

Georgia Department of Natural Resources

1200 Glynn Avenue, Brunswick, Georgia 31523-9990

J. Leonard Ledbetter, Commissioner

Duane Harris, Director

Coastal Resources Division

912/264-7218

28 May, 1985

Mrs. Dorothea M. Bays

[REDACTED]
Hinesville, Georgia 31313

Dear Mrs. Bays:

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 sportmanship 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.

Sincerely,

Duane Harris, Director
Coastal Resources Division

DH/lw

Enclosure

Received 6 May 1985

GEORGIA SALTWATER GAMEFISH
RECORDS APPLICATION FORM
FOR RECORDING RECORD
GAMEFISH 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's Men's

SPECIES
Common name: SAND BAR SHARK

WEIGHT
lbs. oz.: 124 Lbs. 0 oz. 50.18

LENGTH (See measurements diagrams)
inches: x to xx 62" xx to xx 79 5/8"

GIRTH (See measurement diagrams)
inches: 35"

DATE OF CATCH: April 22, 85

PLACE OF CATCH: (Be specific as possible) Medway River
DICKINSON CREEK MOUTH - LIBERTY
COUNTY - SUNBURY, GA.

METHOD OF CATCH (trolling, casting, fly fishing, etc.):
BOTTOM RIG

ANGLER (print name as you wish it to appear on record certificate): DOROTHEA M. BAYS

Permanent address (include Zip code):
HINESVILLE, GA. 31313

Phone Number: [REDACTED]

Angler's fishing club affiliation (if any): N/A

EQUIPMENT
Number of hooks: 1 - Size 5/0

Name of lure, fly or bait: MULLET

BOAT (if used)
Name: BLUE FIN - 16' w/ O/B CHRYSLER

Captain's Name: N/A - Pers. Family Boat
JAMES L. BAYS

Signature: James J. Bays

Address: [REDACTED]
Hinesville, Ga. 31313

Phone Number: [REDACTED]

SCALES

Location: RT. 1 Box 2012 - ALLENHURST, GA

Date last certified: Will certify by Dept. of AG.

Person and/or agency that certified scales: W.S. Berkeley

600^{LB} CHATILLON SELF-BALANCING

Weighmaster: Dennis Moss

Signature: Dennis Moss

Address: [REDACTED]

ALLENHURST - GA.

[REDACTED]

WITNESSES

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

Conservation officer Wisner
HINESVILLE, GA

Phone number: [REDACTED]

James D. Wisner, W. DNR.

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: (fighting time, equipment used, additional witnesses, etc.) 1 1/2 Hrs. - EAGLE CLAW

REEL #508HD LEVEL WIND - 40lbs

TRILENE XL LINE 40lbs Test - Berkley

45lbs. Steel Leader. - JAMES L. BAYS

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 of angler: Dorothea M. Bays

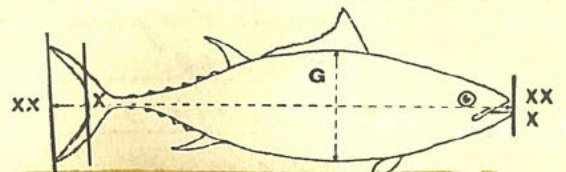
Date: 4-30, 19 85

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

Saltwater Gamefish Records
Coastal Resources Division
Georgia Department of Natural Resources
1200 Glynn Avenue
Brunswick, Georgia 31523-9990
Phone (912) 264-7330 or 264-7218

SPECIES MEASUREMENTS

Measure as indicated below, taking lengths from X to X and XX to XX. Take girth around the fish on line marked G or at largest dimension location.



GEORGIA SALTWATER GAMEFISH RECORDS PROGRAM RECORDS REVIEW COMMITTEE

Date: 17 May 1985

Please find attached for your review, comment, and approval/disapproval an application for consideration as a Georgia Saltwater Gamefish Record.

SPECIFICATIONS

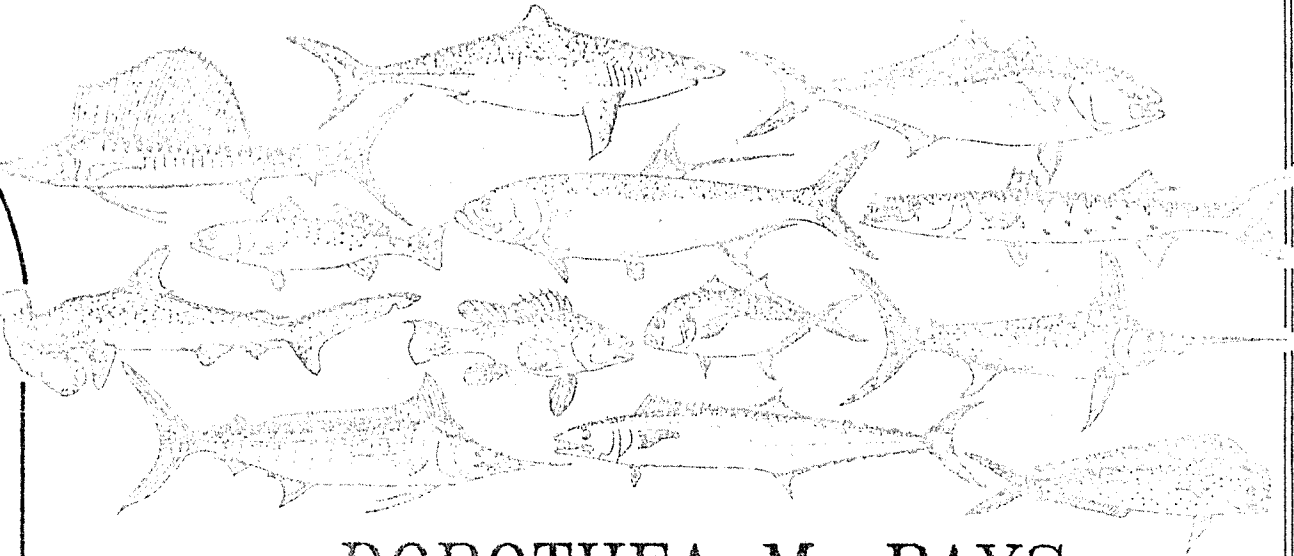
Species: Sandbar Shark
 Division: Women's Men's
 Current Record: 121 lbs 6 oz
 Weight Needed 122 lbs 0 oz
 Entry Weight: 124 lbs 0 oz
 Date Received 6 MAY 1985

NOTES: 1) Mr. Abernombie of Wts & Measures contacted me 10 May 1985 to inform me that the scales passed certification when checked by Mr. Drake earlier that week.
 2) Please review Identification (ID sheets attached)
 3) has been reviewed also by Jim Muir.

REVIEW COMMITTEE

	<u>Approved as New Record</u>	<u>Approved as Tie Record</u>	<u>Disapproved Record (Explain)</u>	<u>Approved as Outstanding Catch</u>	<u>Disapproved as Outstanding Catch</u>	Comments (use back for ad- ditional spac
REVIEW COMMITTEE						
Duane Harris, Director Coastal Resources	DH					
Susan Shipman, Chief Coastal Fisheries	SS 5/29/85					
Nancy Sanchez Communications Specialist	NS					
John Pafford, Leader Recreational Fisheries	JP					
Henry Ansley, Leader OCS Program	HA					

State of Georgia Saltwater Gamefish Record



DOROTHEA M. BAYS

holds the

Womens Record

for a

SANDBAR SHARK

Carcharhinus plumbeus

Lbs. 124 Oz. 0

Kg. 55.18

Date APRIL 1985


GOVERNOR State of Georgia


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