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State of Wisconsin \ DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

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STATE OF WISCONSIN SS DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME, GREETINGS:

I, Anthony S. Earl, 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. G-83-76 was duly approved and adopted by this Department on August 19, 1976. 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 29th day of November, 1976.

(SEAL)

IN THE MATTER of repealing section NR 11.28(12)(a); renumbering NR 11.27(1)(a) and (b); renumbering and amending NR 11.06(6)(a); amending NR 10.01(3)(e)8., NR 10.12(2)(a), (c), (d) and (e), NR 10.15(6)(a), NR 11.14(1), NR 11.26(1)(a), NR 11.27(1)(c), NR 11.27(15), NR 11.27(17)(a), and NR 15.02 (intro. para.); repealing and recreating NR 10.01(1) and NR 10.01(3)(e)6.; and creating NR 11.17(1)(a), NR 11.21, NR 11.27(15)(b), NR 11.28(8)(a), NR 11.28 (9)(a), NR 15.02(77)(a) and (78)(a) and (b), NR 15.03(1)(a), and NR 19.21(1) and (2) of the Wisconsin Administrative Code pertaining to hunting regulations

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ORDER OF THE STATE OF WISCONSIN NATURAL RESOURCES BOARD

REPEALING, RENUMBERING, AMENDING, REPEALING AND RECREATING AND CREATING RULES

Pursuant to the authority vested in the State of Wisconsin Natural Resources Board by sections 23.09, 29.085 and 29.174 and chapter 227, Wisconsin Statutes, the State of Wisconsin Natural Resources Board hereby repeals, renumbers, amends, repeals and recreates and creates rules as follows:

SECTION 1 - NR 10.01 (1) is repealed and recreated to read:

Kind of animal	Locality	Open season (both dates inclusive)	Daily bag limit	Possession limit
(a) Canvasback and redhead ducks	The following lakes including a strip of land 100 yards wide adjacent to the shorelines thereof: Lakes Winneconne and Butte des Morts in Winnebago county including the connecting waters thereof, Lake Poygan in Winnebago and Waushard counties, and all that part of the state lying west	-	None	None

Kind of animal	Locality	Open season (both dates inclusive)	Daily bag limit	Possession limit
	of the Burling- ton Northern railway and ex- tending souther from Prescott in Pierce county to the Wisconsin- Illinois line (Mississippi riv	ה ס		
(b) 1. All species of wild duck	Entire state, except for canvasback and redhead ducks as provided in (a).	October 1 at 12:00 noon through October 10, and October 16 through November 24	The daily bag limit is reached when the point value of the last bird taken plus the total value of birds already taken during that day equals or exceeds 100 points.	The posses- sion limit is the maxi- mum number of species and sex whic could have legally been taken in 2 days.

Point Values

100 points, canvasback, redhead, black duck and hen mallard.

70 points, wood duck, hooded merganser and drake mallard.

25 points, ringneck, ruddy duck, goldeneye, bufflehead, wigeon and all other ducks not otherwise listed.

15 points, pintail, blue-wing teal, green-wing teal, gadwall, shoveler, scaups and other mergansers. October 1 at 12:00 noon through October 10.

Kind of animal	Locality	Open season (both dates inclusive)	Daily bag limit	Possession limit
Point Values 100 points, canvas-back, redhead and black duck.		October 16 through November 24.		
70 points, hen mallard, wood duck and hooded merganser	· .			
25 points, drake mallard, ringneck, ruddy duck, goldeneye, bufflehead, wigeon and all other ducks not otherwise listed.				
15 points, pintail, blue-wing teal, gree wing teal, gadwall, shoveler, scaups and other mergansers.			•• •	
2. Scaup (special season).	Lake Michigan, Shawano lake, lake Pepin, the waters of the Mississippi river in Grant county, that part of the state north of hwy. 64; and beyond 500 feet from the shoreline in the waters of Green Bay, lake Supericand lake Winnebag	or	5	10
(c) Coot	Entire state	October 1 at 12:00 noon through October 10, and October 16 through November 24	15	30

