Incident Number	Reported by	Date Reported	Division	Observer Program Name	Disposition/Outcome	Alleged Offense/Incident Reported	Status
1300224	Observer	1/12/2013	Southeast	Pelagic Long Line	Case Declined by AUSA	IT WAS ALLEGED NMFS OBSERVER WAS ASSAULTED, THREATENED, VERBALLY HARASSED BY VESSEL OWNER WHILE COMPLETING THE SAFETY INSPECTION	Closed
1301037	Observer Program Staff	3/1/2013	Southeast	Gulf of Mexico Reef Fish	WW Issued	The observer claimed he was required to remain on the deck from 0500 until late at night with the crew member's. When asked if he had been physically assaulted or verbally abused he said he did not think so.	Closed
1302382	Observer Program Staff	5/1/2013	Southeast	Gulf of Mexico Reef Fish	WW Issued	Harassment from crew member- Crew member was making rude comments to observer throughout the day	Closed
1400441	Alaska Enforcement Division	12/1/2013	Southeast	Gulf Of Mexico Reef Fish	Closed per GC- violation unsubstantiated	Harassment- Captain verbally abused observer	Closed
1401681	Observer Program Staff	2/1/2014	Southeast	Gulf Of Mexico Reef Fish	No further action warranted	Harassment- Tense Working Environment. Observer reported that she was not mistreated nor was intimidated or harassed by the captain or crew of the vessel. The interaction between the captain and the crew members made the environment uncomfortable but did not rise to the level of harassment towards observer.	Closed/ Information Only

1500281	Observer	8/1/2014	Southeast	Gulf of Mexico Reef	Closed- No further	Captain passed out from drinking	Closed
1	Program Staff			Fish	action	while underway	
1500283	Observer Program Staff	11/1/2014	Southeast	Gulf of Mexico Reef Fish	Closed- No further action	Interference: OBSERVER STATED THAT HE FELT THE CAPTAIN FAILED TO NOTIFY HIM PRIOR TO HAULBACK AND SETTING OF GEAR THEREFORE INTERFERING WITH HIS JOB AND MAKING THE TRIP DIFFICULT.	Closed
1500253	Observer Program Staff	1/1/2014	Southeast	Gulf of Mexico Reef Fish	Closed- Lack of Evidence	Captain drinking prior to trip departure. Observer did not respond to agent's follow-up; did not provide the names of any of the individuals; did not provide a written statement; and used his discretion to not make the trip. Pending the cooperation of observer for specific information, and based upon the information provided from observer and the NMFS Observer Program, there is insufficient information to move forward at this time.	Closed
1500282	Observer Program Staff	6/1/2014	Southeast	Gulf of Mexico Reef Fish	Closed- Lack of Evidence	Harassment- Using J Hooks	Closed
1500280	Observer Program Staff	6/1/2014	Southeast	Gulf of Mexico Reef Fish	WW Issued	Deckhand watched the observer urinate from the back deck.	Closed
1601168	Observer Program Staff	4/1/2016	Southeast	Gulf of Mexico Reef Fish	Referred to GCES, \$50,000 NOVA Issued	Harassment- Intimidation- Assault	Closed

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