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May 7, 2020

Lindsey Paulk
[REDACTED]

Woodbine, Ga., 31569

Dear Ms. Paulk:

I wish to personally congratulate you on your new women's state record catch of a Gray Snapper (*Lutjanus griseus*), caught April 28, 2020, about 60 miles east of St. Marys, Ga. Enclosed is a certificate that serves to recognize not only the size of the catch, but your skill as an angler and the sportsmanship displayed in landing a record-setting gamefish.

Your name will be added to the official record on our website at CoastalGaDNR.org and will appear in the 2021 edition of the Georgia Sport Fishing Regulations guide.

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

Sincerely,

Doug Haymans
Director
Coastal Resources Division
Georgia Department of Natural Resources

Enclosures
Cc: Records Review Committee, Georgia Saltwater Gamefish Record certificate

APPLICATION FORM


**STATE OF GEORGIA
SALTWATER GAMEFISH RECORDS ENTRY FORM**


Read all angling rules 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.

1. **DIVISION** Women's Men's
2. **SPECIES** (Common name): Grey Snapper
3. **MEASUREMENTS**
Weight 10 lbs. .69 LBS ~~oz.~~ AD
Fork Length ¹: 28.5 inches Total length ²: 26 3/4 inches Girth ³: 19 inches
¹ Tip of snout to the inner fork of the tail. ² Tip of snout to end of tail – maximum length. ³ Distance around thickest part of body.

4. **DATE OF CATCH**: 4/28/20
5. **PLACE OF CATCH** (Be specific as possible):
60 miles offshore East of St. Marys, GA. It was the same fishing spot that my mom, Janet Moore caught her GA State Mutton Snapper record!

6. **METHOD OF CATCH** (trolling, casting, fly fishing, etc.):
Bottom fishing

7. **ANGLER** (print name as you wish it to appear on certificate): Lindsey Paulk
 Woodbine, GA 31569

Phone: 
Fishing Club Affiliation (not required): Suite Life Fishing Team
Angler's Age (not required): 29

8. **EQUIPMENT**
Rod: Shimano Reel: Shimano
(make & length) (make)

Line (make & test): 60 lb Power pro Name of lure or bait: Spanish Sardine


Terminal rig description (include hook number, types, & arrangement):

Circle hook slip ring

9. BOAT (if used)

Name: 31 Prowler

Captain's Name: Sonny Monroe

Signature: 

Address: 

St. Marys, GA 31556

Phone: 

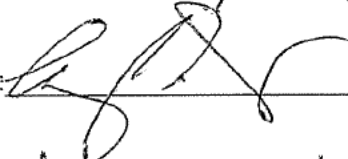
10. SCALES

Location: GA DNR CRH

Date last certified: April 2019

Certifying Agency: DNR/CRD

Weighmaster Name: Tyler Jones / Justin Bythewood / Paul Maddens

Signature: 

Address: 1 Conservation Way

Buck, GA 31520

Phone: 

11. WITNESSES

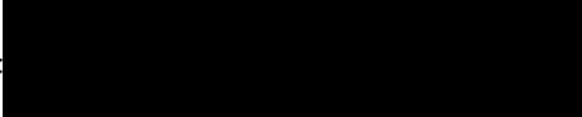
Witness to catch (other than angler or captain):

Jacob Paulk

Phone: 

Witnesses to weighing (other than angler, captain, or weighmaster):

Sonny Monroe

Phone: 

12. ADDITIONAL COMMENTS (fighting time, equipment used, additional witnesses, etc.):

13. AFFIDAVIT

I, the undersigned, hereby take oath and attest that the fish described in this application was hooked, fought, and brought to gaff by me without assistance from anyone, except as specifically provided in the regulations, and that it was caught in accordance with Georgia Saltwater Gamefish Records angling rules. I further declare that all information in this application is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Signature) J Paulk

Date: 4/29

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When completely filled out and signed, mail this application with photos by quickest means to:

Saltwater Gamefish Records Program
Coastal Resources Division
Georgia Department of Natural Resources
One Conservation Way
Brunswick, Georgia 31520
(912) 264 - 7218

Or email a scanned copy to Paul.Medders@dnr.ga.gov

**GEORGIA SALTWATER GAMEFISH RECORDS PROGRAM
REVIEW COMMITTEE**

DATE: 5/4/2020

Name: Lindsey Paulk

SPECIES: Gray Snapper (*Lutjanus griseus*)

DIVISION: WOMEN'S X MEN'S

CURRENT RECORD: 10 LBS 4 OZ

WEIGHT NEEDED: 10 LBS 8 OZ


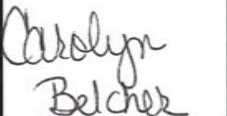



ENTRY WEIGHT: 10 LBS 11.04 OZ

DATE ENTRY RECEIVED: 4/29/2020

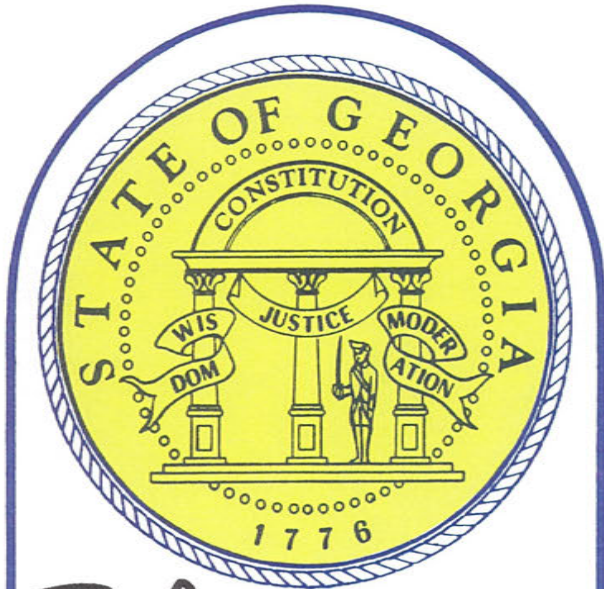
notes

Also known as mangrove snapper, mango or black snapper. Dark brown or gray in color, with red-orange spots in bars along the sides. Two large canine teeth near front of upper jaw. Anchor-shaped vomerine tooth patch. Dorsal fins with dark or reddish borders. Young have dark stripe from snout, through eye, to upper edge of gill cover. - FWC website

When presented w/ a Gray or Cuba check the vomerine PATCH

REVIEW COMMITTEE	APPROVED <u>NEW</u> RECORD	APPROVED <u>TIE</u> RECORD	DISAPPROVED RECORD <i>(explain below & back)</i>	APPROVED Outstanding Catch	DISAPPROVED Outstanding Catch <i>(explain below & back)</i>
Doug Haymans, Director Coastal Resources Division					
Carolyn Belcher					
Jared Flowers					
Paul Medders					
Tyler Jones					

State of Georgia Saltwater Gamefish Record



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GOVERNOR State of Georgia

Matthew Williams

COMMISSIONER Department of Natural Resources

DIRECTOR Coastal Resources Division

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Lindsey Paulk

holds the
Women's State Record

COPY for a
Gray Snapper

Lutjanus griseus

Lbs. 10 Oz. 11.04

Kg. _____

Date: Feb. 28, 2020

