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Consent Form

Project title SIFIDS Early Adopters Trial

The project aims to improve methods of data collection within commercial inshore, small-scale fisheries.

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The University of St Andrews attaches high priority to the ethical conduct of research. We therefore ask you to consider the following points before signing this form. Your signature confirms that you are willing to participate in this study, however, signing this form does not commit you to anything you do not wish to do and you are free to withdraw your participation at any time.

Please initial box

- I understand the contents of the Participant Information Sheet (marked 'PIS – [3/8/20]_[1.0]_[SIFIDS Early Adopters Trial]')
- I have been given the opportunity to ask questions about the study and have had them answered satisfactorily.
- I understand that my participation is entirely voluntary and that I can withdraw from the study at any time without giving an explanation and with no disbenefit.
- I understand who will have access to my data, how it will be stored, in what form it will be shared, and what will happen to it at the end of the study.
- I understand that I will be able to withdraw my data within the proposed life of the project which will extend from the point that the tracking and App data is transmitted consistently to the server and the end of the project which is expected to be 1st December 2022. If your data is anonymised, we will not be able to withdraw it, because we will not know which data is you I understand that if my data has been anonymised, it cannot be withdrawn.
- I agree to take part in the above study

I confirm that I am willing to take part in this research

	Print name	Date	Signature
Participant			
Person taking consent			