

1 GAME AND FISH GENERAL PROVISIONS

2 6200.0100 DEFINITIONS.

3 Subpart 1. **Terms.** The terms used in chapters 6200 to 6284
4 have the meanings given them in this part. The definitions in
5 Minnesota Statutes, chapters 97A, 97B, and 97C apply, except as
6 otherwise provided.

7 Subp. 2. **Commissioner.** "Commissioner" means the
8 commissioner of the Department of Natural Resources or a
9 designated employee.

10 Subp. 3. **County auditor.** "County auditor" means the
11 business office of the elected county auditor or, if the county
12 does not have such an elected office, the business office
13 appointed by the county for such purposes.

14 Subp. 4. **Department.** "Department" means the Minnesota
15 Department of Natural Resources.

16 Subp. 5. **Director.** "Director" means the director of the
17 department's Division of Fish and Wildlife or a designated
18 employee.

19 Subp. 6. **Division of Enforcement.** "Division of
20 Enforcement" means the department's Division of Enforcement,
21 located at 500 Lafayette Road, Saint Paul, MN 55155-4047.

22 Subp. 7. **License Bureau.** "License Bureau" means the
23 department's License Bureau, located at 500 Lafayette Road,
24 Saint Paul, MN 55155-4026.

25 6200.0200 GAME AND FISH GENERAL PROVISIONS.

26 Subpart 1. **Scope.** The language contained in chapters 6200
27 to 6284 are subject to the provisions defined in this part.

28 Subp. 2. **Dates are inclusive.** Dates for specified time
29 periods are inclusive, unless otherwise specified.

30 Subp. 3. **Highway identification.** A highway identification
31 refers to the status of the highway as marked on signs placed by
32 the Minnesota Department of Transportation.

33 Subp. 4. **Application deadline.** When an application
34 deadline is specified, applications that are mailed must be
35 postmarked on or before the deadline date. Applications that

1 are delivered must be delivered no later than 4:30 p.m. on the
2 day of the deadline.

3 Subp. 5. **Shooting hours.** Shooting hours, for purposes of
4 Minnesota Statutes, section 97B.075, are from one-half hour
5 before sunrise to sunset each day, unless otherwise specified.

6 Subp. 6. **Incomplete or improperly completed applications.**
7 Incomplete or improperly completed applications for licenses or
8 permits may be rejected by the commissioner.

9 Subp. 7. **Returned checks and refunds.** A check that is
10 returned to the department for nonpayment invalidates the
11 application and the check will be destroyed. Refunds of
12 application fees are not made for any reason.

13 Subp. 8. **Application for commercial licenses.**
14 Applications for all commercial licenses can be obtained from
15 the License Bureau.

16 WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT AREAS, CRITICAL NATURAL HABITAT,
17 DESIGNATED WILDLIFE WATERS, AND STROMATOLITES
18 WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT AREAS

19 6210.0100 GENERAL PROVISIONS FOR USE OF WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT
20 AREAS.

21 Subpart 1. **Waterfowl season, defined.** "Waterfowl season"
22 means any open season for the taking of migratory waterfowl.

23 Subp. 2. **Reporting.** The commissioner may require persons
24 to report animals taken within wildlife management areas and
25 submit them for inspection.

26 Subp. 3. **Nuisance animals.** Unprotected wild animals may
27 not be taken within wildlife management areas from March 1 to
28 August 31, except by a person lawfully hunting a protected
29 species. Nuisance animals in wildlife management areas may be
30 controlled under permits issued by a wildlife manager.

31 Subp. 4. **Compatible uses and exceptions.** Wildlife
32 management areas may be used for wildlife observation, sport
33 fishing, hiking, snowshoeing, and other resource-related uses if
34 the uses are not inconsistent with parts 6210.0100 to
35 6210.0300. Exceptions to this part for specific wildlife

1 management areas are provided by parts 6230.0100 and 6230.0200.

2 Subp. 5. **Hours of use.** Wildlife management areas may not
3 be entered or used during closed hours posted at the major
4 access points, except by permit.

5 Subp. 6. **Harvest of bait.** Taking minnows, leeches, and
6 other live bait for commercial purposes within a wildlife
7 management area is allowed only under permit issued by the
8 wildlife manager.

9 Subp. 7. **Overnight use.** A person may not leave a vehicle,
10 trailer, or tent overnight within a wildlife management area,
11 except by permit or in areas and at times designated by signs
12 for overnight use. A vehicle, trailer, or tent lawfully left
13 overnight must be occupied or attended.

14 Subp. 8. **Alcoholic beverages.** A person may not consume
15 alcoholic beverages within a wildlife management area, except
16 when lawfully occupying an overnight use area.

17 Subp. 9. **Use of motorboats.** Motorboat use is prohibited
18 within a wildlife management area, except where posted or as
19 provided in this subpart. For purposes of this chapter,
20 "motorboat" includes motorboats as defined in Minnesota
21 Statutes, section 86B.005, subdivision 9, and duckboats with
22 motors attached.

23 A. Gores Wildlife Management Area in Dakota and
24 Goodhue counties: motorboats may be used with no limit on size.

25 B. Lac qui Parle Wildlife Management Area in Big
26 Stone, Chippewa, Lac qui Parle, and Swift counties: motorboats
27 may be used with no limit on size.

28 C. Mud-Goose Wildlife Management Area in Cass county:
29 motorboats of ten horsepower or less may be used, except during
30 any waterfowl season.

31 D. Orwell Wildlife Management Area in Ottertail
32 county: motorboats of ten horsepower or less may be used.

33 E. Roseau River Wildlife Management Area in Roseau
34 county: motorboats may be used in the main channel of the
35 Roseau River. Motorboats of ten horsepower or less may be used
36 elsewhere within the area only during a waterfowl season.

1 F. Talcot Lake Wildlife Management Area in Cottonwood
2 and Murray counties: motorboats may be used on Talcot Lake,
3 except watercraft are not permitted on the north one-half of
4 Talcot Lake during any waterfowl season. Only nonmotorized
5 watercraft are permitted on the river and marshes within the
6 areas open to public hunting.

7 G. Thief Lake Wildlife Management Area in Marshall
8 county: motorboats of ten horsepower or less may be used.

9 H. Walnut Lake Wildlife Management Area in Faribault
10 county: motorboats of ten horsepower or less may be used in
11 that portion of the area known as South Walnut Lake.

12 I. Gold Portage Wildlife Management Area in
13 Koochiching and St. Louis counties: motorboats may be used with
14 no limit on size.

15 Subp. 10. **General restrictions on vehicles.** A person may
16 not operate an all-terrain vehicle, hang glider, air boat, hover
17 craft, or personal watercraft defined in Minnesota Statutes,
18 section 86B.005, within the boundaries of a wildlife management
19 area, except that a disabled hunter with a permit approved by
20 the regional wildlife manager may use an all-terrain vehicle.
21 Without the written permission of the wildlife manager in
22 charge, a person may not operate a snowmobile in a wildlife
23 management area in that part of the state lying south and west
24 of a line described as follows:

25 U.S. Highway 2 from East Grand Forks east to Bemidji;
26 thence south along U.S. Highway 71 to Wadena; thence east
27 along U.S. Highway 10 to Staples and U.S. Highway 210 to
28 Carlton; thence east in a straight line to the easterly
29 boundary of the state.

30 A vehicle may not be parked in a wildlife management area
31 in front of a gate or in a manner that obstructs travel.

32 Subp. 11. **Motor vehicles on major areas.** Motor vehicles
33 licensed for use on a public highway may be operated up to 20
34 miles per hour within the following wildlife management areas,
35 unless posted otherwise:

36 A. Carlos Avery Wildlife Management Area in Anoka and
37 Chisago counties;

38 B. Talcot Lake Wildlife Management Area in Cottonwood

1 and Murray counties;

2 C. Mille Lacs Wildlife Management Area in Kanabec and
3 Mille Lacs counties;

4 D. Red Lake Wildlife Management Area in Beltrami and
5 Lake of the Woods counties;

6 E. Roseau River Wildlife Management Area in Roseau
7 county;

8 F. Thief Lake Wildlife Management Area in Marshall
9 county;

10 G. Lac qui Parle Wildlife Management Area in Big
11 Stone, Chippewa, Lac qui Parle, and Swift counties; and

12 H. Whitewater Wildlife Management Area in Olmsted,
13 Wabasha, and Winona counties.

14 Vehicles may be operated only on established roads and may
15 not be driven beyond signs prohibiting vehicular use, beyond any
16 constructed vehicle barrier, or in a reckless or careless manner.

17 Subp. 12. **Motor vehicles within other areas.** Motor
18 vehicles licensed for use on a public highway are prohibited
19 within all other wildlife management areas, except that they may
20 be operated up to 20 miles per hour on those routes designated
21 by signs for travel purposes.

22 Subp. 13. **Aircraft.** Aircraft activities that chase, herd,
23 scare, or otherwise disturb wildlife are prohibited over
24 wildlife management areas, except in emergencies or by
25 authorization of the wildlife manager.

26 Subp. 14. **Firearms and target shooting.** Target, trap,
27 skeet, or indiscriminate shooting is prohibited within a
28 wildlife management area except by permit from the
29 commissioner. A person may not possess an uncased or loaded
30 firearm or an uncased and strung bow, except when lawfully
31 taking a wild animal or by permit from the wildlife manager.

32 Subp. 15. **Structures.** A person may not construct or
33 maintain a building, dock, fence, billboard, sign, or other
34 structure within a wildlife management area. Temporary
35 waterfowl blinds may be erected but may not be used to preempt a
36 hunting location. Materials brought into the area for the

1 construction of blinds must be removed from the area each day at
2 the close of shooting hours.

3 Subp. 16. **Stands.** It is unlawful to construct, occupy, or
4 use any elevated scaffold or stand to watch for or take wild
5 animals in a wildlife management area, except that portable
6 stands may be used if they are removed each day at the close of
7 shooting hours and do no permanent damage. Spikes or nails
8 driven into trees are prohibited but screwing or clamping
9 devices are allowed if removed each day at the close of shooting
10 hours.

11 Subp. 17. **Commercial and private business prohibited.** A
12 person may not conduct any commercial operation, solicit
13 business, farm, or keep bees within a wildlife management area,
14 except as provided in subpart 5 or by contract, lease, permit,
15 or written agreement with the department.

16 Subp. 18. **Disorderly conduct.** Disorderly conduct, as
17 defined in Minnesota Statutes, section 609.72, is prohibited
18 within a wildlife management area.

19 Subp. 19. **Abandonment of trash and property.** The disposal
20 or abandonment of garbage, trash, spoil, sludge, rocks,
21 vehicles, carcasses, or other debris and the abandonment or
22 storage of property within a wildlife management area is
23 prohibited. Boats, decoys, or other property may not be left
24 unattended overnight, except for traps lawfully placed.

25 Subp. 20. **Destruction or removal of property.** A person
26 may not destroy, disturb, or remove any plants, trees, or other
27 vegetative material, or signs, posts, fences, gates, buildings,
28 or other property in a wildlife management area, except that
29 wetland vegetation may be used to build blinds and edible fruits
30 or seeds and decorative portions of plants may be removed for
31 personal use. A person may not destroy or remove threatened or
32 endangered plants or animals as defined in chapter 6134. Wild
33 rice may not be harvested unless the area is specifically opened
34 by rule.

35 Subp. 21. **Introduction of plants or animals.** A person may
36 not release, place, or transplant in a wildlife management area

1 any plant or animal life within a wildlife management area that
 2 did not originate within the area, unless approved by the
 3 wildlife manager.

4 Subp. 22. **Animal trespass.** A person may not permit or
 5 allow livestock, horses, or other domestic animals within a
 6 wildlife management area, except:

7 A. dogs accompanied by or under the control of the
 8 owner, except from April 16 through July 14 when dogs must be on
 9 a leash; or

10 B. under a cooperative agreement or permit approved
 11 by the wildlife manager. Field trials are prohibited, except by
 12 permit from the wildlife manager.

13 Subp. 23. **Department operations excluded.** This part does
 14 not apply to persons lawfully engaged in the performance of
 15 their duties in the management and administration of wildlife
 16 management areas, including agents of the commissioner, persons
 17 operating under permit or contract with the department, and law
 18 enforcement officers. Subparts 5 and 8 do not apply to resident
 19 managers or their guests while at their residences.

20 6210.0200 RED LAKE WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT AREA, BELTRAMI AND LAKE
 21 OF THE WOODS COUNTIES.

22 The Red Lake Wildlife Management Area in Beltrami and Lake
 23 of the Woods counties, consists of that part of the state lying
 24 within the following described boundary:

25 All of Townships 155 and 156 North, Ranges 34 and 35 West:
 26 and

27 All of Townships 157 and 158 North, Ranges 34 and 35 West
 28 and those parts of Township 159 North, Ranges 34, 35, and
 29 36 West, Townships 157, 158, and 159 North, Range 36 West,
 30 and Township 157 North, Ranges 32 and 33 West included in
 31 the following described boundary to wit:

32 Beginning at the southeast corner of Section 36, Township
 33 157 North, Range 36 West; thence westerly along the line
 34 common to Townships 156 and 157 North to the easterly
 35 right-of-way line of State Forest Road 49 known as Dick's
 36 Parkway; thence in a generally northerly direction along
 37 the easterly boundary of said road as it crosses Townships
 38 157, 158, and 159 North, Range 36 West to the northwest
 39 corner of Section 20, Township 159 North, Range 36 West:
 40 thence along the southerly right-of-way line of State
 41 Forest Road 58 known as the Hogsback-O'Brian Road extending
 42 in a generally easterly direction across Township 159
 43 North, Ranges 36, 35, 34 West to the northeast corner of
 44 Section 24, Township 159 North, Range 34 West: thence

1 southerly along the westerly right-of-way line of State
 2 Forest Road 94 known as the Range Line Road following in
 3 general the line common to Ranges 33 and 34 West to the
 4 northeast corner of Section 13, Township 157 North, Range
 5 34 West; thence along the southerly right-of-way line of
 6 State Forest Road 60 known as the Rapid River Road
 7 extending in a generally easterly, southerly, and
 8 northeasterly direction to the northeast corner of Section
 9 12, Township 157 North, Range 32 West: thence southerly
 10 along the line common to Ranges 31 and 32 West to the
 11 southeast corner of Section 36, Township 157 North, Range
 12 32 West, thence westerly along the line coin to Townships
 13 156 and 157 North to the point of beginning.