Kind of animal	Locality	Open season (both dates inclusive)	Daily bag limit	Possession limit
(d) Sora and Virginia rails	Entire state.	October 1 at 12:00 noon through October 10, and October 16 through November 24.	25	25
Gallinules	Entire state.	October 1 at 12:00 noon through October 10, and October 16 through November 24.	15	30
(e) Wilson's snipe.	Entire state.	October 1 at 12:00 noon through December 10.	8	16
(f) Woodcock	Entire state.	Beginning on the Saturday nearest September 15 and continuing for 65 consecutive days.	5	10
(g) Geese 1. Canada geese and its subspecies	Horicon zone as established	October 30 through November 24.	1	1 (season 1imit)
	Burnett county zone as estab- lished under (1)	None .		
	Brown county as established under (m).	October 1 at 12:00 noon through October 10, and October 16 through November 24.	. 1	2
	New Auburn zone as established under (n).	None		

Kind of animal	Locality	Open season (both dates inclusive)	Daily bag limit	Possession limit
	Rock Prairie zone as estab- lished under (o).	October 1 at 12:00 noon through October 10, and October 16 through October 31.	1	2
	Remainder of the state.	October 1 at 12:00 noon through October 10, and October 16 through November 24.		2
2. All other species	Entire state.	October 1 at 12:00 noon through October 10, and October 16 through November 24.	A total of 5, including not more than 1 Canada goose or its subspecies and 1 white-fronted goose, or 2 white-fronted geese.	A total of 5, including not more than 2 Canada geese or its subspecies (only 1 in the Horicon zone) or 1 Canada goose and 1 white-fronted or 2 white-fronted geese.

- (h) The daily bag limit on Canada geese statewide is not more than that permitted in any one zone within the state and no person may possess or transport more than the daily bag limit or aggregate daily limit, whichever applies, or migratory game birds, tagged or not tagged, at or between the place where taken and either the person's personal abode or temporary or transient place of lodging; or a commercial preservation facility.
- (i) The following described area is established as the Horicon intensive management zone:

All that part of the counties of Dodge and Fond du Lac enclosed by a line beginning at the junction of state highway 26, with the east-west center line of sections 9, 10, 11 and 12 in township 12 north, range 15 east, thence eastward along said center line and continuing eastward along the east-west center of

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sections 7, 8, 9 and 10 in township 12 north, range 16 east to its junction with county highway TW, thence north and east on said highway TW to its junction with county highway Y, thence northerly on said highway YY to its junction with county highway YY, thence northerly on said highway YY to its junction with county highway Y, thence northerly on said highway Y to its junction with county highway B, thence southwesterly on said highway B to its junction with county highway D, thence westerly on said highway D to its junction with highway AS, thence westerly on said highway AS to its junction with U.S. highway 151, thence southwesterly on said highway 151 to its junction with the C.M.St.P. and Pacific railroad, thence southerly along said C.M.St.P. and Pacific railroad to its junction with state highway 26, thence north on said highway 26 to its junction with the east-west centerline of sections 9, 10, 11 and 12 in township 12 north, range 15 east, which is the point of beginning.

(j) The following described area is established as the Horicon zone:

The Horicon zone is bounded on the east by U.S. highway 45 from Oshkosh to Fond du Lac, and then state highway 175 to Addison; on the south by state highway 33 from Addison to Beaver Dam and then U.S. highway 151 to Columbus; on the west by state highway 73 from Columbus to its intersection with state highway 23 east of Princeton; on the north by state highway 23 from the intersection with state highway 73 to Ripon, then state highway 44 to Oshkosh.

- (k) Horicon zone Canada goose hunting permit and tag:
- 1. It is unlawful to hunt Canada geese in the Horicon zone without being in possession of a special combined goose hunting permit, metal goose tag and report card and valid state hunting license.

Each person desiring to hunt Canada geese in the Horicon zone shall apply for a special combined goose hunting permit, metal tag and report card. Only holders of the current valid hunting license may apply. Application forms G-83-76 7.

supplied by the department shall be completed and submitted to the department of natural resources by September 20 of each year. It shall be unlawful for any person to submit more than one application per year or an application containing false information. Applications will be available at most department stations and county clerks' offices.

- 2. If two or more persons wish to hunt together in the Horicon zone, each must fill out an application form and submit them together in one envelope clearly marked "group application" on the outside. Group applications will be considered in the selection as one application.
- 3. Random selection shall be used to determine successful applicants. Preference for permits shall be given to unsuccessful applicants from the previous year who did not receive a permit.

Unsuccessful applications shall be marked and returned to the applicant. The following year, the applicant shall send a new application, along with the previous year's marked application, and in that manner establish eligibility for preference.

