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**THE ROTORUA TROUT-FISHING REGULATIONS, 1929,  
AMENDMENT NO. 7.**

Enacting authority : His Excellency the Governor-General in Council.  
Act pursuant to which the regulations were made : The Fisheries Act,  
1908.

Date on which the regulations were made : 8th day of October, 1936.

Date of notification in *Gazette* : 9th day of October, 1936.

REGULATIONS.

1. These regulations may be cited as the Rotorua Trout-fishing Regulations, 1929, Amendment No. 7.

2. These regulations shall be read together with and form part of the Rotorua Trout-fishing Regulations, 1929\* (hereinafter called "the principal regulations").

3. These regulations shall come into force on the 31st day of October, 1936.

4. Regulation 1 of the principal regulations is amended by revoking the definition of "open season" contained therein, and substituting the following definition :—

" "Open season" means the period from the 1st day of November in any year to the 14th day of May in the next following year (both days inclusive)."

5. The principal regulations are amended by inserting next after Regulation 20 thereof the following additional regulation :—

" 20A. Every person taking any trout having affixed thereto a metal tag impressed with the letters 'I.A.' shall forthwith deliver such tag to the Conservator of Fish and Game at Rotorua, or a ranger, together with a statement in writing signed by him setting out—

" (a) The date on which such trout was taken ;

" (b) The place at which it was taken ;

" (c) Its weight in pounds ;

" (d) Its length in inches from nose to tip of tail ; and

" (e) The number marked on the tag."

6. Regulation 22 of the principal regulations is revoked, and the following substituted :—

" 22. A general license to fish for trout and other acclimatized fish in every acclimatization district issued pursuant to the Fresh-water Fisheries Regulations, 1936, shall not entitle the holder to

\* Principal regulations : *Gazette*, 15th October, 1929, Vol. III, page 2636.

Amendment No. 1 : *Gazette*, 24th June, 1930, Vol. II, page 2003.

Amendment No. 2 : *Gazette*, 8th October, 1931, Vol. III, page 2915.

Amendment No. 3 : *Gazette*, 29th September, 1932, Vol. III, page 2070.

Amendment No. 4 : *Gazette*, 12th October, 1933, Vol. III, page 2505.

Amendment No. 5 : *Gazette*, 4th October, 1934, Vol. III, page 3144.

Amendment No. 6 : *Gazette*, 19th September, 1935, Vol. III, page 2668.

fish for trout or other acclimatized fish in the district; and a general license as aforesaid shall not be required to entitle a person holding a license under these regulations to fish for, take, or kill trout in the district to which these regulations relate."

7. Regulation 24 of the principal regulations is amended by revoking the words "midnight and the hour of 4 a.m.", and substituting the following words: "the hours of 11 p.m. and 5 a.m."

8. Regulation 30 of the principal regulations is amended by revoking the word "fifteen" wherever it occurs therein, and substituting the word "twelve".

9. Regulation 32 of the principal regulations is amended by revoking all the words after the word "burial".

10. Clause (1) of Regulation 36 of the principal regulations (as substituted by Regulation 4 of the Rotorua Trout-fishing Regulations, Amendment No. 3) is amended by adding thereto the following paragraph:—

"(iv) Any lead or weight on or in connection with a line."

11. Clause (2) of Regulation 36 of the principal regulations (as substituted by Regulation 4 of the Rotorua Trout-fishing Regulations, Amendment No. 3, and as heretofore amended) is amended by revoking the words "Lake Tarawera", being subparagraph (vi) of paragraph (h) thereof, and by adding thereto the following paragraph:—

"(t) Lake Tarawera and every stream, spring, and river flowing into or from that lake."

12. Regulations 40 and 41 of the principal regulations are revoked, and the following regulation is substituted:—

"40. No person shall cast, throw, or place, or permit to be cast, thrown, or placed, any dead fish or any cleanings, offal, or other parts of fish into or in any water wherein there are trout, or leave any fish or the cleanings, offal, or other parts of fish unburied on the bank or margin of any such water."

13. Regulation 42 of the principal regulations is revoked, and the following substituted:—

"42. (1) Save as provided in clause (2) hereof, no person shall in any part of the district have any trout in his possession during any close season except during the first five days thereof:

"(2) Any license-holder may, during the open season for trout in any place, deposit in any freezing-chamber trout lawfully taken by the license-holder, and the occupier of such chamber may have such trout in his possession until delivered to the license-holder as herein-after provided, and the license-holder may thereafter have such trout in his possession for a reasonable time for purposes of consumption or export thereof.

"(3) Every license-holder placing trout in a freezing-chamber as aforesaid shall forthwith deliver to the Conservator of Fish and Game, Rotorua, a written statement of the following particulars:—

"(i) His full name and postal address:

"(ii) The number of his license:

"(iii) The address and name of the freezing-chamber:

"(iv) The date of deposit of the fish:

"(v) The number of fish deposited:

"(vi) The aggregate weight of fish deposited.

"(4) No license-holder shall deposit trout in freezing-chambers so that he has at any one time more than an aggregate weight of one hundredweight of fish so deposited.

“(5) No manager or person in charge of a freezing-chamber shall deliver any trout received therein under clause (2) hereof except to the license-holder or to his order and except upon the written authority of the Conservator of Fish and Game, Rotorua

“(6) Every manager or person in charge of a freezing-chamber in which trout are received under clause (2) hereof shall keep on the premises a register thereof in the form set out hereunder, and shall allow any ranger, constable, or officer of the Department of Internal Affairs to inspect the register at all reasonable times and to make copies of any entries therein, and shall make on the day of the deposit of any trout appropriate entries in respect thereof in the first five columns of the register and on the day of delivery of any trout an appropriate entry in the sixth column of the register, and shall retain every such register for not less than six months after the making of the last entry therein.

“FREEZING-CHAMBER REGISTER.

Number of Trout.	Weight.	Number of Depositor's License.	Name of License-holder.	Date of Deposit.	Date of Delivery.	Remarks.

14. Regulation 43 of the principal regulations is revoked, and the following substituted :—

“43. No person shall buy, sell, or expose or offer for sale any trout or any part thereof or, for the purpose of obtaining for sale, fish for, take, or kill any trout.”

15. The principal regulations are amended by inserting next after Regulation 50 thereof the following additional regulation :—

“51. Any fish unlawfully taken and the baskets or other receptacles thereof and also all nets, gear, tackle, and other apparatus used in any unlawful fishing, whether found on shore or in any vessel or boat, which articles are by section 84 of the Fisheries Act, 1908, declared to be forfeited, may, pending the conviction of any person on a charge of unlawfully taking such fish or a charge of unlawful fishing, be retained by an officer of the Department of Internal Affairs, and upon dismissal of such charge shall be returned to the person last in possession of such articles, and upon conviction of such person on such charge as aforesaid shall be disposed of by delivery to the Under-Secretary or his appointee.”

16. The Second Schedule to the principal regulations is hereby amended by revoking Note (2) therein.