14 6210.0300 GOLD PORTAGE WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT AREA, KOOCHICHING AND
 15 ST. LOUIS COUNTIES.

16 **Subpart 1. Gold Portage Wildlife Management Area**

17 **description.** The Gold Portage Wildlife Management Area,
 18 Koochiching and St. Louis counties, consists of that part of the
 19 following described lands and waters:

20 All water areas of Rainy Lake within the fluctuating
 21 waterline level and located within Sections 7 and 18 in
 22 Township 70 North, Range 21 West of the Fourth Principal
 23 Meridian, and within Sections 12, 13, and 24 in Township 70
 24 North, Range 22 West of the Fourth Principal Meridian. All
 25 islands within the above water areas of Rainy Lake, which
 26 would be definable as islands at a water level of 1,108.1
 27 feet mean sea level, or higher, are also included in the
 28 management zone even though not technically islands below
 29 the referenced level.

30 **Subp. 2. Special provisions for Gold Portage Wildlife**

31 **Management Area.** Taking species other than migratory birds and
 32 fish within the Gold Portage Wildlife Management Area is
 33 prohibited and portable stands may not be erected or used within
 34 the wildlife management area.

35 **CRITICAL NATURAL HABITAT**

36 6210.0400 PRIORITIES FOR ACQUISITION AND IMPROVEMENT OF CRITICAL
 37 NATURAL HABITAT.

38 **Subpart 1. Specific criteria for selecting critical**

39 **natural habitat.** As provided by Minnesota Statutes, section
 40 84.944, the commissioner must consider the following specific
 41 criteria in assessing the value of a proposed critical natural
 42 habitat project:

43 A. the occurrence of one or more of the state's
 44 various rare natural resources including plants, animals, and
 45 undisturbed natural ecological communities as identified by the

1 department's Natural Heritage Program;

2 B. the existing and potential value of the project to
3 provide vital habitat for fish and wildlife, especially for
4 species identified for special management consideration;

5 C. the threat of habitat destruction if the project
6 is not carried out;

7 D. the surrounding land uses in terms of the amount
8 and type of similar habitat and the projected loss of habitat in
9 the area;

10 E. the location of the project within or adjacent to
11 an existing management unit, including accessibility and
12 relationship to other existing state lands or waters;

13 F. the integrity of the land or water parcel and the
14 long-term viability of the project;

15 G. the recreational potential of the parcel including
16 present and future demand and the opportunities to meet this
17 demand in the surrounding area; and

18 H. the projected acquisition or management costs and
19 potential future management problems.

20 Subp. 2. **Prioritization of proposed projects.** Proposed
21 projects that meet one or more of the specific criteria in this
22 part will be ranked by the commissioner in accordance with the
23 following priorities, listed in order of decreasing importance:

24 A. the potential contribution to the maintenance or
25 enhancement of populations of native plant, fish, and wildlife
26 species listed as endangered or threatened in chapter 6134;

27 B. the potential contribution to the protection or
28 enhancement of native ecological communities that are now
29 uncommon or diminishing;

30 C. the benefits provided to existing or potential
31 habitat for fish and wildlife populations; or

32 D. the enhancement of fish and wildlife oriented
33 recreation.

34 STROMATOLITES

35 6210.0500 POSSESSION, MOVING, OR DISTURBING STROMATOLITES.

1 Permits for the possession, moving, or disturbing of
 2 stromatolites on the bed of or in any of the waters of the state
 3 may be issued by the commissioner for bona fide scientific,
 4 research, or educational purposes upon written application by
 5 qualified persons, as determined by the commissioner, or
 6 institutions. These permits shall contain conditions limiting
 7 the number of stromatolites which may be possessed, and are
 8 subject to cancellation at any time upon written notice provided
 9 to the permittee.

10 LICENSES, PERMITS, AND EXEMPTIONS

11 GAME AND FISH LICENSE AGENTS AND SUBAGENTS

12 6212.0100 APPLICATIONS FOR GAME AND FISH LICENSE SUBAGENTS.

13 Subpart 1. **Application for license subagents.** County
 14 auditors may appoint subagents for the sale of licenses, whether
 15 cash or consignment, only upon the receipt of a completed
 16 application. The application must be on a form prescribed by
 17 the commissioner.

18 Subp. 2. **Applications must be approved by county auditor.**
 19 All applications must be signed by the applicant and approved by
 20 the county auditor before licenses are furnished. If applicants
 21 wish to sell licenses on consignment, they must include with
 22 their application the required surety bond.

23 Subp. 3. **Applications made in triplicate.** All
 24 applications must be made in triplicate. The county auditor
 25 must retain the original and must promptly forward one copy to
 26 the commissioner. The remaining copy must be retained by the
 27 applicant.

28 6212.0200 CONSIGNMENT OF GAME AND FISH LICENSES.

29 The county auditor must issue licenses on a consignment
 30 basis to any subagent who has applied and who furnishes a valid
 31 corporate surety bond properly issued by a corporation duly
 32 licensed to issue such bonds in this state. Bonds must be:

- 33 A. in favor of the county;
- 34 B. in an amount equal to the maximum total value of
- 35 licenses, including any surcharge, but excluding the issuing

1 fee, expected to be held on consignment at any one time; and
2 C. conditioned upon the performance by the subagent
3 of all of the duties of a license subagent.

4 6212.0300 COMPLETION OF LICENSE FORMS.

5 Subpart 1. Licenses must be completed at place of sale.
6 County auditors or subagents selling licenses are responsible
7 for the completion of each license form of each license sold at
8 their place of business. Licenses must be completed using a
9 data recorder machine, ball point pen, or indelible pencil, in
10 such manner that all copies are legible.

11 Subp. 2. Signature requirements on license. The applicant
12 and the county auditor or subagent must sign their complete
13 names in the spaces provided so that they appear on all copies.
14 A rubber stamp or other device may not be used in lieu of a
15 signature. County auditors and subagents are responsible for
16 the issuance of licenses, however, employees of county auditors
17 or subagents may sign the name of the county auditor or subagent
18 followed by the initials of the employee.

19 Subp. 3. Restriction on issuance of resident license. A
20 resident license may not be issued to any person unless the
21 county auditor or subagent has ascertained, by personal
22 knowledge or written identification, that the applicant is a
23 resident as defined by Minnesota Statutes, section 97A.015.

24 6212.0400 RETURN OF "DNR COPY" OF LICENSES.

25 Immediately upon issuance, county auditors or subagents
26 must remove and return, to the License Bureau, the "DNR Copy" of
27 each license. Failure to promptly return completed department
28 copies may result in revocation of the subagent's authorization
29 to sell licenses.

30 6212.0500 REQUIRED RECORDS, REPORTS, AND PAYMENTS FOR ISSUANCE
31 OF GAME AND FISH LICENSES.

32 Subpart 1. Records required of county auditors and
33 subagents. County auditors must keep a record of all
34 transactions relating to licenses received by them and licenses

1 issued by them to their subagents, including licenses received,
2 sold, or returned for redemption or credit, fees collected,
3 commissions retained, remittances made, and cash on hand or
4 deposited, showing at all times the current status of the county
5 auditor's account and the account of each subagent. Subagents
6 must keep a record of all transactions relating to licenses
7 issued to them in the same manner as county auditors. All such
8 records may be subject to inspection and auditing by the
9 commissioner.

10 **Subp. 2. Payments and returns of sold licenses by**
11 **subagents.** Subagents must, on or before the 10th day of each
12 month, return to the auditor each sold-out license book from the
13 previous month. All proceeds from the sale of licenses, except
14 those for which the auditor has previously been paid, will be
15 paid to the auditor at the time the books are returned.
16 Partially sold license books and all proceeds from the sale of
17 licenses from such books must be returned to the auditor no
18 later than March 10 of each year.

19 **Subp. 3. Retention of sold and unsold licenses by county**
20 **auditors.** County auditors must preserve all sold and unsold
21 license books, whether sold by the auditor or a subagent, for at
22 least one year after the end of the license year.

23 **Subp. 4. Payments and reports by county auditors.** County
24 auditors must, on or before the 15th day of each month, mail or
25 deliver a complete written report to the commissioner, either on
26 forms provided for such purpose or in a prescribed format,
27 covering all licenses issued and sold by the county auditor or
28 subagents during the preceding calendar month together with a
29 warrant on the county treasury for license fees as provided by
30 Minnesota Statutes, sections 97A.475 and 97A.485. If no license
31 fees were received during a preceding month, a written report so
32 stating must be made to the commissioner. If a county auditor
33 fails to submit these monthly reports within the specified time
34 period, the commissioner may withhold further consignments of
35 licenses to the county auditor until the report is received. An
36 immediate and complete accounting of all licenses consigned to

1 the county auditor during the current licensing year may be
2 required.

3 Subp. 5. **Final reports of unsold licenses.** The following
4 provisions apply to final reports of unsold licenses and
5 partially sold books:

6 A. Each subagent who has purchased or taken on
7 consignment licenses for resale must, not later than March 10 of
8 each year, return all unsold licenses and partially sold license
9 books to the county auditor, except that all unsold licenses to
10 take deer either by archery, firearm, or muzzleloader must be
11 returned to the auditor on the first business day after the last
12 day during which each type of license may be sold. The county
13 auditor must give to each subagent a cash refund for unsold
14 licenses or credit in the case of consignment.

15 B. No later than April 15, county auditors must
16 prepare a final report which will show the total number of
17 unsold, void, and no fee licenses to be credited toward their
18 account and must contain a list of the sequential numbers of
19 such licenses. Any unsold licenses not so reported for
20 redemption or credit by the date prescribed will be presumed to
21 have been sold, and the county auditor and subagent will be
22 accountable.

23 6212.0600 ISSUANCE OF DUPLICATE LICENSES.

24 Subpart 1. **Duplicate license eligibility.** A licensee
25 whose license is lost or destroyed may obtain a duplicate
26 license upon submission to the License Bureau of an affidavit
27 signed under oath by the licensee.

28 Subp. 2. **Duplicate deer licenses.** Duplicate firearms and
29 archery deer licenses may be obtained from county auditors by
30 licensees whose licenses have been lost or destroyed. Deer
31 license duplicates may be provided from a separate license book
32 designated for that purpose. Before a duplicate license is
33 received, applicants must submit to the county auditor an
34 affidavit in the form prescribed by the department.

35 Subp. 3. **Duplicate licenses exempt from number restriction.**

1 Except for duplicate licenses, a person may not obtain more than
 2 one trapping or big game license of each kind in a license year
 3 unless authorized by the commissioner.

4 6212.0700 PROHIBITIONS AND PENALTIES ON ISSUANCE OF GAME AND
 5 FISH LICENSES.

6 Subpart 1. **Restrictions on sale price of licenses.** A
 7 county auditor or subagent may not offer licenses free or at a
 8 nominal, reduced, or increased fee, except as provided by
 9 Minnesota Statutes, sections 97A.475 and 97A.485. A county
 10 auditor or subagent may not waive all or part of the issuing fee
 11 or use licenses in connection with a drawing, raffle, giveaway,
 12 or sales promotion.

13 Subp. 2. **Restriction on issuance of licenses from a single**
 14 **book.** All licenses within a license book must be issued in
 15 consecutive order.

16 LICENSES, PERMITS, AND EXEMPTIONS

17 GAME AND FISH LICENSE AGENTS AND SUBAGENTS

18 6212.0800 APPLICATIONS FOR AGENCIES TO SELL CROSS COUNTRY SKI
 19 PASSES.

20 County auditors may appoint agents for the sale of cross
 21 country ski passes, whether cash or consignment, only upon the
 22 receipt of a completed application on a form provided by the
 23 commissioner.

24 CROSS COUNTRY SKI PASSES

25 6212.0900 CONSIGNMENT OF CROSS COUNTRY SKI PASSES.

26 A county auditor may issue passes on a consignment basis to
 27 a subagent who has applied and who furnishes a valid corporate
 28 surety bond properly issued by a corporation duly licensed to
 29 issue bonds in this state. The surety bond must be:

30 A. in favor of the county;

31 B. in an amount equal to the maximum total value,
 32 excluding the issuing fee, of pass blanks expected to be held on
 33 consignment at any one time; and

34 C. conditioned upon the performance by the agent of

1 all of the duties of a pass agent.

2 6212.1000 COMPLETION OF PASS FORMS AND RETURN OF DEPARTMENT
3 COPIES.

4 Passes must be filled out using a data recorder machine, a
5 ball point pen, or an indelible pencil so that all copies are
6 legible. Passes that are not filled out at the time of purchase
7 must be fully completed prior to use. Appropriate copies must
8 be promptly returned to the commissioner by the passholder.

