



# Special Requirements by Type:

## Types 103, 104 and 107

Nonresident Commercial licenses will only be issued to applicants from states that allow Tennessee residents these same privileges. My signature on this application indicates I have received, for my information and use, a copy of **Tennessee Commercial Fishing** and/or **Tennessee Commercial Musseling** (whichever was appropriate to the license applied for). These publications provide a synopsis of Tennessee's laws governing commercial fishing and musseling, including waters closed to commercial fishing due to contamination.

## Type 189 Sport Hunting & Fishing Wheelchair Restricted Citizens License (TN Residents Only)

In accordance with TCA 70-2-140 (b), I hereby make application for a Sport Hunting & Fishing Wheelchair Restricted Citizens License and agree to surrender this license issued to me should I become ineligible under the provisions below:

- Application for a Sport Hunting & Fishing Wheelchair Restricted Citizens License is only for Tennessee residents restricted to a wheelchair permanently.
- All other permits and/or supplemental licenses such as, but not limited to, Tellico Trout, Gatlinburg Trout and Reelfoot Preservation Permits are required in addition to this license.

A **certificate** from a physician licensed to practice in Tennessee must accompany this application stating applicant is permanently restricted to a wheelchair.

## Type 190 Sport Fishing Slat Basket

Name of reservoir or stream where you plan to fish:

Sport fishing basket tags will only be issued to individuals under age 16, over age 65, and those holding a valid annual license. The tag is valid from March 1 until the last day of February. Only one tag will be issued per individual. **The tag must be securely fastened to the basket.**

Slat baskets may have only one outside funnel opening and may be made of wood, plastic, or cane slats or splits which are placed lengthwise and so constructed that there must be a minimum of four openings in the catching area, each being at least 1-1/2 inches wide and 6 inches long.

**Waters open: All public streams and reservoirs.**

**Fish which may be taken: Non-game fish.**

**Creel Limit: Same as sport fishing.**

## Resident Sport Fishing License for the Blind

TCA 70-20-104 (a) (1) provides for the issuance of a sport fishing license for a fee of **\$10.00** to those residents of Tennessee who are certified as being blind, having a visual acuity with maximum correction, not exceeding 20/200 but accompanied by a limitation in the field of vision such that the widest diameter of the visual field subtends an angle no greater than twenty (20) degrees. The Executive Director of the TWRA shall accept, as evidence, a **certified form** from the Department of Human Services or from a physician licensed to practice medicine in this state and who is engaged in the treatment of the human eye, or a licensed registered optometrist certifying such persons meet the requirements of this section with reference to the degree of blindness.

**Check which one of the following proofs of blindness is submitted with this application by a certificate from:**

- ( ) Department of Human Services
- ( ) Ophthalmologists
- ( ) Optometrist

## Disabled Veteran License

**Required certification of recent date from the Veterans Administration must accompany this application.**

Per TCA 70-2-104 (a) (3a & b), the Director of the TWRA shall accept, as evidence of war-connected disability, the following three pieces of information from the Veterans Administration:

1. Percent of disability
2. Dates of service
3. Name of war or conflict

These three pieces of information must be supplied by the Veterans Administration as separated documents or in the form of a certificate or DD214 form.

**By signing my signature on this application, I hereby agree to surrender the license issued to me by reason of this disability should I become ineligible under the above provisions.**

## SSI Disability Sport Fishing License

Residents of Tennessee who receive Social Security benefits due to mental retardation are entitled to the privilege of sport fishing, per TCA 70-2-104. The TWRA, upon receiving proof of such retardation, shall issue applicant a permanent Sport Fishing License for a **\$10.00** fee.

Applicant must secure written **certification** from the Social Security Administration that he/she receives SSI benefits due to mental retardation. The certification must accompany this application.

## Type 100 - Free Commercial Fishing License

This type is issued at no charge to those residents 70 years old or older who furnish proof of residency and age. This license expires every year on the last day of February. Holders of this license must apply yearly.

## Types 108/110 - Resident or Nonresident Commercial Roe Fish Harvester Permit

One of these types must be purchased in addition to a Type 100, 101 or 103 if you intend to harvest any part of a fish that is classified as a "roe species" by the Tennessee Wildlife Resources Commission. These licenses expire every year on the last day of February.

## Types 111/112 - Resident or Nonresident Wholesale Roe Fish Purchaser Permit

One of these types must be purchased in addition to a Type 113 if you intend to purchase any part of a fish that is classified as a "roe species" by the Tennessee Wildlife Resources Commission. These licenses expire every year on the last day of February.

## Type 116 - Nonresident Fish Dealer

This license type is required for all nonresident bait dealers, catch-out operators and fish farmers who wish to sell fish in Tennessee.