Preference in 1976 shall be established by requiring the applicant to answer questions on the application which will indicate whether the applicant received a permit in 1975 and whether the applicant applied unsuccessfully for a permit in 1975.

4. To be valid, the permit, tag and report card shall remain attached together until a Canada goose is killed. When a Canada goose is killed and before it is carried by hand or transported in any manner, the metal tag with the permit remaining attached shall be locked through the nostrils of the goose. The permit shall then be validated by tearing or cutting out notches designating the month, day and time of kill. Failure to follow the validation procedure in this manner invalidates the permit. Any permit, tag and report card which is detached prior to the kill is an invalid permit.

The permit and tag shall remain attached to the Canada goose until it reaches the abode of the permit holder. The Canada goose shall be transported in a motor vehicle in such a manner that the permit and tag attached to the goose cannot be handled or manipulated by any occupant of the vehicle. The permit, tag and report card are not transferable or replaceable and shall not be reused.

- 5. Each person hunting in the Horicon zone shall report tag use or nonuse on the report card provided within 12 hours after a Canada goose is killed or the close of the period, whichever occurs first.
- 6. In the Horicon zone, the hunting period and number of valid permits and tags will be as follows:

Hunting Period	Number of Permits and Tags Issued
October 30 - November 24	33,000

(1) The following described area is established as the Burnett county zone:

All that part of Burnett county lying westerly of a line beginning at the junction of state highway 87 with the south boundary of said county, thence northerly along said highway to its junction with state highway 48, thence northerly along said highway to its junction with county highway 70, thence easterly along said highway to its junction with county highway N, thence northerly along said highway to its junction with county highway D, thence northerly along said highway and continuing northerly along a town road to the south line of section 16, township 39 north, range 17 west, town of Lincoln, thence westerly along a town road to the southwest corner of said section 16, thence northerly along a town road on the west line of said section 16 and continuing northerly along the west line of section 9, township 39 north, range 17 west to the west bank of the Clam river, thence westerly along the west bank of said river to its intersection with the west boundary of said county.

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(m) The following described area is established as the Brown county zone:
All that part of Brown county lying north of state highway 29.

- (n) The following described area is established as the New Auburn zone:

 All those parts of Chippewa, Barron and Rusk counties enclosed by a line beginning at the intersection of state highway 40 and state highway 64 in Chippewa county, thence westerly on said highway 64 to its intersection with U.S. highway 53, thence northerly on said highway 53 to its intersection with county highway D in Barron county, thence easterly on said highway D to its intersection with state highway 40 in Rusk county, thence southerly on said highway 40 to the point of beginning.
- (o) The following described area is established as the Rock Prairie zone: All those parts of Rock and Walworth counties enclosed by a line beginning at the intersection of interstate 90 and the Illinois state line in Rock county, thence northerly on said interstate 90 to its intersection with county highway A, thence easterly on said highway A to the intersection with U.S. highway 12, thence southerly on said highway 12 to its intersection with state highway 50, thence southwesterly on said highway 50 to its intersection with state highway 120, thence southerly on said highway 120 to its intersection with the Illinois state line, thence westerly to the point of beginning.
- (p) No person shall hunt migratory waterfowl, coot, rails or gallinules in open water except as provided in NR 10.12(2)(b), Wis. Adm. Code, in the waters of the Mississippi river lying westerly of the Burlington Northern railway wherein it borders on Vernon county during the period beginning October 15 and continuing through the end of the duck season.

SECTION 2 - NR 10.01 (3) (e) 6. is repealed and recreated to read:

	Open season (both	
Kind of animal and locality	dates inclusive)	Bag limit

- 6. Zone "F"
- a. Governor Dodge state park in Iowa county except areas posted as closed to hunting.

Firearm season

Beginning on the Saturday immediately preceding the Thanksgiving holiday and continuing for 9 consecutive days.

One deer per season, either sex, taken under the authority of a valid Variable quota permit for management unit 70C (Governor Dodge).

b. Perrot state park in Trempealeau county except areas posted as closed to hunting.

Shotgun season

Beginning on the Saturday immediately preceding the Thanksgiving holiday and continuing for 9 consecutive days.

One deer per season, either sex, taken under the authority of a valid variable quota permit for management unit 61A (Perrot).

SECTION 3 - NR 10.01 (3) (e) 8. is amended to read:

8. Deer quotas for 1976 deer season. The department will issue party permits in sufficient numbers to assure the harvest of the number of deer for each quota area indicated in the following table. Quota areas are composed of single management units or parts of units, the boundaries of which are established in Wis. Adm. Code section NR 10.24. The number of party permits to be issued to harvest the indicated number of deer is determined by an average of the hunter success rates from the most recent 3 previous season with party permits in each quota area or by an average of fewer season where a 3-year average is not available. In estab-

lishing a quota for an area without a prior history of party permits, the average success rates of adjacent quota areas are applied. Party permit success rates used to compute the number of permits to be issued for each management unit are those published by the department in annual deer season reports.

	1976		1976
Management	Deer	Management	Deer
Unit	Ouotas	Unit	Ouotas
			Quotas
1	250	51	750
2	250	52	200
3	250	53	1,500
4	350	54A	1,300
5	200	54B	650
6	300	55	2,600
7	150	56	1,400
8	450	57A	400
9	450	57B	300
10	400	57C	300
11	550	58	450
12	150	59A	100
13	100	59C	2,000
14	350	61A Perrot state park	30
15	700	62A	1,100
16	500	62B	2,000
17	200	63A	2,000
18	300	63B	400
19	300	64	950
20	400	65	1,200
21	150	66	1,100
22	150	67	2,800
23	250	68 except Columbia and	2,000
24	100	Washington counties	650
25	550	69A except Washington county.	550
26	300	-	
	100	70A	2,400 900
••	200		900
**	300	70C Governor Dodge state park	1 50
30			1.50
31	200	70E	900
32	700	71 except Crawford county	1,200
33	100	72	650
35	200	75 Iowa county portion	
36	300	only	175
37	300	76 Dodge county portion	
42	500	only	100
45	100	80	400
46	500	81	<u>150</u>
47	200		
49	500	74 units	44,055

SECTION 4 - NR 10.12 (2) (a), (c), (d) and (e) are amended to read:

- (2) Open Water: Exceptions. (a) "Open water" is any water beyond a natural growth of vegetation rooted to the bottom and extending over the water surface.

 Dead stumps and dead trees in water do not constitute a natural growth of vegetation.
- (c) It shall be lawful for any person to hunt wild ducks, wild geese and other aquatic fowl during the open season thereof in open water in any of the outlying waters of Lake Superior and Lake Michigan including Green Bay under the jurisdiction of the state of Wisconsin except the water area within 500 feet of any shoreline of said lakes and except the water area within 500 feet of any natural growth of vegetation rooted to the bottom and extending over the water surface.
- (d) Blinds in Calumet, Fond du Lac and Winnebago counties. In any of the waters of Lake Winnebago wherein they border Calumet, Fond du Lac and Winnebago counties it shall be lawful for any person to use blinds that are set, placed or located more than 500 feet from any shoreline, including islands for the purpose of taking, catching, killing and shooting at wild ducks, wild geese or other aquatic fowl. Such blinds may include any boat, canoe, raft or similar device which shall in all instances be securely anchored to the place or spot where they are to be used, and shall be removed from such location at the conclusion of the hunting hours each day.
- (e) Blinds in Grant county and Lake Pepin. In any waters of the Mississippi river, wherein they border Grant county and in Pepin, Pierce and Buffalo counties wherein they border Lake Pepin, it shall be lawful for any person to use blinds that are set, placed or located beyond a natural growth of vegetation rooted to the bottom and extending over the water surface for the purpose of taking, catching, killing and shooting at wild ducks, wild geese or other aquatic fowl.

Such blinds may include any boat, canoe, raft, or similar device which shall in all instances be securely anchored to the place or spot they are to be used, and shall be removed from such location at the conclusion of the hunting hours each day.

SECTION 5 - NR 10.15 (6) (a) is amended to read:

- (a) With the written approval of the department, an open season may be declared for trapping muskrat, mink and raccoon and for hunting upland game birds and animals within the Horicon national wildlife refuge. If permits are required they shall be issued by the U.S. fish and wildlife service, and shall be subject to all other rules covering hunting and trapping set forth in this chapter, except that the use of wet or dry sets, the number of traps, and the trapping of muskrats in or on muskrat houses or feeder houses, may be authorized by such permit.
- SECTION 6 NR 11.06 (6) (a) is renumbered and amended to read:
- NR 11.28 (14) Waukesha county. (a) Vernon Marsh wildlife area Township 5 north, range 18 east, town of Mukwonago
- Section 13 That portion of the NW¼ and the SW½ west of an existing dike and connecting access road and a strip 100 feet wide, parallel and east of said dike and access road; except the NWNW and the N½ NW SWNW.
- Section 14 The SE $\frac{1}{4}$ and E $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$; except a 2.6-acre and 21.08-acre parcel in the SE corner of said E $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$.
- Section 23 The E_2^1 SE $_2^1$ west of the Soo Line railroad right of way except the south 1,250 feet. The E_2^1 NE $_2^1$, NWNE, the south 400 feet of the NENW, and a 4-rod strip along the south line of the NWNW east of STH 83.
- Section 24 That portion of said section lying west of the Soo Line railroad right of way and west of the Fox river.

SECTION 7 - NR 11.14 (1) is amended to read:

(1) Dodge county. (a) Horicon Marsh state closed area.

Township 12 north, range 16 east, town of Williamstown

All state-owned lands lying south of a line which is parallel to and 300 feet south of the east-west centerline of sections 29 and 30 and east of the main ditch, said lands being situated in sections 29, 30, 31 and 32.

SECTION 8 - NR 11.17 (1) (a) is created to read:

(1) Juneau county. (a) Wisconsin river.

Township 16 north, range 4 east

All that part lying south of the Castle Rock dam and east of county highway HH Township 16 north, range 5 east

All that part east of county highway HH

Township 15 north, range 5 east

All that part east of county highway HH

Township 14 north, range 5 east

All that part east of county highway HH southward to the junction with county highway N; all that part lying north and east of county highway N southeasterly from said junction.

Township 14 north, range 6 east

All that part east of county highway N and north of the Sauk county line

SECTION 9 - NR 11.21 is created to read:

NR 11.21 A closed season is eatablished in the following described area and it is unlawful for any person to hunt, in any manner, sharp-tailed grouse on state-owned lands so posted with department signs;

- (1) Burnett county. (a) Crex Meadows.
- 1. Township 38 north, range 18 west, town of Wood River.
- Section 5 All lands lying north of Phantom Lake trail
- Section 6 All lands lying north of Phantom Lake trail
 - 2. Township 38 north, range 19 west, town of Grantsburg
- Section 1 All lands lying north of Whiskey Creek Dike road
- Section 2 All lands lying east of county highway F
- Section 11 NE
- Section 12 All lands lying north of Whiskey Creek Dike road
 - 3. Township 39 north, range 17 west, town of Lincoln
- Section 18 The fractional NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ and that portion of the S $\frac{1}{2}$ S $\frac{1}{2}$ lying west of Lincoln School road
- Section 19 All lands lying west of Lincoln School road
 - 4. Township 39 north, range 18 west, town of West Marshland
- Section 2 All lands lying west of Reed Lake road
- Section 3 All lands lying south of Reed Lake road
- Section 4 All lands lying south of Reed Lake road
- Section 5 All lands lying south of county highway F
- Section 6 All lands lying south of county highway F
- Section 7 Entire section
- Section 8 Entire section
- Section 9 Entire section
- Section 10 Entire section
- Section 11 Entire section except the E2 NE4 and N2 NE4 SE4
- Section 12 All lands lying south of Main Dike road
- Section 13 Entire section
- Section 14 Entire section
- Section 15 Entire section

Section 16 - Entire section

Section 17 - Entire section

Section 18 - Entire section

Section 19 - Entire section

Section 20 - Entire section

Section 21 - Entire section

Section 22 - Entire section

Section 23 - Entire section

Section 24 - Entire section

Section 25 - All lands lying north and west of North Fork Dike road except the NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$

Section 26 - All lands lying north of North Fork Dike road except the NE $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{2}$ and the N $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{2}$

Section 27 - All lands lying north of North Fork Dike road except the SW4 SE4

Section 28 - Entire section

Section 29 - Entire section

Section 30 - Entire section

Section 31 - Entire section

Section 32 - All lands lying north of Phantom Lake trail

Section 33 - All lands lying north and west of East Refuge road

5. Township 39 north, range 19 west, town of West Marshland

Section 12 - All lands lying east of Buggert Lake road except the SW NE 1

Section 13 - Entire section except the W1 NW1

Section 14 - SEX

Section 23 - All lands lying east of county highway F

Section 24 - Entire section

Section 25 - Entire section

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Section 26 - All lands lying east of county highway F

Section 35 - All lands lying east of county highway F

Section 36 - Entire section

6. Township 40 north, range 18 west, town of West Marshland

Section 34 - All lands lying south of Reed Lake road

Section 35 - All lands lying south and west of Reed Lake road

SECTION 10 - NR 11.26 (1) (a) is amended to read:

NR 11.26 (1) Dodge county. (a) Horicon Marsh state-owned land
Township 12 north, range 16 east, town of Williamstown

All state-owned land lying 300 feet south of the east-west center line of sections 7 and 8 and that part of section 9 lying 300 feet south of the west

2,035 feet of the east-west center line.

All state-owned land lying 300 feet south of the east-west center line of sections 29 and 30 and east of the main ditch.

Township 12 north, range 15 east, town of Burnett

All state-owned lands lying 300 feet south of the east-west center line of sections 11 and 12.

SECTION 11 - NR 11.27 (1) (a) and (b) are renumbered NR 11.28 (7) (a) and (b).

SECTION 12 - NR 11.27 (1) (c) is amended to read:

(c) Theresa Marsh wildlife area

Township 12 north, range 17 east, town of Theresa

Section 2 - That portion lying east of the Soo Line railroad right of way; except for the east 660 feet and the south 300 feet Township 13 north, range 17 east, town of Lomira

Section 35 - That portion lying south and west of U.S. highway 41 south of Soo road, and east of the Soo Line railroad right of way

Section 36 - That portion lying south and west of U.S. highway 41

SECTION 13 - NR 11.27 (15) is amended to read:

(15) Douglas county (a) Douglas county hospital fields Township 48 north, range 13 west, town of Parkland Section 16 - All that part of the N_2^1 lying west of the C&NW railroad right of way

SECTION 14 - NR 11.27 (15) (b) is created to read:

(b) Brule river red clay waterfowl area.

Township 49 north, range 10 west, town of Cloverland

Section 34 - W½ NW¼; NW¼ SW¼

SECTION 15 - NR 11.27 (17) (a) is amended to read:

(17) Washington county. (a) Theresa Marsh wildlife area Township 12 north, range 18 east, town of Wayne

Section 17 - That portion lying north and east of the Rock river and south and west of U.S. highway 41.

Section 18 - That portion of the SE1/4 lying north of the Rock river

Section 20 - That portion of the N_2^1 lying east of the Rock river and west of U.S. highway 41.

SECTION 16 - NR 11.28 (8) (a) is created to read:

(8) Jefferson county. (a) Princess Point wildlife area

Township 5 north, range 15 east, town of Cold Spring

Commencing at the southwest corner of section 14, thence north 155 feet more or 1ess, thence easterly 880 feet more or 1ess to the point of beginning, thence

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easterly along the dike 4,000 feet more or less, thence northerly along the dike 2,365 feet more or less, thence westerly along the dike 4,400 feet more or less, thence southerly along the dike 1,760 feet more or less, thence southeast along the dike 880 feet more or less to the point of beginning.

SECTION 17 - NR 11.28 (9) (a) is created to read:

- (9) Marquette county. (a) Germania wildlife area
- 1. Township 17 north, range 10 east, town of Crystal Lake Section 35 E $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, E $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$

Section 36 - SW4 NW4, W2 SW4, W2 SE4 NW4, W2 E2 SW4

2. Township 16 north, range 10 east, town of Shields

Section 1 - The north 30 acres of the fractional SW_4^1 SW_4^1 ; also, commencing at a stake and stones at section corner of sections 1 and 2, and sections 35 and 36, running thence east on town line 80 rods, thence south 33 rods to a stake and stones, thence north 72° 30' west to a stake and stones to the place of beginning and being a part of the W_2^1 W_2^1 , section 1.

Also a parcel of land described as follows: Commencing at a stake and stones, said stake and stones are 116 rods and 13 links east from the section corner of sections 1 and 2, and sections 35 and 36, running thence east on town line 18 rods to a stake and stones, thence south 27 rods 5 links to a stake and stones on left bank of Mecan river, thence northwesterly along the left bank of said river to the west side of the mill dam, thence northerly along east bank of the Germania mill pond to a stake and stones to the place of beginning, being a part of the $E^{1/2}_{2}$ $W^{1/2}_{2}$, section 1.