9 6212.1100 REQUIRED RECORDS, REPORTS, AND PAYMENTS FOR ISSUANCE
10 OF CROSS COUNTY SKI PASSES.

11 Subpart 1. **Required records.** County auditors must keep a
12 record of all transactions relating to passes received by them
13 and passes issued by them to their subagents. The record must
14 include passes received, sold, or returned for redemption or
15 credit, fees collected, commissions retained, remittances made,
16 and cash on hand or deposited showing at all times the current
17 status of the county auditor's account and the account of each
18 subagent. Subagents must keep a record of all transactions
19 relating to passes issued to them in the same manner as county
20 auditors. All records may be subject to inspection and auditing
21 by the commissioner.

22 Subp. 2. **Required payments and return of sold passes.**

23 Subagents must, on or before the tenth day of each month, return
24 to the auditor each sold-out pass book from the previous month.
25 All proceeds from the sale of passes, except those for which the
26 auditor has previously been paid, will be paid to the auditor at
27 the time the books are returned. Partially sold pass books and
28 all proceeds from the sale of passes from such books must be
29 returned to the auditor no later than July 10 of each year.

30 Subp. 3. **Retention of sold passes.** The county auditor
31 must preserve all stubs of sold passes, whether sold by the
32 auditor or subagent for at least one year after the end of the
33 pass year.

34 Subp. 4. **Payments and reports by county auditors.** Each
35 county auditor must, on or before the 15th day of each month,

1 mail or deliver a complete written report to the commissioner,
2 either on forms provided by the commissioner or in a prescribed
3 format, covering all passes issued and sold during the preceding
4 calendar month. County auditors and subagents must submit a
5 warrant for 96 percent of all pass fees, exclusive of the
6 issuing fee. If a county auditor fails to submit monthly
7 reports within the specified time period, the commissioner may
8 withhold further consignments of passes until the report is
9 received. An immediate accounting of all passes consigned to
10 the county auditor during the current cross country pass year
11 may be required.

12 Subp. 5. **Final report of unsold passes and partially sold**
13 **books.** The following provisions apply to final reports of
14 unsold cross country ski passes and partially sold books:

15 A. Each subagent who has taken on consignment passes
16 for resale must, not later than July 10, return all unsold
17 passes and partially sold pass books to the county auditor. The
18 county auditor must give to each subagent a cash refund for
19 unsold passes or credit in the case of consignment.

20 B. No later than August 15, county auditors must
21 prepare a final report that will show the total number of unsold
22 and void passes to be credited toward their account and must
23 contain a list of sequential numbers of such passes. Any unsold
24 or void passes not reported for redemption or credit by the date
25 prescribed will be presumed to have been sold and the county
26 auditor and subagent will be accountable.

27 6212.1200 ISSUANCE OF DUPLICATE CROSS COUNTRY SKI PASSES.

28 Subpart 1. **Eligibility for a duplicate pass.** A passholder
29 whose pass is lost or destroyed may obtain a duplicate pass upon
30 submitting to the license bureau an affidavit of loss signed
31 under oath by the passholder.

32 Subp. 2. **Duplicate pass fee.** The fee for a duplicate pass
33 is \$2.

34 6212.1300 PROHIBITIONS AND PENALTIES ON ISSUANCE OF CROSS
35 COUNTRY SKI PASSES.

1 the commissioner, unless otherwise provided in the permit.

2 Subp. 5. **Offspring.** Offspring of any specimen possessed
3 under a permit will be subject to parts 6212.1400 to 6212.1700
4 and to all the terms and conditions set forth in the permit.

5 Subp. 6. **Reports.** Before January 31 of each year, each
6 permittee who has taken a protected wild animal, or parts during
7 the preceding calendar year must file a report with the
8 commissioner describing the specimens taken and their current
9 disposition. Specimens consumed by use or otherwise destroyed
10 must be so noted. Permittees must submit additional reports as
11 may be required by the permit. A permit will not be renewed
12 unless all required reports have been submitted.

13 Subp. 7. **Possession of permit.** Individual permittees must
14 have their permit available for inspection by the commissioner
15 while doing an act authorized by the permit. Permits issued in
16 the names of institutions must be available for inspection
17 during regular business hours.

18 Subp. 8. **Expiration, cancellation, and revocation of**
19 **collector permits.** All permits issued as provided by parts
20 6212.1400 to 6212.1700 expire on December 31 of the year of
21 issuance, unless otherwise specified in the permit, and may be
22 renewed.

23 All permits issued as provided by parts 6212.1400 to
24 6212.1700 are subject to immediate cancellation by the
25 commissioner upon determination that such cancellation is
26 necessary for the conservation of the natural resources of this
27 state, for the welfare of particular specimens, or is in the
28 public interest.

29 Violation of any of the provisions of parts 6212.1400 to
30 6212.1700 or the terms of any permit issued under those parts
31 may result in immediate revocation of the permit, and may
32 subject the permittee to other penalties established by law.

33 Subp. 9. **Permits for pets.** Permits are not issued for the
34 taking or possession of protected wild animals as pets, except
35 deer as provided by part 6212.1700.

1 6212.1500 SCIENTIFIC, EXHIBITION, PROPAGATION, AND EDUCATIONAL
2 PERMITS.

3 Permits may be issued for scientific, education,
4 propagation, and exhibition purposes only to individuals or
5 institutions currently conducting programs of research or
6 education in the fields of biology or natural history.

7 6212.1600 REHABILITATION PERMITS.

8 Subpart 1. **Permit criteria.** Permits for rehabilitation of
9 protected wild animals will be issued under the following
10 criteria:

11 A. Individuals or institutions wishing to care for
12 and rehabilitate injured, disabled, or orphaned specimens of
13 protected wild animals must make written application to the
14 commissioner.

15 B. An inspection of the applicant's premises will be
16 conducted to determine whether the applicant's competence and
17 facilities are adequate for the care and rehabilitation of
18 endangered or threatened species or protected wild animals.

19 C. Upon the commissioner's determination that the
20 applicant's competence and facilities are adequate for care and
21 rehabilitation and that a need exists for additional
22 rehabilitation permittees, a rehabilitation permit will be
23 issued. Permits may be issued to an individual or an
24 institution. A permit will not be issued unless the
25 commissioner has determined that the permitted act will not be
26 detrimental to the species.

27 Subp. 2. **Receipt of specimens.** Permittees may receive
28 specimens for care and rehabilitation only from or with the
29 approval of the commissioner, or in such other manner as may be
30 provided in the permit. Specimens otherwise received must be
31 reported to a conservation officer within 48 hours and
32 surrendered, if so requested.

33 Subp. 3. **Release of specimens.** Specimens may be possessed
34 by permittees only for care and rehabilitation purposes.
35 Specimens must be released into the wild as soon as feasible.

1 If rehabilitation and eventual release are not feasible and no
2 valid scientific or educational purpose will be served by
3 keeping the specimen alive, it must be surrendered to the
4 commissioner upon request or disposed of as may be provided by
5 the permit. Pet purposes are not considered a valid purpose to
6 keep a specimen alive.

7 Subp. 4. **Disposition.** A specimen may not be intentionally
8 tamed or kept longer than necessary for restoration of its
9 health. Specimens may not be sold or otherwise transferred from
10 the custody of the permittee without the prior written approval
11 of the commissioner, unless otherwise provided in the permit.
12 Specimens that die while in the custody of the permittee must be
13 reported to a conservation officer within 48 hours and
14 surrendered, if so requested.

15 Subp. 5. **Inspection of facilities and specimens.**
16 Conservation officers or other agents of the commissioner may at
17 reasonable hours make periodic checks and inspections of
18 permittees' facilities and the specimens kept. Specimens may be
19 removed from the custody of the permittee if necessary for the
20 welfare of the specimen.

21 Subp. 6. **Offspring.** Offspring of any specimen possessed
22 under a rehabilitation permit must be returned to the wild as
23 soon as feasible, unless otherwise provided in the permit.
24 While in possession, such offspring are subject to parts
25 6212.1400 to 6212.1700 and to all the terms and conditions set
26 forth in the permit.

27 6212.1700 PERMITS FOR DEER AS PETS.

28 Special permits for the possession of wild native deer as
29 pets may be issued under the following criteria:

30 A. Permits may be issued only for the care and
31 rehabilitation of injured, disabled, or orphaned wild native
32 deer.

33 B. Persons possessing an injured, disabled, or
34 orphaned deer must notify the local conservation officer within
35 48 hours of obtaining the animal and request a permit. The

1 conservation officer or other agent of the commissioner must
2 examine the deer and determine whether it is injured, disabled,
3 or orphaned so that it cannot reasonably be expected to survive
4 in the wild. If the applicant's competence and facilities are
5 reasonably suited to caring for and restoring the deer, a permit
6 for possession of the deer may be issued.

7 C. Permits may be issued for a duration of time
8 anticipated by the conservation officer or agent of the
9 commissioner to be sufficient to restore the deer to the point
10 where it can be released back into the wild in a healthy and
11 able condition, except that no permit may be issued for a period
12 exceeding one year. Upon expiration of the permit, the
13 permittee must release the deer back into the wild in accordance
14 with instructions provided by the permit. Permittees who
15 believe that the deer is not yet able to survive in the wild may
16 notify the conservation officer and apply for renewal of their
17 permit in accordance with the procedure for original issuance.

18 D. Offspring of deer possessed under a permit must be
19 returned to the wild as soon as feasible and may not be kept
20 after the mother is released. Offspring are subject to all the
21 terms and conditions of the permit that apply to the mother
22 until release.

23 E. Permittees no longer able to care for deer in
24 their possession must immediately notify the conservation
25 officer or agent and surrender the deer.

26 F. Permittees must notify the conservation officer or
27 agent within 48 hours after the death of a deer possessed under
28 permit.

29 THREATENED AND ENDANGERED SPECIES

30 6212.1800 GENERAL RESTRICTIONS FOR PERMITS TO POSSESS THREATENED
31 AND ENDANGERED SPECIES.

32 Subpart 1. Permit requirements. Permits for the taking,
33 importation, transportation, purchase, sale, disposal, or
34 possession of threatened or endangered species of plants or
35 animals, whether dead or alive, or their parts, nests, or eggs

1 will be issued as provided by parts 6212.1800 to 6212.2300.
2 Applications for permits from individuals or institutions must
3 be made in writing and must be submitted as specified. The
4 commissioner will determine whether the applicant meets the
5 criteria for issuance of the permit.

6 **Subp. 2. Issuance of permits.** Permits may be issued only
7 upon written application made by individuals or institutions
8 currently conducting research or educational programs in the
9 fields of biology or natural history, and that have appropriate
10 and adequate facilities for the care, exhibition, or storage of
11 the specimens sought to be taken, acquired, or possessed. A
12 permit may not be issued unless the commissioner has first
13 determined that the permitted act will not be detrimental to the
14 species.

15 **Subp. 3. Permits for taking.** Permits for the taking of
16 endangered or threatened species or their parts may be issued
17 only to named individuals. Permits for taking are valid only
18 for the named permittees and are not transferable. Permits
19 solely for possession, importation, transportation, propagation,
20 sale, or disposal may be issued in the name of an institution or
21 individual.

22 **Subp. 4. Sale or transfer of specimens.** Specimens held
23 under permit may not be sold or otherwise transferred from the
24 custody of the permittee without the prior written approval of
25 the commissioner, unless otherwise provided in the permit.

26 **Subp. 5. Offspring.** Offspring of any specimen possessed
27 under a permit will be subject to parts 6212.1800 to 6212.2300
28 and to all the terms and conditions set forth in the permit.

29 **Subp. 6. Reports.** Before January 31 of each year, each
30 permittee who has taken any endangered or threatened species or
31 parts during the preceding calendar year must file a report with
32 the commissioner describing the specimens taken and their
33 current disposition. Specimens consumed by use or otherwise
34 destroyed must be so noted. Permittees must submit additional
35 reports as may be required by the permit. A permit will not be
36 renewed unless all required reports have been submitted.

1 Subp. 7. **Possession of permit.** Individual permittees must
2 have their permit available for inspection by the commissioner
3 while doing any act authorized by the permit. Permits issued in
4 the names of institutions must be available for inspection
5 during regular business hours.

6 Subp. 8. **Expiration, cancellation, and revocation of**
7 **threatened and endangered permits.** All permits issued as
8 provided by parts 6212.1800 to 6212.2300 expire on December 31
9 of the year of issuance, unless otherwise specified in the
10 permit, and may be renewed.

11 All permits issued as provided by parts 6212.1800 to
12 6212.2300 are subject to immediate cancellation by the
13 commissioner upon determination that such cancellation is
14 necessary for the conservation of the natural resources of this
15 state, for the welfare of particular specimens, or is in the
16 public interest.

17 Violation of any of the provisions of parts 6212.1800 to
18 6212.2300 or the terms of any permit issued under those parts
19 may result in immediate revocation of the permit, and may
20 subject the permittee to other penalties established by law.

21 6212.1900 REHABILITATION PERMITS.

22 Subpart 1. **Permit criteria.** Permits for rehabilitation of
23 endangered or threatened species will be issued under the
24 following criteria:

25 A. Individuals or institutions wishing to care for
26 and rehabilitate injured, disabled, or orphaned specimens of
27 endangered or threatened species must make written application
28 to the commissioner.

29 B. An inspection of the applicant's premises will be
30 conducted to determine whether the applicant's competence and
31 facilities are adequate for the care and rehabilitation of
32 endangered or threatened species.

