

Serial Number **75/1936.**



THE TROUT-FISHING (WELLINGTON) REGULATIONS, 1936.

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 : 30th day of November, 1936.

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REGULATIONS.

PRELIMINARY.

1. These regulations may be cited as the Trout-fishing (Wellington) Regulations, 1936.

2. These regulations shall be read together with the Fresh-water Fisheries Regulations, 1936.*

3. These regulations shall come into force on the 18th day of November, 1936.

4. In these regulations "the said district" means the Wellington Acclimatization District.

5. The respective regulations referred to in the Schedule hereto are revoked.

LOCAL RESTRICTIONS.

6. (a) No person shall fish for trout, perch, tench, or other acclimatized fish with any live or natural lure or bait in any waters in the said district except the waters named in clause (b) of this regulation.

(b) The waters referred to in clause (a) of this regulation are the following :—

- (1) The Otaki River, below the railway-bridge :
- (2) The Waikanae River, below Buchanan's house :
- (3) The Mangahao River, below the lower dam :
- (4) The Ohau River, below Tantrum's house :
- (5) Lake Horowhenua :
- (6) The Manawatu River, below the Ngawapurua Bridge :
- (7) The Oroua River, between the Awahuri Bridge and its junction with the Manawatu River :
- (8) The Rangitikei River :
- (9) The Turakina River :

* Statutory Regulations, 1936-7, Serial number 36/1936, page 119.

- (10) The Wangaehu River :
- (11) The Hutt River, below the entrance of Belmont Creek :
- (12) The Pahaoa River :
- (13) Lake Wairarapa :
- (14) The Tauherenikau River, below the Main North Road Bridge :
- (15) The Haungaroa River :
- (16) The Waiohine River :
- (17) The Taueru River :
- (18) The Waingawa River, below the entrance of the Mangaterera Stream :
- (19) The Ruamahanga River, below the Te Ore Ore Road Bridge :
- (20) The Tiraumea River :
- (21) That part of the Makakihī River that lies within the County of Pahiatua.

7. No person shall fish for trout, perch, tench, or other acclimatized fish with any lure or bait other than artificial baits or bully in the Hutt River from its source to its junction with Belmont Creek.

8. No person shall fish for trout, perch, tench, or other acclimatized fish with any lure or bait other than artificial fly in the Kourarau Dam.

9. (a) No person shall, in fishing for trout, perch, tench, or other acclimatized fish with worm bait, use any sinker or weight exceeding the weight of half an ounce except in fishing for perch in the waters named in clause (b) of this regulation.

(b) The waters referred to in clause (a) of this regulation are the following :—

- (1) The Tauherenikau River, below the Featherston - Martinborough Road Bridge :
- (2) The Ruamahanga River, below the Kahutara Road Bridge :
- (3) Lake Wairarapa and the lagoons adjacent thereto.

10. No person shall in any one day take or kill more than twelve trout and no person shall continue to fish for trout on any day in which he has already taken or killed twelve trout :

Provided that the number hereby specified shall be exclusive of any fish taken and dealt with pursuant to Regulation 12 hereof or Regulation 49 of the Fresh-water Fisheries Regulations, 1936.

11. No person shall fish for, take, or kill in any manner whatever or intentionally have in his possession any trout which does not exceed 10 in. in length from tip of nose to tip of tail :

Provided that this regulation shall not apply to any person fishing for trout in the Kaiwarra Stream and the Korokoro Stream or to any person having in his possession a trout caught in one of those streams which exceeds the length of 9 in. from tip of nose to tip of tail specified in Regulations 48 and 49 of the Fresh-water Fisheries Regulations, 1936.

12. Every person taking elsewhere than in the Kaiwarra Stream or the Korokoro Stream a trout which does not exceed 10 in. in length from tip of nose to tip of tail shall immediately return it alive with as little injury as possible into the water from which it was taken.

PENALTY.

13. Any person committing a breach of these regulations shall be liable to a fine of not less than £2 or more than £50.

SCHEDULE.

REGULATIONS REVOKED.

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