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**THE FISHERIES EXPERIMENTAL WATERS (LAKE
WAINGATA) REGULATIONS 1968**

ARTHUR PORRITT, Governor-General
ORDER IN COUNCIL

At the Government House at Wellington this 17th day of June 1968

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL

PURSUANT to the Fisheries Act 1908, His Excellency the Governor-General, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, and on the written application of the Hobson Acclimatisation Society, hereby makes the following regulations.

REGULATIONS

1. Title, commencement, and expiration—(1) These regulations may be cited as the Fisheries Experimental Waters (Lake Waingata) Regulations 1968, and shall be read together with and deemed part of the Freshwater Fisheries Regulations 1951*, as modified by the Freshwater Fisheries Regulations (Bay of Islands, Hobson, Mangonui-Whangaroa, and Whangarei) Modification Notice 1968† (hereinafter referred to as the principal regulations).

(2) These regulations shall come into force on the day after the date of their notification in the *Gazette*, and shall expire at the expiration of five years after that date.

2. Lake Waingata declared a fisheries experimental water—Lake Waingata in the Hobson Acclimatisation District is hereby declared to be a fisheries experimental water.

3. Principal regulations to apply as varied—The principal regulations shall apply in Lake Waingata except as varied by these regulations.

4. No fishing without permit—No person shall fish for acclimatised fish in Lake Waingata, unless he is the holder of a written permit issued by the Secretary for Marine, or by the Hobson Acclimatisation Society acting on behalf of the Secretary, and subject to such conditions as are specified in the permit.

*S.R. 1951/15 (Reprinted with Amendments Nos. 1 to 8: S.R. 1964/196)

Amendment No. 9: S.R. 1965/170

Amendment No. 10: S.R. 1966/208

†S.R. 1968/102

5. Conditions of permit—The conditions specified in any such permit may—

- (a) Vary or modify the bag limit, the size limit, and the restrictions or conditions relating to fishing provided by the principal regulations:
- (b) Require the holder of a permit to report to the issuing authority, in such form and within such time as may be specified in the permit, the results of fishing done by the holder of the permit and to return with the report any tags or distinguishing devices attached to any fish when captured.

6. Duration of permit—A permit shall be available for such number of days as are therein specified, and may at any time be revoked as to the unexpired portion thereof by the issuing authority.

7. Permit to be issued only to licence holder—No permit shall be issued to any person who is not the holder of a current licence to take acclimatised fish available in the Hobson Acclimatisation District or part of that district.

8. No fee for permit—No fee shall be charged for any permit issued under these regulations.

9. Revocations—The following regulations are hereby revoked:

- (a) The Fisheries Experimental Waters (Lake Waingata) Regulations 1962*:
- (b) Subclause (2) of regulation 4 of the Freshwater Fisheries Regulations 1951, Amendment No. 8†.

P. J. BROOKS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*S.R. 1962/82
†S.R. 1964/136

EXPLANATORY NOTE

This note is not part of the regulations, but is intended to indicate their general effect.

These regulations declare Lake Waingata to be a fisheries experimental water for a period of five years, and are made under section 91A of the Fisheries Act 1908 (as enacted by section 4 of the Fisheries Amendment Act 1953), which provides that, on the application of the acclimatisation society concerned, a water may be set aside as a fisheries experimental water, and thereupon special conditions may apply, and that the close season may be dispensed with.

These regulations prohibit fishing in the lake except pursuant to a special permit issued by the Secretary for Marine, or by the Hobson Acclimatisation Society acting on behalf of the Secretary, and then only upon the special conditions set out in the permit.

Lake Waingata had previously been declared a fisheries experimental water by the Fisheries Experimental Waters (Lake Waingata) Regulations 1962 (S.R. 1962/82), but those regulations expired on 8 June 1967.

Issued under the authority of the Regulations Act 1936.

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These regulations are administered in the Marine Department.