33 C. Upon the commissioner's determination that the
34 applicant's competence and facilities are adequate for care and
35 rehabilitation and that a need exists for additional

1 rehabilitation permittees, a rehabilitation permit will be
2 issued. Permits may be issued to an individual or an
3 institution. A permit will not be issued unless the
4 commissioner has determined that the permitted act will not be
5 detrimental to the species.

6 Subp. 2. **Receipt of specimens.** Permittees may receive
7 specimens for care and rehabilitation only from or with the
8 approval of the commissioner, or in such other manner as may be
9 provided in the permit. Specimens otherwise received must be
10 reported to a conservation officer within 48 hours and
11 surrendered, if so requested.

12 Subp. 3. **Release of specimens.** Specimens may be possessed
13 by permittees only for care and rehabilitation purposes.
14 Specimens must be released into the wild as soon as feasible.
15 If rehabilitation and eventual release are not feasible and no
16 valid scientific or educational purpose will be served by
17 keeping the specimen alive, it must be surrendered to the
18 commissioner upon request or disposed of as may be provided by
19 the permit.

20 Subp. 4. **Disposition.** A specimen may not be intentionally
21 tamed or kept longer than necessary for restoration of its
22 health. Specimens may not be sold or otherwise transferred from
23 the custody of the permittee without the prior written approval
24 of the commissioner, unless otherwise provided in the permit.
25 Specimens that die while in the custody of the permittee must be
26 reported to a conservation officer within 48 hours and
27 surrendered, if so requested.

28 Subp. 5. **Inspection of facilities and specimens.**
29 Conservation officers or other agents of the commissioner may at
30 reasonable hours make periodic checks and inspections of
31 permittees' facilities and the specimens kept. Specimens may be
32 removed from the custody of the permittee if necessary for the
33 welfare of the specimen.

34 Subp. 6. **Offspring.** Offspring of any specimen possessed
35 under a rehabilitation permit must be returned to the wild as
36 soon as feasible, unless otherwise provided in the permit.

1 While in possession, such offspring are subject to parts
2 6212.1800 to 6212.2300 and to all the terms and conditions set
3 forth in the permit.

4 6212.2000 PERMITS FOR PREVIOUSLY ACQUIRED SPECIMENS.

5 Permits for specimens of endangered or threatened species,
6 including parts, may be issued to persons who have lawfully
7 acquired such specimens under the following conditions:

8 A. before May 30, 1985; or

9 B. before they were listed as endangered or
10 threatened.

11 These permits may be issued upon the applicant's submission
12 of proof of having lawfully acquired the specimens before such
13 date or before listing occurred.

14 6212.2100 OTHER PERMITS.

15 Permits for the taking, possession, importation,
16 transportation, purchase, sale, or disposal of endangered or
17 threatened species of animals, plants, or insects may be issued
18 on prescribed conditions when the commissioner has determined
19 that:

20 A. the permitted act enhances the propagation or
21 survival of the affected species;

22 B. the permitted act prevents injury to persons or
23 property, including livestock, provided that a specimen causing
24 this injury may be killed only after all other alternatives have
25 been evaluated and rejected; or

26 C. the social and economic benefits of the permitted
27 act outweigh the harm caused by it, provided that the killing of
28 a specimen for these purposes will be permitted only after all
29 other alternatives have been evaluated and rejected.

30 6212.2200 PROCESSED SPECIMENS OF ENDANGERED OR THREATENED
31 SPECIES.

32 The tanned, mounted, or processed furs, skins, feathers, or
33 other parts of endangered or threatened species, including such
34 parts that have been incorporated into manufactured goods, may

1 be possessed, imported, transported, purchased, sold, or
2 otherwise disposed of without a permit, provided the specimens
3 were in a tanned or processed condition and lawfully acquired
4 under the following conditions:

- 5 A. before May 30, 1985;
- 6 B. before they were listed as endangered or
7 threatened; or
- 8 C. before they were brought into Minnesota.

9 6212.2300 EMERGENCY TAKING.

10 Within 48 hours after the taking of a threatened or
11 endangered animal that has threatened human life, the entire
12 carcass, including the hide, must be surrendered to the
13 commissioner.

14 FISHING CONTESTS

15 6212.2400 PERMIT REQUIREMENTS FOR FISHING CONTESTS.

16 Issuance of permits for fishing contests is provided for by
17 Minnesota Statutes, section 97C.081. Permits may also be
18 required, as provided by Minnesota Statutes, section 86B.121, by
19 the sheriff of the county in which the contest is held.
20 Application to obtain a permit must be made a minimum of 14 days
21 prior to the contest on forms provided by the commissioner.
22 Application information includes name of contest, name and
23 address of permittee, name of sponsor, name and location of
24 contest waters, public accesses to be used, fish species
25 included in the contest, weigh-in stations, estimated number of
26 participants, contest dates and hours, entry fee, and prize
27 values. Contest rules must be attached to the application.
28 Application forms may be obtained from department fisheries
29 offices. Completed applications must be submitted to the
30 department regional office responsible for the management of the
31 contest waters or the department's Saint Paul office if the
32 contest includes waters in more than one region.

33 6212.2500 PERMIT CONDITIONS.

34 Subpart 1. Permittee requirements. The contest permittee

1 must be an individual and a resident of this state. The
2 permittee is responsible for conducting the contest and may not
3 delegate responsibility to another party.

4 Subp. 2. **Tagged and marked fish.** Permits will be denied
5 for contests involving tagged or marked fish for identification
6 for special rewards.

7 Subp. 3. **Trout waters.** Permits may be denied when the
8 proposed contest water is managed for trout.

9 Subp. 4. **Limitation on number of boats.** Contest
10 participation will be limited to not more than one boat for each
11 ten acres of contest water.

12 Subp. 5. **High use periods.** Permits may be denied for
13 opening day, holidays, or other high use periods.

14 Subp. 6. **Limitation on number of contests per lake.**
15 Permits may be denied if more than one contest of seven days or
16 less would be in progress on any one water body on the same day.

17 Subp. 7. **Game fish spawning periods.** Permits may be
18 denied if contests coincide with game fish spawning periods.

19 Subp. 8. **Live release tournaments.** Permits for live
20 release tournaments may be denied when anticipated environmental
21 conditions may cause increased mortality of released fish.

22 Subp. 9. **Limitation on number of contests per year.** The
23 maximum number of contests that may be held annually on any one
24 water body may be limited.

25 Subp. 10. **Limitations on contest length.** Permits may be
26 denied for contests exceeding eight hours in length during any
27 contest day.

28 Subp. 11. **Restrictions on live bait use.** Permits may be
29 denied for live release contests where use of live bait may
30 cause increased mortality.

31 Subp. 12. **Restrictions on research waters.** Permits may be
32 denied for contests on waters where research projects are being
33 conducted.

34 Subp. 13. **Restrictions on negative impact.** Permits may be
35 denied for contests that the commissioner determines will have
36 excessive negative impact on natural resources or that pose

1 unacceptable safety risks for participants.

2 6212.2600 POSSESSION OF FISH.

3 Subpart 1. **Possession limits.** Possession limits for
4 contest waters apply to all contest participants at all times
5 except that the total number of fish killed by a contest
6 participant may not exceed one possession limit per event.

7 Subp. 2. **Restrictions on sorting.** Once a limit of fish
8 has been reduced to possession, no culling or live well sorting
9 of that species is allowed.

10 Subp. 3. **Authority to hold and release fish.** In contests
11 where fish may be returned to the contest water, the permittee
12 may be authorized to hold healthy fish and release them
13 immediately following weigh-in. Suitable release sites may be
14 specified in the permit.

15 6212.2700 CONTEST OPERATION.

16 Subpart 1. **Restriction on use of public accesses.** No
17 contest may preempt use of a boat ramp or parking spaces at
18 public access to contest waters.

19 Subp. 2. **Removal of debris.** The permittee will be
20 responsible for removal of all debris, rubbish, trash, or dead
21 fish resulting from the contest.

22 Subp. 3. **Inspection and removal of exotic organisms.**
23 Inspection and removal of exotic organisms including, but not
24 limited to, species such as zebra mussels or Eurasian water
25 milfoil, as provided by Minnesota Statutes, section 18.317, from
26 boats and trailers entering and leaving water accesses is
27 required.

28 Subp. 4. **Restriction on lotteries.** No contest or any
29 drawing or raffle conducted in conjunction with the contest may
30 constitute an illegal lottery as provided by Minnesota Statutes,
31 section 609.75, or violate the provisions of the lawful gambling
32 law as provided by Minnesota Statutes, sections 349.11 to 349.23.

33 6212.2800 FISHING CONTEST REPORTING REQUIREMENT.

34 The permittee must submit a report of contest activities on

1 forms provided by the commissioner within 30 days after
 2 completion of the contest. All information requested on the
 3 report must be provided. Failure to submit a report as required
 4 may render the permittee ineligible for future permits.

5 TRANSFER OF WILD ANIMALS BY GIFT

6 6214.0100 TRANSFER OF WILD ANIMALS BY GIFT.

7 Subpart 1. **Requirements for receipt of gifted animals.**

8 Lawfully taken protected wild animals may be transferred by
 9 gift. Unless otherwise provided by this part, the donor must
 10 prepare a receipt containing the following information and give
 11 it to the recipient at the time of transfer:

12 A. name and address of donor;

13 B. name and address of recipient;

14 C. date of transfer;

15 D. description of gift, including number and species;

16 and

17 E. license number under which the animal was taken,

18 or, if acquired by the donor other than by taking, a description
 19 of how the animal was acquired.

20 Subp. 2. **Retention of receipt with gift.** Lawfully taken

21 protected wild animals and their parts may be acquired by gift.
 22 Unless otherwise provided by this part, the recipient of these
 23 animals may possess them only if a receipt has been received
 24 from the donor and retained in possession as described in this
 25 part.

26 Subp. 3. **Gift by members of same household.** A receipt is

27 not required if both the donor and the recipient are members of
 28 the same household and the transferred animal is stored in that
 29 household.

30 PUBLIC ACCESS

31 6218.0100 GENERAL RESTRICTIONS ON USE OF PUBLIC WATER ACCESS
 32 SITES.

33 Subpart 1. **Parking restrictions.** Vehicles must be parked

34 only in designated parking areas and may not obstruct any avenue
 35 of ingress or egress to the site or launch area, except when

1 loading and unloading watercraft or other equipment.

2 Subp. 2. **Taking of wildlife prohibited.** A person may not
3 take any wildlife species, except fish by angling, on a public
4 water access site.

5 Subp. 3. **Restrictions on possession of firearms, bows and**
6 **arrows, and other weapons.** A person may not possess loaded
7 firearms within a public water access site or use any firearm,
8 bow and arrow, air rifle, slingshot, or other missile propelling
9 weapon.

10 Subp. 4. **Plants at public water access sites protected.** A
11 person may not remove, destroy, or damage any vegetation from a
12 public water access site, except as posted or permitted.

13 Subp. 5. **Livestock prohibited.** A person may not permit
14 livestock to enter a public water access site.

15 Subp. 6. **Burning prohibited.** Burning within a public
16 water access site is allowed only in designated locations.

17 Subp. 7. **Destruction of public property prohibited.** The
18 destruction of any public property within a public water access
19 site is prohibited.

20 Subp. 8. **Camping prohibited.** A person may not camp on or
21 remain in a vehicle overnight in any public water access site,
22 unless the site is posted for this use by the commissioner.

23 Subp. 9. **Abandonment or storage of fish houses, dark**
24 **houses, other structures, or property prohibited.** A person may
25 not leave, store, or abandon a fish house, shelter house, dark
26 house, other structure, or property within a public water access
27 site.

28 Subp. 10. **Storage of watercraft prohibited.** A person may
29 not leave, store, or moor any watercraft on a public water
30 access site overnight.

31 Subp. 11. **Obstruction prohibited.** A person may not place
32 any obstacle or moor any watercraft in a manner that obstructs
33 ingress or egress to a public water access site.

34 Subp. 12. **Compatible uses.** Public water access sites may
35 be used for swimming unless otherwise posted.

36 Subp. 13. **Intoxicating liquor prohibited.** A person may

1 not consume intoxicating liquor within a public water access
2 site.

3 6218.0200 PUBLIC WATER ACCESS SITES WITH RESTRICTED USES.

4 Unless otherwise posted, a person may not use the following
5 public water access sites for any purpose other than loading or
6 unloading a watercraft or other equipment or while legally
7 performing activities related to the exercise of a license or
8 registration issued by the department:

- 9 A. North Long Lake, T. 135, R. 31, Crow Wing county;
- 10 B. Round Lake, T. 135, R. 31, Crow Wing county; and
- 11 C. Lake Washington, T. 109, R. 25, Le Sueur county.

12 HUNTING REGULATIONS AND REQUIREMENTS FOR REFUGES

13 AND PUBLIC LANDS

14 WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT AREAS

15 6230.0100 DEFINITIONS.

16 Subpart 1. **Scope.** The terms used in this chapter have the
17 meanings given them in this part.

18 Subp. 2. **Special goose season.** "Special goose season"
19 means an open season for the taking of geese where quotas exist
20 on the numbers of hunters or harvest or a season that is
21 restricted in area or time from the regular statewide seasons.

22 Subp. 3. **Waterfowl season.** "Waterfowl season" means any
23 open season for the taking of migratory waterfowl.

24 6230.0200 SPECIAL PROVISIONS FOR WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT AREAS.

