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Revolving Loan Fund (RLF) Pre-Qualification Checklist Form

This checklist helps determine your eligibility to apply for financing through the Alaska Mariculture Cluster's Revolving Loan Fund (RLF). Applicants should review and confirm that they meet the following baseline requirements before proceeding to a full loan application.

Eligibility Checklist

- ☐ Business Plan document completed.
- ☐ Applicant is an Alaska resident or an Alaska-based business entity.
- ☐ Business operates within or serves one or more qualifying regions of Alaska.
- ☐ Business activities are directly related to mariculture (e.g., farming, processing, distribution, etc.).
- ☐ Business employs fewer than 50 people.
- ☐ Applicant holds, or has applied for, a valid Alaska Department of Fish and Game (ADF&G) mariculture permit if required for business operations.
- ☐ Applicant has completed or is enrolled in relevant mariculture or aquaculture technical training if considered by the AMCRLF to be a new business.
- ☐ Applicant is directly involved in the daily business operations that the loan would support (not an investor-only entity).
- ☐ Business is legally established and in good standing (Corporation, LLC, Partnership, Cooperative, or Sole Proprietor).
- ☐ If leasing or operating on land or tidelands, applicant has a valid lease or operating agreement in place if required for business operations.
- ☐ Applicant understands that listing available collateral does not disqualify them from collateral support eligibility.
- ☐ Applicant agrees to work with AMC-approved lending partners.

Certification and Signature

By signing below, I attest that the information provided in this form is true and complete to the best of my knowledge. I understand that this checklist is for preliminary eligibility review only and does not constitute a formal loan application. I agree to submit any and all documentation supporting the above claims that may be required. Completion of this form does not guarantee loan approval or eligibility. I acknowledge that any false or misleading statements may disqualify me from consideration or be subject to penalties under state or federal law.

Signature: _____

Date: _____