANY FURBEARING ANIMALS WERE TAKEN, OR WHETHER OR NOT YOU TRAPPED OR HUNTED UNDER THE AUTHORITY OF THIS LICENSE.*

Verification of Lawful Presence in the United States - As required by S.C. Code Section 8-29-10, applicants for a commercial license or permit are required to complete an affidavit entitled "*Verification of Lawful Presence in the United States*" before any trapping license can be issued. This form is required only once for US Citizens, and annually for all others, and must be notarized and sent in with any required documentation along with your license application.

APPLICATION FOR COMMERCIAL FUR TAGS

SOUTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES
PO BOX 167
COLUMBIA, SOUTH CAROLINA 29202
(803) 734-3833

_____ (found on any SCDNR-issued license)
Customer ID Number

_____ _____ ___ _____
Last Name First Name M.I. Home Phone Number

_____ _____ _____ _____
Address City State Zip Code

Fur Tag Application	
Species	**Quantity** (No more than 6 prior to Feb. 1st)
Bobcat	
Otter	

No more than 6 total tags can be ordered at any one time before February 1st without prior approval of DNR Furbearer Program.

Processing Fee for tags orders = $3.00

- Tags are only required for bobcat and otter before being sold, shipped, or transferred to any other person or business, or transported out of state.
- Tags may only be ordered from November 20th - April 30th. You may apply for bobcat and otter tags only during this time period. **Only order the number of tags needed.**
- Possession of untagged bobcat or otter is no longer unlawful.
- The SCDNR may limit the number of tags issued for each species.
- SC Tags are illegal for use on furbearing animals captured in another state or outside the commercial fur harvest seasons.
- Please see the current Commercial Fur Harvest Regulations brochure for more information.
- The SCDNR will charge a processing fee of $3.00 per order.

DO NOT SUBMIT THIS APPLICATION BEFORE NOVEMBER 1st OR AFTER APRIL 30TH.

BY STATE LAW, SCDNR CANNOT "HOLD" ANY CHECKS LONGER THAN 5 DAYS.

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