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STATE OF WISCONSIN)
DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES) ss

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME, GREETINGS:

I, L. P. Voigt, Secretary of the Department of Natural Resources and custodian of the official records of said Department, do hereby certify that the annexed copy of Natural Resources Board Order No. F-68-74 was duly approved and adopted by this Department on November 21, 1974. I further certify that said copy has been compared by me with the original on file in this Department and that the same is a true copy thereof, and of the whole of such original.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the official seal of the Department at Pyare Square Building in the Village of Shorewood Hills, this 23rd day of May, 1975.

L. P. Voigt
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(SEAL)

STATE OF WISCONSIN NATURAL RESOURCES BOARD

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IN THE MATTER OF amending Chapter NR 25.14 (1) .
of the Wisconsin Administrative Code pertaining .
to permits for fishing gear in outlying waters .
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Order No. F-68-74

ORDER OF THE STATE OF WISCONSIN NATURAL RESOURCES BOARD

AMENDING RULES

Pursuant to the authority vested in the State of Wisconsin Natural Resources Board by sections 29.085, 29.174 and Chapter 227, Wis. Stats., the State of Wisconsin Natural Resources Board hereby amends rules as follows:

SECTION 1. Chapter NR 25.14 (1) of the Wisconsin Administrative Code is amended to read:

NR 25.14 SETTING OF NETS BY DEPARTMENT: ISSUANCE OF PERMITS. (1) Nothing in this chapter shall prohibit the department or its agents from the setting or operating of nets or authorizing by permit the setting or operating of nets for the purpose of obtaining spawn for any state fish propagation project or program and for the purpose of scientific investigations and in aid of the fishing industry in the outlying waters. All illegal fish taken under permit shall be tagged and turned over to the department or its agents as specified in section NR 25.05.

(a) Permits are required for the use of:

1. all gill nets over 2-3/4 inch stretch measure;
2. all gill nets between 2-1/2 and 2-3/4 inch stretch measure set inside 20 fathoms of water in northern Green Bay and Lake Michigan;
3. all trawls;
4. all submarine trap nets set in Lake Superior and Door county waters;
5. fishing during restricted hours;

- 6. all fyke nets and seines fished during the closed season;
- 7. all types of fishing gear used in reserve waters;
- 8. gill nets with a mesh size between 2-3/8 inch and 2-3/4 inch fished in less than 40 fathoms of water in Lake Superior, except float nets fished pursuant to NR 25.08 (1) (n); and
 - 9. drop or fyke nets fished in waters of Lake Superior.
 - (b) all applications for permits must be in writing.
 - (c) provisions of permit:
 - 1. all persons fishing under a permit must comply with all provisions of this chapter;
 - 2. all permits issued must be on board the fishing vessel when fishing in open water and in possession of the permittee when fishing under the ice;
 - 3. all permits must contain the dates when the permit is valid and a description of the waters which may be fished;
 - 4. permits will be issued for a specified size and amount of fishing gear;
 - 5. permits will specify the number of nights the fishing gear will be fished; and
 - 6. permits may specify the procedures for the disposition of illegal fish in a manner pursuant to section 29.06, Wis. Stats.

The foregoing rules were approved and adopted by the State of Wisconsin Natural Resources Board on November 21, 1974.

The rules contained herein shall take effect upon publication.

Dated at Madison, Wisconsin May 15, 1975.

STATE OF WISCONSIN DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

(SEAL)

By *L. P. Voigt*
L. P. Voigt, Secretary

APPROVED:

Patrick J. Lucey
Patrick J. Lucey, Governor 5/17/75
Date