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**CHAPTER 55.**

AN ACT to amend paragraph (a) of subsection (7) of section 29.33 of the statutes relating to prohibited nets.

*The people of the State of Wisconsin, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:*

SECTION 1. Paragraph (a) of subsection (7) of section 29.33 of the statutes is amended to read: (29.33) (7) (a) In Green Bay nets with a mesh not less than four inches may be used for the taking of lake trout and whitefish. Gill nets with a mesh not less than two and three-eighths \* \* \* inches may be used for taking herring, chub, bluefin, or perch. Seines with a mesh of not less than three inches, and pound nets with a mesh of not more than two inches in the pound may be used. No nets of any kind shall be set for the purpose of catching any variety of fish during the close season for such fish. During the period from December 1 until the ice goes out gill nets with a mesh of two and one-eighth inches may be used under the ice for the purpose of catching herring, and all such nets so used shall be hung to the ice. \* \* \* The provisions of legal mesh herein stipulated shall be in full force and effect on and after January 1, 1925.

\* \* \* All fish caught in nets whose use is permitted by this paragraph shall be deemed lawfully caught and possessed, except that no fish of any of the following varieties caught in seines, fyke or pound nets shall be retained, sold or transported of a length less than that specified for each variety, and such measurement of length shall be taken in a straight line from the tip of the nose to the utmost end of the tail fin, except that the measurement of dressed fish shall be the length of the carcass, namely:

Lake trout .....	12 inches
Whitefish .....	13 inches
Suckers .....	12 inches
Buffalo .....	18 inches
Suckers with head and tail off.....	9 inches
Perch .....	7 inches
Perch with head and tail off.....	4 inches
Pike .....	13 inches
Pike with head and tail off.....	10 inches
Pickrel .....	16 inches

Pickereel with head and tail off.....	11 inches
Catfish .....	20 inches
Catfish with head off.....	17 inches
Any other variety.....	8 inches

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon passage and publication.

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## CHAPTER 56.

AN ACT to repeal subsection (4) and to amend subsection (3) of section 29.33, of the statutes, relating to net and set hook fishing in outlying waters.

*The people of the State of Wisconsin, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:*

SECTION 1. Subsection (4) of section 29.33 of the statutes is repealed.

SECTION 2. Subsection (3) of section 29.33 of the statutes is amended to read: (29.33) (3) Each such license shall be effective only from the first day of January until the thirty-first day of December of the same year; and the fee for each license issued to any resident of this state is \* \* \* *one dollar for each two thousand lineal feet or fraction thereof of a gill net or nets, or for set hooks; five dollars for each seine; two dollars for each pound net and leader; \* \* \* fifty cents for each trap net or nets, fyke net or nets, drop net or nets, with leaders; and one dollar for each trammel net \* \* \* .* The fee for each license issued to any nonresident is the same as the resident fee, except for gill nets operated in conjunction with or from any vessel; and for gill nets so operated, two dollars for any vessel propelled by oars, paddle, or pole, fifty dollars for any other vessel propelled otherwise than by steam, one hundred dollars for any steam vessel without a steam lifter, and two hundred dollars for any steam vessel with a steam lifter.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect January 1, 1926.

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