25 Subpart 1. **Areas requiring a permit to trap.** The
26 following wildlife management areas are open to trapping with a
27 permit:

- 28 A. Carlos Avery in Anoka and Chisago counties;
- 29 B. Hubbel Pond in Becker county;
- 30 C. Red Lake in Beltrami and Lake of the Woods
31 counties;
- 32 D. Talcot Lake in Cottonwood and Murray counties;
- 33 E. Mille Lacs in Mille Lacs and Kanabec counties;
- 34 F. Lac qui Parle in Big Stone, Lac qui Parle, Swift,

1 and Chippewa counties;

2 G. Orwell in Otter Tail county;

3 H. Roseau River in Roseau county;

4 I. Thief Lake in Marshall county;

5 J. Rothsay in Wilkin county; and

6 K. Whitewater in Olmsted, Wabasha, and Winona
7 counties.

8 Subp. 2. **Trapping permits.** On areas where trapping
9 permits are required, the number of trapping permits may be
10 limited to avoid undue depletion of the furbearer resources or
11 to prevent excessive crowding of trappers. The wildlife manager
12 may establish a method, including a drawing, for impartially
13 selecting the persons who may trap. An application for a
14 trapping permit may be rejected if the trapper has failed to
15 submit a trapping report for the previous season. Permits may
16 be revoked at any time if the permittee violates any law or
17 regulation or fails to comply with the requirements of the
18 permit.

19 Subp. 3. **Areas closed to migratory waterfowl hunting.** The
20 Gordon F. Yeager Wildlife Management Area in Olmsted county and
21 the Carl Schmidt Wildlife Management Area in Morrison county are
22 closed to the taking of migratory waterfowl.

23 Subp. 4. **Areas with hunting, trapping, and firearms**
24 **restrictions.** The Bayport Wildlife Management Area in
25 Washington county and the Raguet Wildlife Management Area in
26 Scott and Carver counties are:

27 A. closed to the trapping of unprotected mammals,
28 except when there is an open trapping season for a protected
29 species;

30 B. closed to the possession of firearms unless
31 unloaded and contained in a case, except that shotguns with only
32 No. 4 buckshot or smaller diameter shot may be used during the
33 small game season in posted areas; and

34 C. open to the possession and use of lawful archery
35 equipment in designated hunting areas during established hunting
36 seasons.

1 In the Bayport Wildlife Management Area, all firearms will
 2 be allowed on the specified rifle range when supervised by the
 3 Minnesota Department of Corrections.

4 Subp. 5. **Areas closed to hunting and trapping.** The
 5 Boerner Wildlife Management Area in Sibley county, the Buelow
 6 Wildlife Management Area in Steele county, the Bryson Wildlife
 7 Management Area in Freeborn county, and the Hutchinson Wildlife
 8 Management Area in McLeod county are closed to the hunting and
 9 trapping of all species.

10 Subp. 6. **Areas closed to hunting only.** The Hearinging
 11 Island Wildlife Management Area in St. Louis county is closed to
 12 the hunting of all species.

13 Subp. 7. **Areas open to waterfowl hunting only.** The Gold
 14 Portage Wildlife Management Area in Koochiching and St. Louis
 15 counties is open to waterfowl hunting during the established
 16 season. It is closed to all other hunting and to trapping.

17 Subp. 8. **Areas open to hunting beginning with the opening
 18 of waterfowl season.** The Uppgaard Wildlife Management Area in
 19 Crow Wing county is open to hunting and trapping beginning on
 20 the opening date of the regular migratory waterfowl season.
 21 Unprotected species may not be taken, except during the same
 22 time and by the same methods legal to take protected species.

23 Subp. 9. **Areas closed to firearms deer hunting.** The Lake
 24 Blanche Wildlife Management Area in Otter Tail county is closed
 25 to firearms deer hunting.

26 STATE GAME REFUGES

27 6230.0300 PERMIT REQUIRED TO TRAP BEAVER AND OTTER.

28 A person may not trap beaver or otter within any
 29 state-owned game refuge without first obtaining a permit from
 30 the appropriate wildlife manager.

31 NATIONAL WILDLIFE REFUGES AND FEDERAL WATERFOWL

32 PRODUCTION AREAS

33 6230.1200 GENERAL REGULATIONS FOR NATIONAL WILDLIFE REFUGES AND
 34 FEDERAL WATERFOWL PRODUCTION AREAS.

35 Subpart 1. **Waterfowl production areas open unless posted.**

1 Unless otherwise posted, waterfowl production areas are open to
2 hunting and trapping.

3 Subp. 2. **Refuges closed to taking of otter.** National
4 wildlife refuges are closed to the taking of otter.

5 6230.1300 SPECIAL PROVISIONS FOR NATIONAL WILDLIFE REFUGES.

6 Subpart 1. **National wildlife refuges open to hunting.** The
7 national wildlife refuges described in the following subparts
8 are open to the hunting and trapping of protected wild animals
9 during the state seasons and subject to special federal
10 regulations, except as otherwise provided.

11 Subp. 2. **Agassiz National Wildlife Refuge, Marshall county.**
12 Portions of Agassiz National Wildlife Refuge in Marshall county
13 are open to firearm hunting of deer and moose. Areas closed to
14 hunting are posted as "Area Beyond This Sign Closed," or as
15 shown on maps available at Refuge Headquarters.

16 Subp. 3. **Big Stone National Wildlife Refuge, Big Stone and
17 Lac qui Parle counties.** Portions of Big Stone National Wildlife
18 Refuge in Big Stone and Lac qui Parle counties are open to
19 firearm and archery hunting of deer, muzzleloader hunting of
20 deer by permit, and firearm hunting of cottontail rabbit, jack
21 rabbit, gray squirrel, fox squirrel, red and gray fox, gray
22 partridge, and pheasant in areas posted as "Public Hunting Area"
23 or as shown on maps available at parking areas and Refuge
24 Headquarters.

25 Subp. 4. **Rice Lake National Wildlife Refuge, Aitkin county.**
26 Portions of Rice Lake National Wildlife Refuge in Aitkin county
27 are open to firearm hunting of deer by special permit,
28 cottontail rabbit, snowshoe hare, gray squirrel, fox squirrel,
29 ruffed grouse, and spruce grouse in areas posted as "Public
30 Hunting Area" or as shown on maps available at Refuge
31 Headquarters.

32 Subp. 5. **Sherburne National Wildlife Refuge, Sherburne
33 county.** Portions of Sherburne National Wildlife Refuge in
34 Sherburne county are open to firearm and archery hunting of deer
35 and firearm hunting of cottontail rabbit, jack rabbit, snowshoe

1 hare, gray squirrel, fox squirrel, ruffed grouse, pheasant,
2 woodcock, Wilson's snipe, sora rail, and Virginia rail. Hunting
3 in closed areas and target shooting are prohibited. Maps of
4 hunting areas are available at Refuge Headquarters.

5 Subp. 6. **Tamarac National Wildlife Refuge in Becker county.**
6 Portions of Tamarac National Wildlife Refuge in Becker county
7 are open to firearm and archery hunting of deer and firearm
8 hunting of cottontail rabbit, jack rabbit, snowshoe hare, gray
9 squirrel, fox squirrel, ruffed grouse, snipe, woodcock, rails,
10 coots, and waterfowl in areas posted as "Public Hunting Area" or
11 as shown on maps available at Refuge Headquarters.

12 Subp. 7. **Upper Mississippi River National Wildlife and**
13 **Fish Refuge, Wabasha, Winona, and Houston counties.** Portions of
14 the Upper Mississippi River National Wildlife and Fish Refuge
15 located in Wabasha, Winona, and Houston counties are open to
16 hunting except as follows: Hunting is prohibited between March
17 1 and September 1, except that hunting of wild turkey is
18 permitted during the spring turkey seasons. In areas posted
19 closed, hunting of all protected species, except geese, is
20 permitted beginning the day after the close of the duck season.
21 For more information contact Refuge Headquarters.

22 Subp. 8. **Minnesota Valley National Wildlife Refuge,**
23 **Carver, Dakota, Hennepin, and Scott counties.** Portions of the
24 Minnesota Valley National Wildlife Refuge known as Louisville
25 Swamp located near Carver in Scott county, and the Wilkie Unit
26 in Scott county, are open to deer hunting in accordance with
27 state and special regulations. Portions of the refuge in
28 Hennepin, Scott, Carver, and Dakota counties may be open to
29 waterfowl hunting. Areas open will be posted with signs saying
30 "Open to Waterfowl Hunting - Special Regulations in Effect -
31 Consult Refuge Manager." Other areas may be open to waterfowl
32 hunting by special use permit.

33 BIG GAME REGULATIONS

34 GENERAL RESTRICTIONS

35 6232.0100 GENERAL RESTRICTIONS FOR TAKING BIG GAME.

1 Subpart 1. **Inspection.** All big game must be transported
2 in such a manner that inspection by registration agents or
3 conservation officers is readily accomplished.

4 Subp. 2. **Animal possession.** Persons taking big game must
5 retain any required license, permit, seal, or tag as long as any
6 of the meat is in their possession.

7 Subp. 3. **Bow and arrow casing and stand requirements.** All
8 licensed big game hunters hunting by archery must have their
9 bows unstrung or cased while in the field from 30 minutes after
10 the close of shooting hours to 30 minutes before the start of
11 shooting hours daily. A licensed archery hunter may not occupy
12 an elevated stand at any time from sunset to one hour before
13 sunrise while in possession of a bow and arrow unless the bow is
14 cased and on the ground.

15 Subp. 4. **Elevated stands in state parks.** It is unlawful
16 to construct, occupy, or use any elevated blind or stand for the
17 purpose of hunting, observing, or killing big game in state
18 parks, when opened to hunting, except that portable stands or
19 blinds may be used for this purpose provided they are removed
20 each day at the close of hunting hours and do no permanent
21 damage.

22 Subp. 5. **Removal from site of kill.** A person may
23 field-dress or hang a big game animal at the site of the kill,
24 but may not remove it from the site without the tag being
25 attached.

26 Subp. 6. **Wounded game included in bag limit.** Wounded or
27 captured game reduced to possession must be killed before being
28 removed from the site where taken, and once reduced to
29 possession must be included in a person's daily bag limit.

30 DEER

31 6232.0200 DEFINITIONS.

32 Subpart 1. **Scope.** The terms used in parts 6232.0200 to
33 6232.2550 have the meanings given them in this part.

34 Subp. 2. **Antlerless deer.** "Antlerless deer" means does,
35 fawns, and bucks with no antler three inches or more in length.

1 Subp. 3. **Antlerless permit area.** "Antlerless permit area"
2 means an area of the state consisting of one or more deer
3 registration blocks where taking antlerless deer is authorized
4 by permit.

5 Subp. 4. **Bait.** "Bait" means grains, fruits, vegetables,
6 nuts, hay, or other food transported and placed for the purpose
7 of attracting or enticing deer. Liquid scents, salt, and
8 minerals are not bait.

9 Subp. 5. **Deer management permit.** "Deer management permit"
10 means a license to take and tag a second deer available for
11 one-half the cost of a regular resident or nonresident license.

12 Subp. 6. **Legal buck.** "Legal buck" means a deer having at
13 least one antler three inches or more in length.

14 Subp. 7. **Registration block.** "Registration block" means a
15 geographic area designated for the registration of harvested
16 deer and bear as provided by part 6232.4700.

17 6232.0300 GENERAL RESTRICTIONS FOR TAKING DEER.

18 Subpart 1. **Zone and date options.** A firearm deer hunter
19 may purchase either a regular firearm license or a multizone
20 buck license. A hunter purchasing a regular firearm license,
21 including a hunter choosing a muzzleloader option, must select
22 only one of the zone and date options listed on the license.
23 For the regular firearm season, this choice will be indicated by
24 a punched hole at the time of purchase. A person may only hunt
25 deer by firearms within the zone and date options indicated on
26 the person's license.

27 Subp. 2. **Modification of quota numbers for group**
28 **applications.** The quota of licenses or permits for a drawing
29 may be increased to accommodate group members if the last
30 applicant to be selected is a member of a group.

31 Subp. 3. **Party hunting.** A party is a group of two or more
32 licensed deer hunters who are afield hunting together and are
33 all using firearms or all using archery equipment. A member of
34 a party may kill a deer for another member of the party who has
35 an unused tag valid for that deer. A mixed-weapons group is

1 considered two separate parties. Multizone buck licensees may
2 party hunt with regular firearms licensees.

3 Subp. 4. **Baiting.** A person may not place or use bait for
4 the purpose of taking deer. This restriction does not apply to
5 food resulting from normal or accepted farming, forest
6 management, wildlife management, orchard management, or other
7 similar land management activities.

8 Subp. 5. **Tagging.** The seal or the tag must be affixed
9 around the tendon or bone of a hind leg, around the base of an
10 antler, or through a slit cut in either ear so that the seal
11 cannot be readily removed.

12 Subp. 6. **License validation.** At the time a deer is tagged
13 at the site of kill, the license of the person whose tag is
14 affixed to the deer must be validated. Validation consists of
15 using a knife or similar sharp object to cut out or a pen to
16 indelibly mark the appropriate notch on the license indicating:

- 17 A. the month the deer was taken;
18 B. the date the deer was taken; and
19 C. the time of day the deer was taken.

