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TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME, GREETINGS:

I, George E. Meyer, 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. LE-39-93 was duly approved and adopted by this Department on December 9, 1993. 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 the Natural Resources Building in the City of Madison, this 24ft day of March, 1994.

George H. Meyer, Secretary

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ORDER OF THE STATE OF WISCONSIN NATURAL RESOURCES BOARD CREATING RULES

IN THE MATTER of creating s. NR 20.19 of the Wisconsin administrative code pertaining to the tagging of sturgeon caught by hook and line

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Statutory authority: ss. 29.174(1) and 227.11(2)(a), Stats.

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

This proposed rule will reestablish the tagging and registration requirements for hook and line caught lake sturgeon. The requirements were inadvertently deleted from the code and as reestablished will be the same as in prior years.

SECTION 1. NR 20.19 is created to read:

NR 20.19 STURGEON - HOOK AND LINE. (1) Any person who has taken a lake sturgeon by hook and line shall immediately attach a hook and line lake sturgeon tag, furnished by the department and by 6:00 p.m. of the next day after the fish was taken, register the tagged lake sturgeon at a department lake sturgeon registration station. A registration tag attached to the fish by the department shall remain attached until the carcass is prepared for final consumption. This hook and line lake sturgeon tag shall be retained by the person taking the lake sturgeon until the fish is consumed.

- (2) Sturgeon tags shall be available in each year prior to the open season. A person may obtain no more than one tag unless fishing Michigan boundary waters in which case 2 tags may be obtained.
- (3)(a) No person may transport any lake sturgeon in or on any motor-driven vehicle from the time the lake sturgeon is taken to the time it is lawfully registered pursuant to sub. (1) unless the lake sturgeon is carried openly exposed and in a manner so that the lake sturgeon tag attached to the lake sturgeon cannot be handled or manipulated by any occupant of the vehicle.
- (b) No person may transport any lake sturgeon in or on any boat from the time the lake sturgeon is taken to the time it is lawfully registered pursuant to sub. (1) unless the lake sturgeon is carried openly exposed.

The foregoing rule was approved and adopted by the State of Wisconsin Natural Resources Board on December 9, 1993.

The rule 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

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