

THE FRESHWATER FISHERIES REGULATIONS (HAWKE'S **BAY) MODIFICATION NOTICE 1982**

PURSUANT to section 83 (2) (d) of the Fisheries Act 1908, and to regulation 7 of the Freshwater Fisheries Regulations 1951, the Minister of Fisheries hereby gives the following notice.

NOTICE

- 1. Title—This notice may be cited as the Freshwater Fisheries Regulations (Hawke's Bay) Modification Notice 1982.
- 2. Commencement—This notice shall come into force on the day after the date of its notification in the Gazette.
- 3. Application—This notice shall be in force only within the Hawke's Bay Acclimatisation District.
- 4. Modification of regulations—The Freshwater Fisheries Regulations 1951* are hereby modified as follows:

Limit Bag

(a) No person shall on any one day take or kill more than a combined total of 8 trout or salmon:

Size Limit

(b) No person shall take or kill in any manner whatsoever or intentionally have in his possession any trout or salmon that does not exceed 30 cm in length:

Restrictions on Lures and Methods

(c) No person in fishing for acclimatised fish shall—

(i) Use any lure or bait other than natural fly, artificial fly, or artificial minnow:

Provided that nothing in this subparagraph shall apply with respect to any person fishing for perch in Lake Te Pohue, nor restrict the use of live bait in the Manawatu River downstream from the Weber Road Bridge, or in the Rangitikei River:

*S.R. 1951/15 (Reprinted with Amendments Nos 1 to 13: S.R. 1976/191) Amendment No. 14: (Revoked by S.R. 1976/268) Amendment No. 15: S.R. 1976/268

Amendment No. 16: S.R. 1980/110 Amendment No. 17: S.R. 1980/197 Amendment No. 18: S.R. 1981/244

- (ii) Use any lure or bait other than artificial fly in—Cochranes Creek, or the Mangaonuku, Maharakiki, Mangaone, Maraetotara, Makaretu, Mangatoro, or Tukipo Rivers, or any tributary of any such river:
- (iii) Tow or troll any lure from any mechanically propelled or mechanically drawn boat in Lake Tutira:

(iv) Use any multiple hook:

(v) Use a gaff:

Close Season Exceptions

(d) There shall be no close season in the following waters:

(i) Lake Tutira, except Sandy Creek and the Lake outlet

channel:

- (ii) The Tukituki River where it passes through the Tukituki wildlife refuge and between the junction of the Tukipo River and the Mount Herbert Road Extension:
- (iii) The Waipawa River within the boundaries of Waipawa Borough:

(iv) Lake Opowehi:

- (v) The Manawatu River between the Ngawapurua Bridge and the Gorge Bridge:
- (vi) The Ngaruroro River between the Chesterhope Bridge and the Fernhill Bridge:

Open Season Extensions

- (e) There shall be an open season from the 1st day of June to the 30th day of September in the same year (both dates inclusive) in the following waters:
 - (i) The Manawatu River between its confluence with the

Mangatewainui Stream and the Gorge Bridge:

- (ii) The Tukituki River downstream from the State Highway 50 road bridge:
- (iii) The Ngaruroro River downstream from its confluence with the Otamauri Stream:
- (iv) The Tutaekuri River downstream from its confluence with the Mangaone Stream:
- (v) The Waipawa River downstream from State Highway 50 road bridge:
- (vi) The Porangahau River downstream from its confluence with the Mangawhero Stream:

(vii) The Karamu Stream:

- (f) There shall be an open season from the 1st day of May to the 30th day of June in the same year (both dates inclusive) in the Mohaka River downstream from the Pakaututu bridge.
- **5. Revocation**—The Freshwater Fisheries Regulations (Hawke's Bay) Modification Notice 1979* is hereby revoked.

Dated at Wellington this 15th day of September 1982.

DUNCAN MACINTYRE, Minister of Fisheries.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

Except as varied by Modification Notices of local application, the Freshwater Fisheries Regulations 1951 provide, inter alia, that-

- (a) The limit bag, which is the maximum number of trout or salmon that may be taken by 1 person in 1 day computed from midnight to midnight, shall be 50:
- (b) The size limit, which is the minimum size of fish lawfully takeable, measured from tip of nose to tip of tail, shall be 15 cm for trout and salmon. Undersized fish must be released unharmed and are not reckoned in the limit bag:
- (c) Only artificial or natural fly, insect, worm, crustacea, or fish are lawful lures or baits for acclimatised fish. Shellfish (mollusca) and fish roe are illegal. Not more than 2 lures or baits may be used. Artificial flies, which includes feathered lures, must have only 1 hook. In waters restricted to fly, no weight or loaded lure is permitted. Any weight must be affixed above any lure or bait and, with artificial minnow (which includes spoon), at least 38 cm above:
- (d) The duration of the open season for acclimatised fish is from 1 October to 30 April. This notice modifies the provisions of the general regulations and the previous Modification Notice in the Hawke's Bay Acclimatisation District by—

 - (a) Reducing the limit bag from 15 to 8: (b) Adding Cochranes Creek and the Mangaonuku River to the list of rivers on which only artificial fly fishing is permitted:
 - (c) Extending the open season on the Mohaka River and removing any close season from the Karamu Stream:
 - (d) Making 2 name changes.

Issued under the authority of the Regulations Act 1936. Date of notification in Gazette: 30 September 1982.

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