20 Subp. 7. **All-terrain vehicle use by licensed hunters.** A
21 person licensed to take deer must not operate an all-terrain
22 vehicle in an area open for the taking of deer by firearms
23 during legal shooting hours on a day that they are licensed to
24 take deer within that area except from 11:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.
25 each day. For purposes of this chapter, all-terrain vehicles
26 are vehicles, including trail bikes, three-wheelers,
27 four-wheelers, tracked vehicles, or other manufactured or
28 homemade vehicles, must not be licensed for highway use. Motor
29 vehicles licensed for and being lawfully operated on a public
30 road or highway, or farm tractors being used for agricultural
31 purposes, are exempt from this subpart. This subpart applies to
32 all lands and waters regardless of ownership except that a
33 person using an all-terrain vehicle in pursuing an occupation on
34 the person's own land and not in possession of a firearm is
35 exempt. A permit to operate these vehicles during the
36 restricted hours may be issued by a conservation officer in the

1 event of an emergency or other unusual conditions. Legal use of
2 snowmobiles during the open deer season is governed by part
3 6100.5100.

4 6232.0400 REGISTRATION OF DEER.

5 Subpart 1. **Bow and arrow deer registration.** Persons
6 taking deer by archery must, within 48 hours after taking,
7 present the deer to a designated deer registration station or
8 other authorized agent who must provide a possession tag to be
9 affixed to the carcass as specified by part 6232.0300, subpart 5.

10 Subp. 2. **Firearms deer registration.** Persons taking a
11 deer by firearms must present the deer for registration at a
12 designated deer registration station or agent of the
13 commissioner and obtain a big game possession tag before:

14 A. the deer is removed from the zone in which it is
15 taken;

16 B. the deer is processed either privately or
17 commercially; and

18 C. one day after the close of the season specified on
19 the license.

20 Official registration stations located within the city
21 limits through which a zone boundary passes or an official
22 registration station across the road but adjacent to the zone in
23 which a deer is legally taken meet the requirement for
24 registration within a zone. Deer taken in firearms deer Zone 1
25 may be legally registered at registration stations in Cross Lake.

26 All deer taken in firearms special hunt areas must be
27 registered as specified in the materials provided to all special
28 hunt permittees.

29 Subp. 3. **Muzzleloader deer registration.** A person taking
30 a deer by muzzleloader firearms during the muzzleloader season
31 must present the deer for registration at a registration station
32 designated for deer taken by muzzleloader. Registration must be
33 made no later than 24 hours after the expiration of the license
34 or permit under which the deer was taken.

35 Subp. 4. **General provisions for registration of deer.** The

1 deer license number and the year for which the possession tag is
2 issued must be recorded in the appropriate place on the
3 possession tag in indelible ink. If a mistake is made in
4 writing the license number, the agent must reissue a correct
5 possession tag. Registration agents are not required to inspect
6 deer at registration stations. Legally registered deer may be
7 transported anytime during or after the deer hunting season. No
8 part of the carcass, except entrails, may be removed until after
9 the possession tag has been affixed. The possession tag must be
10 affixed securely as described for the tag as provided by part
11 6232.0300, subpart 5. A person may not process a deer unless it
12 has been registered as evidenced by an attached possession tag.

13 6232.0500 DEER LICENSES FOR MILITARY PERSONNEL.

14 Military personnel and disabled veterans may obtain a
15 license to hunt deer as authorized by Minnesota Statutes,
16 sections 97A.441 and 97A.465, under the conditions in this part.

17 A. The free license, antlerless permit, and tag must
18 be obtained from the county auditor.

19 B. The auditor must punch the zone and the date
20 option selected by the applicant.

21 C. The license entitles the holder to take a deer in
22 the zone and during the date option selected. Antlerless deer
23 may be taken in that portion of the zone where quotas are
24 prescribed as provided by part 6232.1800, but taking antlerless
25 deer must be confined to the dates when antlerless deer permits
26 are valid within the zone selected. A license is not valid in
27 the special areas provided in this chapter. Military or
28 disabled veteran licensees are not eligible for deer management
29 permits or multizone buck licenses.

30 D. If the muzzleloader season is selected, hunting
31 must be confined to those areas as provided by this chapter and
32 is subject to all other provisions applying to the muzzleloader
33 hunt.

34 E. If an archery license is obtained, hunting is
35 subject to all other provisions which apply to archery deer

1 hunting.

2 F. The license and official leave papers or evidence
3 of disability must be carried on the person of the licensee
4 while hunting deer and transporting any deer taken.

5 G. All persons hunting deer under this subpart must
6 comply with all provisions of this chapter not inconsistent with
7 this part.

8 TAKING DEER BY ARCHERY

9 6232.0600 SEASONS AND ZONES FOR TAKING DEER BY ARCHERY.

10 Subpart 1. **Southwest Minnesota Zone.** The following
11 provisions apply to the taking of deer by archery in the
12 Southwest Minnesota Zone:

13 A. The open area consists of:

14 That part of Deer Zone 4 lying south of a line beginning at
15 the intersection of Interstate 94 (I-94) and the western
16 boundary of the state; thence along I-94 to State Trunk
17 Highway (STH) 23; thence along STH 23 to the western
18 boundary of Deer Zone 2.

19 B. Open dates are from the Saturday on or nearest
20 September 16 through the Sunday on or nearest December 6.

21 Subp. 2. **Northern Minnesota Zone.** The following
22 provisions apply to the taking of deer by archery in the
23 Northern Minnesota Zone:

24 A. The open area consists of:

25 That part of Deer Zones 1 and 2 lying north and east of
26 Deer Registration Blocks 246, 172, 173, 174, 182, 156, and
27 159, and that part of Deer Zone 4 lying north of a line
28 beginning at the intersection of Interstate 94 (I-94) and
29 the western boundary of the state; thence along I-94 to
30 State Trunk Highway (STH) 23; thence along STH 23 to the
31 western boundary of Deer Zone 2.

32 B. Open dates are from the Saturday nearest September
33 16 through the Sunday nearest December 6; except that Deer
34 Registration Blocks 115, 116, 117, 118, 127, 130, and 194 are
35 open from the Saturday nearest September 16 through the last day
36 of the regular Zone 1 firearms deer season.

37 Subp. 3. **Southeast/East Central Minnesota Zone.** The
38 following provisions apply to the taking of deer by archery in
39 the Southeast/East Central Minnesota Zone:

40 A. The open area consists of:

1 All of Deer Zone 3 and that part of Deer Zones 1 and 2
2 south of, and including, Deer Registration Blocks 246, 172,
3 173, 174, 182, 156, and 159.

4 B. Open dates are from the Saturday nearest September
5 16 through December 31.

6 6232.0700 LEGAL DEER BY ARCHERY.

7 Antlerless deer and legal bucks may be taken by archery
8 except when the regular firearms season is open. Only legal
9 bucks may be taken in a zone open during the regular firearms
10 season, except that persons authorized under an archery deer
11 management permit or special permit may take antlerless deer.

12 6232.0800 ARCHERY SPECIAL HUNT AREAS AND PROCEDURES.

13 The special bow and arrow hunt permit application
14 procedure, except the Camp Ripley archery hunt, is described in
15 this subpart.

16 A. Hunters must send a stamped, self-addressed
17 business-sized envelope to the headquarters of the appropriate
18 special bow hunt unit with a request for the application form
19 and instructions. A person may not apply more than once for a
20 hunt, whether as an individual or as a member of a group.

21 B. Up to four persons may apply as a group by mailing
22 all applications in one envelope. Either the entire group will
23 be selected by the drawing or none will be selected.

24 C. Incomplete or improperly completed applications
25 will be rejected.

26 D. The application deadline for special hunts is the
27 first Thursday following Labor Day.

28 E. Hunters may not apply for more than one of the
29 hunts conducted in the Hennepin County Park system.

30 6232.1200 ARCHERY DEER MANAGEMENT PERMITS.

31 The purchase of an archery deer management permit is
32 authorized for any person who has purchased and presents an
33 archery deer license from the current year. Archery deer
34 management permits may be purchased from county auditors'
35 offices and the license bureau. The archery deer management

1 permit authorizes taking an antlerless deer in the following
2 areas:

3 A. special hunt areas by permittees where deer
4 management permits are valid; and

5 B. designated antlerless permit areas, which consist
6 of antlerless permit areas that the commissioner anticipates
7 will be undersubscribed.

8 TAKING DEER BY FIREARMS

9 6232.1300 SEASONS FOR TAKING DEER BY FIREARMS.

10 Subpart 1. **Zone 1.** Legal bucks may be taken in Zone 1 for
11 a 16-day period beginning the Saturday nearest November 6.
12 Antlerless deer may be taken only by permit throughout this
13 season and only within the permit area specified on each
14 hunter's permit.

15 Subp. 2. **Zone 2.** Legal bucks may be taken in Zone 2 for a
16 nine-day period beginning the Saturday nearest November 6.
17 Antlerless deer may be taken only by permit throughout this
18 season and only within the permit area specified on each
19 hunter's permit.

20 Subp. 3. **Zone 3.** This subpart applies to season dates in
21 Zone 3.

22 A. Legal bucks may be taken in the early season in
23 Zone 3 for a nine-day period beginning the Saturday nearest
24 November 6.

25 B. Legal bucks and antlerless deer may be taken
26 during the late season in Zone 3 for a seven-day period
27 beginning the Saturday nearest November 20. Antlerless deer may
28 be taken only by permit and only within the permit area
29 specified on each hunter's permit.

30 Subp. 4. **Zone 4.** This subpart applies to season dates in
31 Zone 4.

32 A. Legal bucks and antlerless deer may be taken in
33 the early season in Zone 4 for a two-day period beginning the
34 Saturday nearest November 6. Antlerless deer may be taken only
35 by permit and only within the permit area specified on each

1 hunter's permit.

2 B. Legal bucks and antlerless deer may be taken in
3 the late season in Zone 4 for a four-day period beginning the
4 Saturday nearest November 13. Antlerless deer may be taken only
5 by permit and only within the permit area specified on each
6 hunter's permit.

7 6232.1400 ZONE DESCRIPTIONS.

8 Subpart 1. **Zone 1.** Zone 1 is that portion of the state
9 lying within the following described boundary:

10 Beginning on State Trunk Highway (STH) 72 at the northern
11 boundary of the state; thence along STH 72 to the Tamarac
12 River, Beltrami County; thence along the southerly shore of
13 the Tamarac River to Upper Red Lake; thence along the
14 easterly and southerly shores of Upper Red Lake to the
15 easterly boundary of the Red Lake Indian Reservation;
16 thence along the easterly boundary of said Reservation to
17 STH 1; thence along STH 1 to STH 72; thence along STH 72 to
18 U.S. Highway 71; thence along U.S. Highway 71 to County
19 State Aid Highway (CSAH) 39, Beltrami County; thence along
20 CSAH 39 to CSAH 20, Beltrami County; thence along CSAH 20
21 to the junction with CSAH 53, Beltrami County; thence along
22 CSAH 53 to CSAH 12, Beltrami County; thence along CSAH 12
23 to CSAH 51, Beltrami County; thence along CSAH 51 to CSAH
24 8, Beltrami County; thence along CSAH 8 to CSAH 25,
25 Beltrami County; thence along CSAH 25 to CSAH 4, Beltrami
26 County; thence along CSAH 4 to CSAH 46, Hubbard County;
27 thence along CSAH 46 to U.S. Highway 2; thence along U.S.
28 Highway 2 to CSAH 45, Hubbard County; thence along CSAH 45
29 to CSAH 9, Hubbard County; thence along CSAH 9 to CSAH 69,
30 Cass County; thence along CSAH 69 to CSAH 5, Hubbard
31 County; thence along CSAH 5 to CSAH 39, Hubbard County;
32 thence along CSAH 39 to County Road (CR) 94, Hubbard
33 County; thence along CR 94 to CSAH 31, Hubbard County;
34 thence along CSAH 31 to STH 200; thence along STH 200 to
35 STH 371; thence along STH 371 to STH 84; thence along STH
36 84 to CSAH 2, Cass County; thence along CSAH 2 to CSAH 1,
37 Crow Wing County; thence along CSAH 1 to STH 6; thence
38 along STH 6 to STH 18; thence along STH 18 to U.S. Highway
39 169; thence due east from said junction to the west shore
40 of Mille Lacs Lake; thence along the westerly and southerly
41 shores of said lake to a point due north of the junction of
42 U.S. Highway 169 and STH 27; thence due south to said
43 junction; thence along U.S. Highway 169 to STH 23; thence
44 along STH 23 to STH 65; thence along STH 65 to STH 70;
45 thence along STH 70 to the east boundary of the state;
46 thence along the easterly and northerly boundaries of the
47 state to the point of beginning.

48 Subp. 2. **Zone 2.** Zone 2 is that portion of the state
49 lying within the following described boundary:

50 Beginning on State Trunk Highway (STH) 72 at the northern
51 boundary of the state; thence along STH 72 to the Tamarac
52 River, Beltrami County; thence along the southerly shore of
53 the Tamarac River to Upper Red Lake; thence along the
54 easterly and southerly shores of Upper Red Lake to the
55 easterly boundary of the Red Lake Indian Reservation;
56 thence along the easterly boundary of said Reservation to
57 STH 1; thence along STH 1 to STH 72; thence along STH 72 to
58 U.S. Highway 71; thence along U.S. Highway 71 to County

1 State Aid Highway (CSAH) 39, Beltrami County; thence along
 2 CSAH 39 to CSAH 20, Beltrami County; thence along CSAH 20
 3 to CSAH 53, Beltrami County; thence along CSAH 53 to CSAH
 4 12, Beltrami County; thence along CSAH 12 to CSAH 51,
 5 Beltrami County; thence along CSAH 51 to CSAH 8, Beltrami
 6 County; thence along CSAH 8 to CSAH 25, Beltrami County;
 7 thence along CSAH 25 to CSAH 4, Beltrami County; thence
 8 along CSAH 4 to CSAH 46, Hubbard County; thence along CSAH
 9 46 to U.S. Highway 2; thence along U.S. Highway 2 to CSAH
 10 45, Hubbard County; thence along CSAH 45 to CSAH 9, Hubbard
 11 County; thence along CSAH 9 to CSAH 69, Cass County; thence
 12 along CSAH 69 to the junction of CSAH 5, Hubbard County;
 13 thence along CSAH 5 to CSAH 39, Hubbard County; thence
 14 along CSAH 39 to County Road (CR) 94, Hubbard County;
 15 thence along CR 94 to CSAH 31, Hubbard County; thence along
 16 CSAH 31 to STH 200; thence along STH 200 to STH 371; thence
 17 along STH 371 to STH 84; thence along STH 84 to CSAH 2,
 18 Cass County; thence along CSAH 2 to CSAH 1, Crow Wing
 19 County; thence along CSAH 1 to STH 6; thence along STH 6 to
 20 STH 18; thence along STH 18 to U.S. Highway 169; thence due
 21 east from said junction to the west shore of Mille Lacs
 22 Lake; thence along the westerly and southerly shores of
 23 said lake to a point due north of the junction of U.S.
 24 Highway 169 and STH 27; thence due south to said junction;
 25 thence along U.S. Highway 169 to STH 23; thence along STH
 26 23 to STH 65; thence along STH 65 to STH 70; thence along
 27 STH 70 to the eastern boundary of the state; thence along
 28 the easterly boundary of the state to the junction of the
 29 St. Croix and Mississippi Rivers; thence along the easterly
 30 bank of the Mississippi River to U.S. Highway 10; thence
 31 along U.S. Highway 10 to U.S. Highway 71; thence along U.S.
 32 Highway 71 to STH 87; thence along STH 87 to U.S. Highway
 33 59; thence along U.S. Highway 59 to the southern boundary
 34 of the White Earth Indian Reservation; thence along the
 35 southern, western, and northern boundaries of said
 36 Reservation to STH 59; thence along STH 59 to the northern
 37 boundary of the state to the point of beginning.

38 Subp. 3. **Zone 3.** Zone 3 is that portion of the state
 39 lying within the following described boundary:

40 Beginning at the junction of the Mississippi River and the
 41 mouth of the Crow River, Wright County; thence along the
 42 easterly bank of the Crow River to the mouth of the South
 43 Fork of the Crow River; thence along the easterly bank of
 44 the South Fork of the Crow River to State Trunk Highway
 45 (STH) 25; thence along STH 25 to the Minnesota River;
 46 thence along the easterly bank of the Minnesota River to
 47 STH 19; thence along STH 19 to U.S. Highway 52; thence
 48 along U.S. Highway 52 to STH 57; thence along STH 57 to the
 49 municipal boundary of Kasson; thence along the municipal
 50 boundary of Kasson to County State Aid Highway (CSAH) 13,
 51 Dodge County; thence along CSAH 13 to STH 30; thence along
 52 STH 30 to U.S. Highway 63; thence along U.S. Highway 63 to
 53 the south boundary of the state; thence along the southerly
 54 and easterly boundaries of the state to the junction of the
 55 St. Croix and Mississippi Rivers; thence along the easterly
 56 bank of the Mississippi River to the Point of beginning.

57 Subp. 4. **Zone 4.** Zone 4 is that portion of the state
 58 lying within the following described boundary:

59 Beginning on U.S. Highway 59 at the north boundary of the
 60 state; thence along U.S. Highway 59 to the north boundary
 61 of the White Earth Indian Reservation; thence along the
 62 north, west, and south boundaries of said Reservation to
 63 U.S. Highway 59; thence along U.S. Highway 59 to U.S.
 64 Highway 10; thence along U.S. Highway 10 to State Trunk
 65 Highway (STH) 87; thence along STH 87 to U.S. Highway 71;

1 thence along U.S. Highway 71 to U.S. Highway 10; thence
2 along U.S. Highway 10 to the easterly bank of the
3 Mississippi River; thence along the easterly bank of the
4 Mississippi River to the mouth of the Crow River, Wright
5 County; thence along the easterly bank of the Crow River to
6 the mouth of the South Fork of the Crow River; thence along
7 the easterly bank of the South Fork of the Crow River to
8 STH 25; thence along STH 25 to the Minnesota River; thence
9 along the easterly bank of the Minnesota River to STH 19;
10 thence along STH 19 to U.S. Highway 52; thence along U.S.
11 Highway 52 to STH 57; thence along STH 57 to the municipal
12 boundary of Kasson; thence along the municipal boundary of
13 Kasson to County State Aid Highway (CSAH) 13, Dodge County;
14 thence along CSAH 13 to STH 30; thence along STH 30 to U.S.
15 along STH 23 to STH 95; thence along STH 95 to U.S. Highway
16 8; thence along U.S. Highway 8 to the eastern boundary of
17 the state; thence along the east, south, west, and north
18 boundaries of the state to the point of beginning.

19 6232.1500 ARMS USE AREAS AND RESTRICTIONS.

20 Subpart 1. **Shotgun use area.** During the firearms season
21 in the shotgun use area, only legal shotguns loaded with
22 single-slug shotgun shells and legal muzzleloading long guns may
23 be used for taking deer. Legal shotguns include those with
24 rifled barrels. In the shotgun use area, disabled persons
25 incapable of using a gun fired from the shoulder and possessing
26 a physician's written statement verifying this condition may use
27 legal handguns for taking deer during the regular firearms
28 season.

29 The shotgun use area is that portion of the state lying
30 within the following described boundary:

31 Beginning on the north boundary of the state at U.S.
32 Highway 75; thence along U.S. Highway 75 to U.S. Highway 2;
33 thence along U.S. Highway 2 to State Trunk Highway (STH) 9;
34 thence along STH 9 to STH 102; thence along STH 102 to STH
35 32; thence along STH 32 to STH 34; thence along STH 34 to
36 Interstate Highway 94 (I-94); thence along I-94 to County
37 State Aid Highway (CSAH) 40, Douglas County; thence along
38 CSAH 40 to CSAH 82, Douglas County; thence along CSAH 82 to
39 CSAH 22, Douglas County; thence along CSAH 22 to CSAH 6,
40 Douglas County; thence along CSAH 6 to CSAH 14, Douglas
41 County; thence along CSAH 14 to STH 29; thence along STH 29
42 to CSAH 46, Otter Tail County; thence along CSAH 46, Otter
43 Tail County, to CSAH 22, Todd County; thence along CSAH 22
44 to U.S. Highway 71; thence along U.S. Highway 71 to STH 27;
45 thence along STH 27 to the Mississippi River; thence along
46 the east bank of the Mississippi River to STH 23; thence
47 along STH 23 to STH 95; thence along STH 95 to U.S. Highway
48 8; thence along U.S. Highway 8 to the eastern boundary of
49 the state; thence along the east, south, west, and north
50 boundaries of the state to the point of beginning.

51 Subp. 2. **All legal firearms use area.** The all legal
52 firearms use area is that part of the state lying outside of the
53 shotgun zone.

1 6232.1600 SPECIAL HUNT PROCEDURES.

2 Subpart 1. **Deer license and permit required for special**
3 **permit area.** Before applying to hunt in a special permit area,
4 a person must purchase a deer hunting license. A firearms deer
5 license validated for the proper zone and time period and a
6 permit valid for that area is required to hunt deer in firearms
7 special hunt areas. The permit application issued with the
8 applicant's license must be used to apply for a special area
9 permit.

10 Subp. 2. **Application process.** Applications for all
11 firearms special permit area hunts must be made according to
12 this subpart.

13 A. Each person must apply on the official permit
14 application form provided with the applicant's license. A
15 person may not apply more than once for a hunt, whether as an
16 individual or as a member of a group.

17 B. Up to four persons desiring to hunt as a group may
18 apply together by submitting their applications in one
19 envelope. Applications submitted in one envelope will either
20 all be selected or none selected.

21 C. The preference rating of applicants who apply as a
22 group will be based on the individual in the group with the
23 lowest preference.

24 D. Applications must be mailed or delivered to the
25 license bureau.

26 E. The application deadline is the first Thursday
27 following Labor Day.

28 F. If the number of applications for permits in any
29 area exceeds the quota determined by the commissioner, a
30 preference drawing will be held to determine who will be issued
31 permits as provided by part 6232.1800.

32 Subp. 3. **Notification of drawing results.** Only successful
33 applicants will be notified.

34 Subp. 4. **Second choice for unsuccessful applicants.**

35 Unsuccessful applicants for special hunt areas may, at the

1 discretion of the commissioner, be given a second choice for
2 undersubscribed special hunt areas.

3 6232.1700 MINNESOTA VALLEY ALTERNATIVE DEER CONTROL PROGRAM.

4 Subpart 1. **Open areas, dates, and quotas.** Portions of
5 Fort Snelling State Park, the Black Dog and Long Meadow Lake
6 Units of the Minnesota Valley National Wildlife Refuge, and
7 adjacent public and private lands in Dakota and Hennepin
8 counties, as designated on maps provided to permittees, may be
9 open to the taking of antlerless deer and legal bucks by shotgun
10 but not muzzleloaders under the Minnesota Valley alternative
11 deer control program. Open dates and permit quotas are
12 determined annually by the commissioner. Information on dates
13 and quotas shall be provided annually by the department.

14 Subp. 2. **Applications.** A person possessing a firearms or
15 archery deer license for the current year may submit an
16 application for the Minnesota Valley Alternative Deer Control
17 Program. A person may not apply more than once to this hunt,
18 whether as an individual or as a member of a group. If
19 applications exceed the number of available permits, a random
20 drawing will be held. Applications must be made according to
21 this subpart.

22 A. Applicants must send a postcard with their name,
23 address, work phone number, home phone number, first and second
24 preference for program dates, and either the applicant's current
25 year firearms or bow and arrow deer license number.

26 B. Up to four persons may apply as a group by mailing
27 all applications in one envelope. Either the entire group will
28 be selected by the drawing or none will be selected. All
29 members of the group must indicate the same first and second
30 preference for program dates or all applications will be
31 rejected.

32 C. The application deadline is the first Thursday
33 following Labor Day.

34 D. Postcards must be mailed or delivered to
35 Alternative Deer Control Program.

1 Subp. 3. **Special regulations.** Successful applicants must
2 comply with the regulations in this subpart.

3 A. Attend an orientation session and receive a permit
4 validated for an assigned area. There will be a \$3
5 administrative fee for each permit. Deer management permits may
6 only be purchased at the orientation session. Permits forfeited
7 by those who do not attend an orientation session will be issued
8 to alternates drawn from the list of applicants.

9 B. Only individuals with valid permits will be
10 allowed in the open areas and only from 5:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.
11 each day.

12 C. Permittees are restricted to the assigned area for
13 which their permit is valid and must enter and leave only by way
14 of designated access points.

15 D. Permittees are required to check in at the Fort
16 Snelling State Park headquarters each day before entering open
17 areas.

18 E. All firearms must be unloaded and completely
19 contained in a case except while the permittee is occupying a
20 temporary or portable elevated stand.

21 F. Shooting is allowed only from a temporary or
22 portable stand at least five feet above the ground. Permanent
23 stands may not be constructed or occupied. Stands must do no
24 permanent damage and must be removed from the hunting area at
25 the end of each day.

26 G. Permittees may not pursue a deer outside of their
27 assigned area. Wounded or dead deer may be retrieved outside of
28 the assigned areas only with prior approval of and when escorted
29 by an agent of the commissioner or of the United States Fish and
30 Wildlife Service.

31 H. Deer must be registered between 7:00 a.m. and 7:00
32 p.m. at the Fort Snelling State Park headquarters. All deer
33 must be registered within 24 hours after taking.

34 I. Permittees are restricted to the time period
35 indicated on their permit, except that permittees may be chosen
36 to participate during alternate time periods if fewer than the

1 quota of permittees participate in the program on any day.
2 Selection of additional participants will be made after one-half
3 hour before sunrise each day on a first come, first served basis.

4 J. The driving of any metal objects into trees, or
5 the use of metal objects driven into trees, is prohibited.
6 Objects that screw in or are clamped, chained, roped, or belted
7 onto trees are acceptable, but must be removed from the hunting
8 area at the end of each day.

9 6232.1800 ANTLERLESS PERMITS.

10 Subpart 1. **Procedures for applying for an antlerless**
11 **permit.** Residents and nonresidents are eligible for antlerless
12 permits. A person may not apply for an antlerless deer permit
13 without first purchasing a firearms deer license and obtaining a
14 permit application issued with the license. The application may
15 be made for only one of the permit areas described in this part,
16 and must be for the zone and dates on the applicant's deer
17 license. A person may not submit more than one application for
18 an antlerless permit. A person may apply for an antlerless
19 permit or a special permit, but not both.

20 After the application has been completed, it must be either
21 mailed or delivered to the license bureau. The application
22 deadline is the first Thursday following Labor Day.

23 Subp. 2. **Preference drawing.** If the number of
24 applications for permits in an area exceeds the quota set forth
25 in the annual hunting regulations, a preference drawing will be
26 used to select permit holders. Persons 12 years of age or older
27 may enter the preference drawing by supplying their driver's
28 license number, official state of Minnesota Identification
29 Number, or 13-digit Firearms Safety Identification Number on the
30 application. All applicants who have reached their 18th
31 birthday by the first Thursday following Labor Day must provide
32 one of these three numbers to qualify. Applicants under 18
33 years of age who do not submit one of these numbers will be
34 assigned a number and will be entered into the preference
35 drawing. Applicants establish a preference rating based upon

1 the number of times they have applied in previous years and have
2 not obtained an antlerless permit. The preference rating will
3 increase each year the applicant applies unsuccessfully.
4 Persons applying for the first time have no preference.
5 Applicants receiving permits lose their accrued preference.

