



THE CONTROLLED FISHERIES (LAKE ELLESMERE EEL FISHERY) NOTICE 1978

PURSUANT to section 118 of the Fisheries Act 1908, the Minister of Fisheries hereby gives the following notice.

NOTICE

1. Title and commencement—(1) This notice may be cited as the Controlled Fisheries (Lake Ellesmere Eel Fishery) Notice 1978.

(2) This notice shall come into force on the 1st day of December 1978.

2. Interpretation—(1) In this notice—

“Kaitorete Spit” means,—

(a) Where the Lake Ellesmere outlet is not open to the sea, that spit which extends from the westernmost point of Ohahoa Bay, Banks Peninsula, to the seaward side of the northern bank of the outlet of the Rakaia River:

(b) Where the Lake Ellesmere outlet is open to the sea, that spit lying out from the westernmost point of the said Ohahoa Bay as extended by a line drawn from the seaward side of the spit to the seaward side of the northern bank of the outlet of the Rakaia River:

“Lake Ellesmere eel fishery” means all eel fisheries within the Lake Ellesmere area:

“Lake Ellesmere area” means Lake Ellesmere proper and all rivers and streams flowing into it within an area bounded—

(a) To the north by that part of the main north-south railway line lying between the Templeton Railway Station and that place where the railway line crosses the northern bank of the Rakaia River:

(b) To the south by the seaward side of Kaitorete Spit:

(c) To the west by the northern bank of the Rakaia River extending from the seaward side of the northern bank of the outlet to the main north-south railway line:

(d) To the east by a line drawn between the Templeton Railway Station and the westernmost point of Ohahoa Bay.

(2) Words and expressions in this notice which are defined in the Fisheries Act 1908 have the meanings so defined.

3. Declaration of controlled fishery—The Lake Ellesmere eel fishery is hereby declared to be a controlled fishery for the purposes of Part III of the Fisheries Act 1908.

Dated at Wellington this 31st day of October 1978.

J. B. BOLGER,
Minister of Fisheries.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

This note is not part of the notice, but is intended to indicate its general effect.

This notice declares the Lake Ellesmere eel fishery to be a controlled fishery on and from 1 December 1978. A special licence from the Fisheries Licensing Authority is required to fish in a controlled fishery.

Issued under the authority of the Regulations Act 1936.

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This notice is administered in the Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries.