

DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

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STATE OF WISCONSIN

DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

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TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME, GREETINGS:

I, Bruce B. Braun, Deputy 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. FM-52-88 was duly approved and adopted by this Department on January 26, 1989. 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.

Luce B. Braun, Deputy Secretary

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ORDER OF THE STATE OF WISCONSIN NATURAL RESOURCES BOARD AMENDING AND CREATING RULES

IN THE MATTER of amending ss. NR 26.02(70), and 26.24 and creating ss. NR 26.01(31)(b), 26.11(16) and 26.23(2)(b), Wisconsin FM-52-88 Administrative Code, pertaining to fish refuges.

Analysis Prepared by Department of Natural Resources

Statutory authority: ss. 23.09(2)(c), 29.174(3), 227.16(2)(e) and 227.11(2)(a), Stats.

Statutes interpreted: s. 29.174(2)(a), Stats.

The rule:

- 1. Establishes a fish refuge on the Kewaunee river, Kewaunee county, from county trunk F to a line 500 feet upstream from the fish return pipe of the Kewaunee River Coho Salmon Spawning Facility.
- 2. Enlarges a fish refuge on the Fox river, Winnebago county, which extends from the Eureka dam downstream 500 feet, to include the area from the dam upstream 400 feet.
- 3. Establishes a fish refuge from September 1 through May 31 on the Brule river, Douglas county, from the upper falls of Skid Mays downstream to the upstream end of the island, all in section 25, T38N, R10W.
- 4. Eliminates a fish refuge from September 1 through December 31 on the Ahnapee river from the Forestville dam downstream for 500 feet, but maintains the refuge from March 1 to May 15.
- 5. Establishes a fish refuge from March 1 through May 15 in Lake Superior from the outlet of the cooling water discharge of the Northern States Power Company in Ashland extending 50 feet in all directions.

SECTION 1. NR 26.01(31)(b) is created to read:

NR 26.01(31)(b) That part of the Kewaunee river located in the W 1/2 of section 14, township 23 north, range 24 east, town of West Kewaunee, beginning at the county trunk highway F bridge and thence upstream to 500 feet past the fish return pipe of the Kewaunee river coho salmon spawning facility.

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SECTION 2. NR 26.02(70) is amended to read:

NR 26.02(70) WINNEBAGO COUNTY. (a) <u>FOX RIVER (EUREKA DAM)</u>. Beginning at <u>500 feet downstream from</u> the dam in and across the Fox river, located in section 31, township 18 north, range 14 east, commonly known as the Eureka dam, and thence downstream-from-the-said-dam-for-500-feet upstream from the dam for 400 feet.

SECTION 3. NR 26.11(16) is created to read:

NR 26.11(16) DOUGLAS COUNTY. (a) <u>Brule river</u>. That part of the Brule river commonly known as Skid Mays or Mays Ledges extending from the upper falls downstream to the upstream end of the island, all located in section 15, township 48 north, range 10 west.

SECTION 4. NR 26.23(2)(b) is created to read:

NR 26.23(2)(b) Lake Superior from the outlet of the cooling water discharge of the Northern States Power Company in the City of Ashland to a line located 50 feet in all directions from the outlet, from March 1 through May 15.

SECTION 5. NR 26.24(intro.) is amended to read:

NR 26.24 FISH REFUGES. (intro.) The following described areas are hereby created and established as fish refuges and it-shall-be-unlawful-for-any- no person or-persons-to may take, disturb, catch, capture, kill or fish for fish in any manner from March 1 to May 15 and September-1-to-December-31 each year, both dates inclusive, in, on or along the following described water areas.

The foregoing rules were approved and adopted by the State of Wisconsin Natural Resources Board on ______ January 26, 1989 ______.

The rules shall take effect on the first day of the month following publication in the Wisconsin administrative register as provided in s. 227.22(2)(intro.), Stats.

Dated at Madison, Wisconsin

STATE OF WISCONSIN

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Mr. Orlan L. Prestegard Revisor of Statutes Suite 702 30 W. Mifflin Street RECEIVED

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Dear Mr. Prestegard:

Enclosed are two copies, including one certified copy, of State of Wisconsin Natural Resources Board Order No. FM-52-88. These rules were reviewed by the Assembly Committee on Natural Resources and the Senate Committee on Transportation, Conservation and Mining pursuant to s. 227.19, Stats. A summary of the final regulatory flexibility analysis and comments of the legislative review committees is also enclosed.

You will note that this order takes effect following publication. Kindly publish it in the Administrative Code accordingly.

Sincerely,

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