Also, commencing at the $\frac{1}{4}$ post between sections 1 and 12, thence north 37 rods 15 links, thence north 24° west 7 rods 5 links, thence north 68° west 12 rods 16 links, thence north 50° 30' west 14 rods 15 links, thence north 82° 30'

west 8 rods 7 links, thence north 15° west 29 rods 13 links to stake and stones on town line between T16N and T17N, thence west on said town line 24 rods to the southeast corner of the SWSW, section 36, T17N, R10E, thence south 33 rods 7 links to stake and stones, thence east 26 rods to stake and stones, thence south 72° 30' east 25 rods 15 links, thence south 46° east 13 rods 2 links, thence south 27° east 42 rods 10 links to place of beginning.

Section 2 - The NE's of the fractional SE's SE's

SECTION 18 - NR 11.28 (12) (a) is repealed.

SECTION 19 - NR 15.02 (intro. para.) is amended to read;

NR 15.02 Game refuges, all species; no entry. The following described areas are created and established as game refuges and it shall be unlawful for any person or persons to hunt or trap or enter upon said areas, for any reason whatsoever during the waterfowl season as indicated by signs posted in said areas, but nothing herein shall prohibit, prevent or interfere with the department, its deputies, agents or employes in the destruction of injurious animals and birds. This section shall not prohibit the department, its deputies or duly authorized agents, the armed forces of the national guard or the United States army, or any peace officers, or any person summoned by a peace officer to assist in making an arrest or in preserving the peace, from entering and being on such refuges in the performance of official duties.

SECTION 20 - NR 15.02 (77) (a) and (78) (a) and (b) are created to read;

(77) Dodge county. (a) Theresa Marsh wildlife area

Township 12 north, range 17 east, town of Theresa

Section 1 - That portion lying west of U.S. highway 41 and west of Mohawk road, except the E 3/4 NWSE

Section 2 - The east 660 feet

- (78) Washington county. (a) Theresa Marsh wildlife area Township 12 north, range 18 east, town of Wayne
- Section 17 That portion lying south and west of the Rock river
- Section 18 The western 3/4 of the section lying north and east of the Soo

 Line railroad right of way and the SESE lying south of the Rock river
- Section 19 That portion of the N_2 lying north and east of the Soo Line railroad right of way
- Section 20 That portion of the N2 lying west of the Rock river
- (b) Allenton Marsh wildlife area

 Township 11 north, range 18 east, town of Addison

 Section 27 E½ NE½ SE¼, E½ N½ SE½ SE¾
- SECTION 21 NR 15.03 (1) (a) is created to read:
- NR 15.03 Wildlife refuge, rookery, no entry. The following described area is created and established as a wildlife refuge and it shall be unlawful for any person or persons to hunt or trap or enter upon said area, for any reason whatsoever, during the nesting season as indicated by signs posted on said area. Nothing herein shall prohibit, prevent or interfere with the department, its deputies, or duly authorized agents, from entering and being on said refuge in the performance of official duties.
 - (1) Marathon county. (a) Mead wildlife area.
- Township 26 north, range 6 east, town of Bergen
- Section 29 The $S_2^{\frac{1}{2}}$ NESW, SESW, and that part of the NWSE and the SWSE lying south and west of the Townline Flowage dike.
- SECTION 22 NR 19.21 (1) and (2) are created to read:
- NR 19.21 Goose damage. (1) The phrase "in or near the area where damage occurs" as found in section 29.594(1)(f), Wis. Stats., is defined to mean any

parcel of land under one ownership within or touching any zone where hunter numbers or concentrations are limited by law.

(2) The term "public hunting" as found in section 29.594(1)(g), Wis. Stats., is defined to mean lands on which the owner or occupant allows hunting for Canada geese by persons other than the immediate family and who have received permission from the owner or occupant to hunt said lands. The owner or occupant may limit such hunting as to time or place, but may not discriminate against persons requesting permission because of their race or religion.

The foregoing rules were approved and adopted by the State of Wisconsin Natural Resources Board on August 19, 1976.

The rules contained herein shall take effect upon publication in the Wisconsin Administrative Code.

Dated at Madison, Wisconsin IS November 1976

STATE OF WISCONSIN DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

By Anthony S. Earl, Secretary

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APPROVAL:

Governor Patrick J. Lucey

11-23-76 Date