

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

April 3, 1987

Mr. Jimmy Ginn

[REDACTED]
Statesboro, Georgia 30458

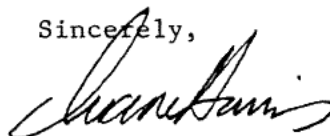
Dear Mr. Ginn:

In a recent revision of Georgia's Saltwater Gamefish Records Program, three new gamefish were made eligible for record status. One of these was the red porgy, Pagrus pagrus. According to regulations, all previous entries for fish species later added to the records list become eligible for consideration.

As a result, I wish to congratulate you on your outstanding catch, which has now 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.

Sincerely,



Duane Harris
Director

DH/lw

Enclosure

ANGLER'S NAME & ADDRESS _____

BAIT (LURE) squid
OF HOOKS single
CLUB SSC
LEADER LENGTH _____

SAVANNAH SPORT FISHING CLUB

STATE RECORD

INVITATIONAL BILL FISHING TOURNAMENT

OFFICIAL SCORE SHEET FORM

SPECIES Pink Porgy WEIGHT 5lbs 6oz.

LENGTH - X to X 18 3/4" XX to XX 20 1/4"

GIRTH 14" (at thickest part of body, usually at shoulder)

DATE CAUGHT 5/30/80 TIME REQUIRED 3 min.

WHERE CAUGHT 180' depth 110° off Wassaw Sea Bouy

NAME OF ANGLER (PRINT) Jimmy M. Ginn

LINE TEST (PRINT) _____ Statesboro 3045

NAME OF BOAT (PRINT) Renegade

NAME OF CAPTAIN (PRINT) Tommy Williams

TOTAL POINTS FOR ANGLER (1 Per Lb.) _____ ADDRESS _____

TOTAL POINTS FOR BOAT (1 Per Lb.) _____

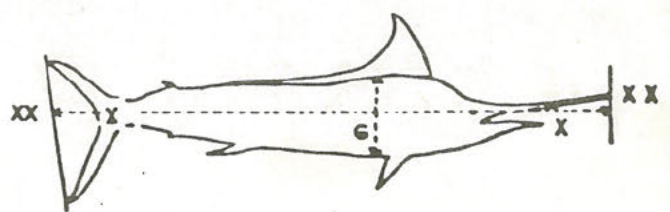
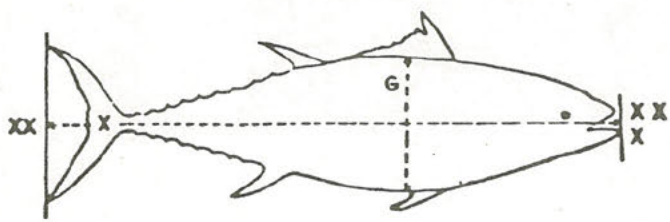
Henry Ansley (L.S.)
WEIGHMASTER

WITNESS Ed Ellis

ANGLER Jimmy M. Ginn
WITNESS Sheryl

SPECIES MEASUREMENTS

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



**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: Pink Porgy

WEIGHT

lbs., oz.: 5 LBS 6 oz 2.44 kg

LENGTH (See measurements diagrams)

inches: x to x 18³/₄" xx to xx 20¹/₄"

GIRTH (See measurement diagrams)

inches: 14"

DATE OF CATCH: 30 May 1980

PLACE OF CATCH: 110° OFF W2 - 180' depth

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

BOTTOM FISHING

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

Permanent address (include county and address code): _____

STATESBORO, GA 30458

Angler's fishing club affiliation (if any): Savannah Sportfishing Club

EQUIPMENT

Number of hooks: 1

Name of lure, fly or bait: SQUID

BOAT (if used)

Name: RENEGADE

Captain's Name: TOMMY WILLIAMS

Signature: attached

Address: Savannah Yacht Club

(Detach Here)

SCALES

Location: Savannah Yacht Club

Date last certified: May, 1980

Person and/or agency that certified scales: DRAKE -
WEIGHTS & MEASURES

Weighmaster: HENRY L. ANSLEY

Signature: Henry L Ansley

Address: Coastal Resources Division,
1200 Glynn Ave, BRUNSWICK, GA
31523

WITNESSES

Witness to weighing (other than angler, captain or weigh-
master): See attached

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

used Sav SF Club form - no SW
records form available HA
- Sav SF Club Billfish Tourney

AFFIDAVIT

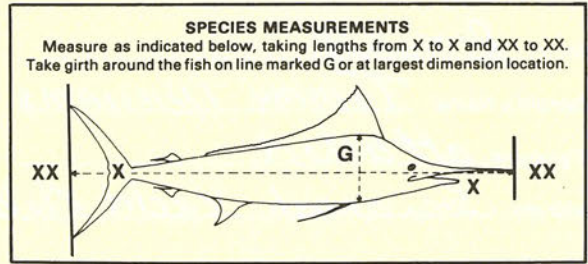
I, the undersigned, hereby take oath and attest that the fish described in this application was hooked, fought, and brought to gaff by me without assistance from anyone, except as specifically provided in the regulations; and that it was caught in accordance with Georgia Saltwater Gamefish Records angling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

Signature of angler: _____

Date: _____, 19 ____.

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

Public Service Section Chief
Coastal Resources Division
Georgia Department of Natural Resources
1200 Glynn Avenue
Brunswick, Georgia 31520
Phone (912) 264-7218



(Detach Here)

GEORGIA SALTWATER GAMEFISH RECORDS PROGRAM RECORDS REVIEW COMMITTEE

Date: 3/27/87

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 Porgy
 Division: ___ Women's X Men's
 Current Record: 0 lbs 0 oz
 Weight Needed 4 lbs 0 oz
 Entry Weight: 5 lbs 6 oz
 Date Received 5/30/80

NOTES: *This is another one of the species recently made a records species. This was a Porgy (Species Composite) record at one time. No pictures, but was I'd.*

REVIEW COMMITTEE

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 additional space)
Duane Harris, Director Coastal Resources	<i>DH</i>					
Susan Shipman, Chief Coastal Fisheries	<i>I remember this, believe it or not, from 1980! I recorded it.</i>					
Jim Music, Leader Commercial Fisheries Program	<i>JM</i>					
John Pafford, Leader Recreational Fisheries	<i>JMP</i>					
Henry Ansley, Leader OCS Program	<i>HA</i>					

State of Georgia

Saltwater Gamefish Record



Frank Harris

GOVERNOR State of Georgia

J. Leonard Ledbetter

COMMISSIONER Department of Natural Resources

Quane Harris

DIRECTOR Coastal Resources Division

JIMMY GINN

holds the

Mens Record

for a

RED PORGY

Pagrus pagrus

Lbs. 5

Oz. 6

Kg. 2.44

Date: MAY 1980

Coastal Resources Division

Georgia Department of Natural Resources