### Georgia Department of Natural Resources

1200 Glynn Avenue, Brunswick, Georgia 31523-9990

J. Leonard Ledbetter, Commissioner

Duane Harris, Director

Coastal Resources Division
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October 21, 1988

Captain Bill Shearin, Jr.

Dear Bill:

I wish to personally congratulate you on your outstanding catch, which has been accepted as a Georgia Saltwater Gamefish Record. Enclosed is a certificate that serves not only to recognize the size of the catch, but also the angler's skill and the sportsmanship displayed in the landing of a gamefish record.

Again, congratulations on your achievement, and thank you for your participation in Georgia's Saltwater Gamefish Records Program.

Sincerex

Duane Harris, Director Coastal Resources Division

Enclosures

### GEORGIA SALTWATER GAMEFISH RECORDS PROGRAM RECORDS REVIEW COMMITTEE

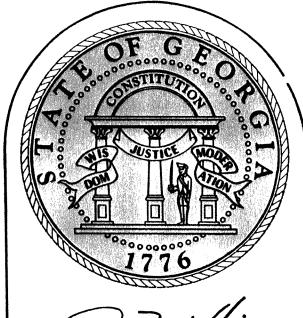
Date: 10/12/88

Please find attached for your review, comment, and approval/disapproval an application for consideration as a Georgia Saltwater Gamefish Record, Outstanding Catch, or both(indicate one).

#### SPECIFICATIONS

Species: Red Sna	apper	NOTES:	Entry form	n/photo	s attache	d
Division: Women	's X Men's	for	your consi	devation	<b>n</b> -	
Current Record: $3e$		3			<del></del>	
Weight Needed $\ \underline{\it 36}$	$\frac{1}{2}$ lbs $\frac{6}{2}$ oz	2			HX	1
Entry Weight: $\frac{37}{10}$ Date Received	$\frac{7}{1}$ lbs $\frac{8}{\sqrt{1}}$ oz	Z		,	(t)	
Date Received	1/12/88	- REVIEW	COMMITTEE		V	
REVIEW COMMITTEE	Approved as New Record	Approved as Tie Record	<u>Disapproved</u> Record (Explain)	Approved as Outstanding Catch	Disapproved as Outstanding Catch	Comments (use back for ad- ditional space
Duane Harris, Director	M					
Susan Shipman, Chief Coastal Fisheries	SS, 10/11/88					wow! Nice fish.
Jim Music, Leader Commercial Fisheries Program	Swapie					w/ larges
John Pafford, Leader Recreational Fisheries	MP					
Henry Ansley, Leader OCS Program	HA					

# State of Georgia Saltwater Gamefish Record



GOVERNOR State of Georgia

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DIRECTOR Coastal Resources Division

## BILL SHEARIN, JR.

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Mens Record

RED SNAPPER

Lutjanus campechanus

Lbs. 37 Oz. 8

Kg. 17.01

Date: SEPT 1988

## STATE OF GEORGIA SALTWATER GAMEFISH RECORDS ENTRY FORM FOR GAMEFISH RECORDS AND OUTSTANDING CATCHES

Read all angling rules and Georgia Saltwater Gamefish Record requirements before completing and signing this application. This application must be accompanied by photographs as specified in the State record requirements.

DIVISION  Women'sMen's
SPECIES
Common name: RED SNAPPER
MEASUREMENTS (See measurements diagram below)
Weight 37 lbs 8 oz 17.01 Kg
Fork Length (x to x): 39 inches
Total Length (xx to xx): 36_ inches
Girth: 37 inches 5 + 95 1988
DATE OF CATCH: Sept 25, 1988
PLACE OF CATCH: (Be specific as possible)
Savannah Snapper Banks
METHOD OF CATCH (trolling, casting, fly fishing, etc.):
Bottom Fishing
ANGLER (print name as you wish it to appear on record certificate):
Sill Shearin Jr.
Permanent address (include Zip code):
Savannah, Ga
9/2 Pho
Fishing Club affiliation None
Angler's age (not required): 4/3
Rod: DIAWA - 6 Penn Peer 3.09
EQUIPMENT Rod: DIAWA - 6 Reel: Penn Peer 3.09  (make & length)  (make)
Line (make & test)
Name of lure or bait CIGHY MINNOW
Terminal rig description (include hook number, types, & arrangement)
Bottom Rig MAde 8/ 125#
test leader material
BOAT (if used)
Name: SPORTING UENTURES
Captain's Name: Bill SheARIN, JY
Signature: Bill Step
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Date last certified: MAY-1988, OSILocalis - Dev.
Certifying Agency Compensed of Agriculture 745
Weighmaster: STEUE SWAn Berg
Signature:
WITNESSES Witness to catch (other than angler or captain): Mr SMX (
witness to Catch (other than angle
Al BERT W. Kiley
Swannah, GA
Witnesses to weighing (other than angler, captain or weighmaster):
STEUE Amick,
Savannah, GA 3
ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: (fighting time, equipment used, additional
witnesses, etc.)
AFFIDAVIT
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