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**THE ROTORUA TROUT FISHING EXPERIMENTAL WATERS  
(LAKE OPOURI) REGULATIONS 1957**

COBHAM, Governor-General

**ORDER IN COUNCIL**

At the Government Buildings at Wellington this 21st day of October  
1957

Present:

THE HON. J. R. MARSHALL PRESIDING 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, hereby makes the following regulations.

**REGULATIONS**

1. (1) These regulations may be cited as the Rotorua Trout Fishing Experimental Waters (Lake Opouri) Regulations 1957, and shall be read together with and deemed part of the Rotorua Trout Fishing Regulations 1951\* (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*.

2. Lake Opouri in the Rotorua Trout Fishing District is hereby declared to be a fisheries experimental water.

3. The principal regulations shall apply in Lake Opouri, except as varied by these regulations.

4. Notwithstanding anything in the principal regulations or in any licence issued thereunder, no person shall fish for trout in Lake Opouri unless he is the holder of a written permit issued for that purpose by the Secretary for Internal Affairs, and subject to such conditions as are specified in the permit.

5. The conditions specified in any such permit may—

- (a) Vary or modify 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.

\*S.R. 1951/36 (Reprinted with Amendments Nos. 1 to 5, S.R. 1955/189)

Amendment No. 6: S.R. 1956/170

Amendment No. 7: S.R. 1957/207

6. A permit shall be valid 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. No fee shall be charged for any permit issued under these regulations.

8. No permit shall be issued to any person who is not the holder of a current whole season licence to fish for trout in the Rotorua Trout Fishing District.

T. J. SHERRARD,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

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EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

These regulations declare Lake Opouri to be a fisheries experimental water, 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 a water may be set aside as a fisheries experimental water, and thereon special conditions shall apply.

These regulations prohibit fishing in Lake Opouri, except pursuant to a special authority issued by the Secretary for Internal Affairs, and then only upon the special conditions set out in the authority.

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Issued under the authority of the Regulations Act 1936.

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These regulations are administered in the Department of Internal Affairs.