6 Subp. 3. Antlerless permit areas. Permit areas are
7 comprised of partial, single, or grouped registration blocks
8 described as follows:

9 A. Antlerless permit areas in Zone 1:

10 (1) permit area 110 consists of registration
11 block 110;

12 (2) permit area 104-105-106 consists of
13 registration blocks 104 to 106;

14 (3) permit area 107-108-109-195 consists of
15 registration blocks 107 to 109, and 195;

16 (4) permit area 115 consists of registration
17 block 115;

18 (5) permit area 116 consists of registration
19 block 116;

20 (6) permit area 117 consists of registration
21 block 117;

22 (7) permit area 118 consists of registration
23 block 118;

24 (8) permit area 119-120-121 consists of
25 registration blocks 119 to 121;

26 (9) permit area 122-123-124-125 consists of
27 registration blocks 122 to 125;

28 (10) permit area 126-128-129 consists of
29 registration blocks 126, 128, and 129;

30 (11) permit area 130 consists of registration
31 block 130;

32 (12) permit area 152 consists of registration
33 block 152;

34 (13) permit area 154-155-156 consists of
35 registration blocks 154 to 156;

36 (14) permit area 157-158 consists of registration

1 blocks 157 and 158;

2 (15) permit area 159 consists of registration
3 block 159;

4 (16) permit area 167-168-169 consists of
5 registration blocks 167 to 169;

6 (17) permit area 170-171-172-173-174 consists of
7 registration blocks 170 to 174;

8 (18) permit area 175-176-177-178-179 consists of
9 registration blocks 175 to 179;

10 (19) permit area 180-181-182-183-184-199 consists
11 of registration blocks 180 to 184 and 199;

12 (20) permit area 194 consists of registration
13 block 194; and

14 (21) permit area 197-198 consists of registration
15 blocks 197 and 198.

16 B. Antlerless permit areas in Zone 2:

17 (1) permit areas 201 to 210 consist of the
18 registration blocks 201 to 210;

19 (2) permit area 211-212-213 consists of
20 registration blocks 211 to 213;

21 (3) permit area 214 consists of registration
22 block 214;

23 (4) permit areas 221 to 227 and 235 and 236
24 consist of registration blocks 221 to 227 and 235 and 236;

25 (5) permit area 244-245 consists of registration
26 blocks 244 and 245;

27 (6) permit areas 246 to 249 consist of
28 registration blocks 246 to 249;

29 (7) permit area 251 consists of registration
30 block 251;

31 (8) permit area 284-285-286 consists of
32 registration blocks 284 to 286;

33 (9) permit area 287 consists of registration
34 block 287; and

35 (10) permit area 297-298 consists of registration
36 blocks 297 and 298.

1 C. Antlerless Permit Areas in Zone 3: permit areas
2 337 to 339 and 341 to 349 consist of registration blocks 337 to
3 339 and 341 to 349.

4 D. Antlerless Permit Areas in Zone 4:

5 (1) permit areas 401 to 428 consist of
6 registration blocks 401 to 428;

7 (2) permit area 431 consists of registration
8 block 431;

9 (3) permit area 433 consists of registration
10 block 433;

11 (4) permit area 435 consists of registration
12 block 435;

13 (5) permit area 440 consists of registration
14 block 440;

15 (6) permit area 442 consists of registration
16 block 442;

17 (7) permit area 443 consists of registration
18 block 443; and

19 (8) permit areas 446 to 459 and 461 to 467
20 consist of registration blocks 446 to 459 and 461 to 467.

21 6232.2000 MULTIZONE BUCK LICENSE.

22 Subpart 1. **Season and open area.** A multizone buck license
23 allows a hunter to hunt and tag a legal buck during any open
24 firearms zone and time period except the late Zone 3B and the
25 muzzleloader seasons. may not submit more than one application
26 for a multizone buck license. Multizone buck license holders
27 may not apply for antlerless or special permit areas.

28 TAKING DEER BY MUZZLELOADER

29 6232.2100 MUZZLELOADER SEASON.

30 The muzzleloader season is the 16-day deer season beginning
31 the Saturday nearest November 27 in specified areas as provided
32 by this chapter. Special permit areas may be open for less than
33 16 days. Persons selecting this season may not hunt during the
34 regular firearms season.

1 6232.2200 ARMS USE AREAS AND RESTRICTIONS FOR MUZZLELOADERS.

2 Only legal muzzleloaders with metallic open or peep type
3 sights may be used for taking deer during the muzzleloader
4 season. Within the shotgun zone, muzzleloading handguns may not
5 be used for taking deer, except by disabled persons incapable of
6 using a gun fired from the shoulder and possessing a physician's
7 written statement verifying this condition.

8 6232.2400 MUZZLELOADER SPECIAL HUNT PROCEDURES.

9 Subpart 1. **Deer license required.** Purchase of a resident
10 or nonresident firearms deer license validated for the
11 muzzleloader season is required to apply for and to hunt deer in
12 a muzzleloader special hunt area.

13 Subp. 2. **Special hunt application procedure.** Applications
14 for all special permit area hunts must be made as provided by
15 part 6232.1600.

16 **DISABLED HUNT**

17 6232.2500 DISABLED HUNT.

18 Hunters must be participants in a program for physically
19 disabled hunters sponsored by a nonprofit organization and must
20 be referred by an organization prior to being issued a permit.
21 Permittees must purchase an archery or firearms deer hunting
22 license. Each permittee may be accompanied by one or more
23 assistants named by the nonprofit organizations and approved by
24 the commissioner. Assistants are not required to purchase
25 licenses and may assist permittees in taking deer. Both
26 permittees and assistants must meet the bright red or blaze
27 orange requirement for deer hunters.

28 **BEARS**

29 6232.2600 DEFINITIONS.

30 Subpart 1. **Scope.** The terms used in parts 6232.2600 to
31 6232.3500 have the meanings given them in this part.

32 Subp. 2. **Bait.** "Bait" means materials placed for the
33 purpose of attracting or attempting to attract bears.

34 Subp. 3. **Bear bait station.** "Bear bait station" means a

1 location at which bait is placed for the purpose of hunting.
2 Bear bait station does not include materials that are at all
3 times attended by the hunter.

4 Subp. 4. **Bear cub.** "Bear cub" means a bear less than one
5 year of age.

6 Subp. 5. **Garbage dump.** "Garbage dump" means a site
7 regularly and primarily used for the disposal of garbage or
8 other refuse.

9 Subp. 6. **No-quota area.** "No-quota area" means that part
10 of this state not included within the boundaries of bear hunt
11 permit areas.

12 Subp. 7. **Registration block.** "Registration block" means a
13 geographic area designated for the registration of harvested
14 deer and bear as provided by part 6232.4700.

15 6232.2700 SEASONS AND DATES TO TAKE BEARS.

16 Bears may be taken by licensed hunters using legal firearms
17 or legal bow and arrow from September 1 through the Sunday
18 nearest October 15.

19 6232.2800 GENERAL REGULATIONS FOR TAKING BEARS.

20 Subpart 1. **Bag limit.** A person may not take more than one
21 bear during any calendar year whether by firearm or archery.
22 Bears taken may be of either sex or any age except that bear
23 cubs may not be taken.

24 Subp. 2. **Party hunting.** Party hunting for bears is not
25 permitted. A person may not shoot a bear for another person or
26 tag a bear shot by another person.

27 Subp. 3. **Dens.** A person may not take or disturb any bear
28 in a den.

29 Subp. 4. **Tagging.** Persons killing a bear must affix to
30 the carcass the locking tag provided with their bear hunting
31 license. The tag must be fastened around the bear's sternum
32 (breast bone) so that the tag cannot be removed without breaking
33 the lock. A hunter may not possess or use the locking tag of
34 another, except when transporting a bear as provided by
35 Minnesota Statutes, section 97A.535.

1 Subp. 5. **Skinning and quartering bears.** Bears may be
2 skinned, quartered, or further divided prior to transportation
3 and registration, but all edible meat and all other parts of the
4 bear retained by the hunter must be presented for registration
5 at the same time.

6 Subp. 6. **Registration.** Every person taking a bear must
7 present it for registration at a designated bear registration
8 station or, in the case of a nuisance bear authorization, to the
9 authorizing officer, within 48 hours after taking and obtain a
10 big game possession tag. Prior to transporting the bear from
11 the registration station, the possession tag must be attached to
12 the bear in the same manner as the locking tag provided with the
13 license. Bears taken in a no-quota area must be registered
14 within the no-quota area.

15 Subp. 7. **Sample collection.** A person taking a bear must
16 submit samples to the department in the envelope provided at
17 bear registration stations according to instructions of the
18 department. It is the responsibility of each person taking a
19 bear to mail the envelope to the department, except in those
20 cases where a bear registration station is collecting the
21 samples.

22 6232.2900 BEAR PERMIT PROCEDURES.

23 Subpart 1. **Limit on number of applications.** A person may
24 not apply more than once per season, whether as an individual or
25 as a member of a group.

26 Subp. 2. **Drawings.** Drawings will be conducted by the
27 department to determine those eligible to purchase a bear
28 license within the bear quota areas. Preference in the drawings
29 will be given to applicants based upon the number of times they
30 have correctly applied for a license in a quota area in previous
31 years but have not been selected. Upon issuance of a quota area
32 license, all accumulated preference will be lost. Obtaining a
33 no-quota bear license will have no effect upon eligibility or
34 preference in the drawings.

35 Subp. 3. **Required identification number.** All applicants

1 who will have reached their 18th birthday by September 1 must
2 provide a driver's license number, a state of Minnesota
3 identification card number issued by the Department of Public
4 Safety, or a 13-digit Firearms Safety Certificate number.
5 Eligible applicants under this age who do not submit one of
6 these numbers will be assigned a number and entered into the
7 preference drawing.

8 **Subp. 4. Application deadline.** Applications must be
9 returned to the License Bureau. The application deadline is the
10 first Friday of May.

11 **Subp. 5. Group application.** Persons may apply
12 individually or as part of a group totaling no more than four
13 persons. Those who wish to apply as a group must submit their
14 applications for the drawing together in one envelope. All
15 applications in a group must be for the same permit area. The
16 individual within a group with the lowest preference rating will
17 determine the preference rating of the group. Either all
18 members of the group or none will be drawn. Improperly
19 completed applications will be rejected but will not disqualify
20 other members of the group.

21 **Subp. 6. Modification of quota numbers for group**
22 **applications.** The quota of licenses or permits for a drawing
23 may be increased to accommodate group members if the last
24 applicant to be selected is a member of a group.

25 **Subp. 7. Notification of drawing results.** Successful
26 applicants will receive a notice, with instructions, authorizing
27 them to obtain a license. Successful applicants who do not
28 purchase a license according to the instructions or who do not
29 provide all of the requested information will be disqualified.
30 All accumulated preference is lost upon issuance of a license.

31 6232.3000 BEAR QUOTA AREAS.

32 **Subpart 1. Bear Quota Area 12.** Bear Quota Area 12
33 consists of that portion of the state lying within the following
34 described boundary:

35 Beginning at the intersection of State Trunk Highway (STH)
36 72 and the northern boundary of the state; thence along STH

1 72 to the Tamarac River; thence along the southerly shore
2 of said river to Upper Red Lake; thence along the
3 southeasterly shore of said lake to the eastern boundary of
4 the Red Lake Indian Reservation; thence along the easterly,
5 southerly, and westerly boundaries of said Reservation to
6 the point where the Clearwater River leaves the Reservation
7 boundary; thence along the south shore of said river to
8 County State Aid Highway (CSAH) 2, Polk County; thence
9 along CSAH 2 to CSAH 27, Pennington County; thence along
10 CSAH 27 to STH 1; thence along STH 1 to CSAH 28, Pennington
11 County; thence along CSAH 28 to CSAH 54, Marshall County;
12 thence along CSAH 54 to CSAH 9, Roseau County; thence along
13 CSAH 9 to CSAH 2, Roseau County; thence along CSAH 2 to STH
14 89; thence along STH 89 to STH 310; thence along STH 310 to
15 the northern boundary of the state; thence along the
16 northern boundary of the state to the point of beginning.

17 Subp. 2. **Bear Quota Area 13.** Bear Quota Area 13 consists
18 of that portion of the state lying within the following
19 described boundary:

20 Beginning on the northern boundary of the state at State
21 Trunk Highway (STH) 72; thence along the northern boundary
22 of the state to a point due north of the intersection of
23 STH 11 and U.S. Highway 71; thence due south to U.S.
24 Highway 71; thence along U.S. Highway 71 to STH 6; thence
25 along STH 6 to STH 1; thence along STH 1 to STH 72; thence
26 north along STH 72 to the point of beginning.

27 Subp. 3. **Bear Quota Area 22.** Bear Quota Area 22 consists
28 of that portion of the state known as the Boundary Waters Canoe
29 Area (BWCA) but excluding the detached part of the BWCA lying
30 south of the Echo Trail, St. Louis county, and known as the
31 Trout Lake unit or block.

32 Subp. 4. **Bear Quota Area 24.** Bear Quota Area 24 consists
33 of that portion of the state lying within the following
34 described boundary:

35 Beginning at the junction of U.S. Highway 2 and State Trunk
36 Highway (STH) 65; thence along STH 65 to STH 1; thence
37 along STH 1 to the Soudan-Two Harbors Branch of the Duluth,
38 Missabe and Iron Range Railway Company (DM&IR); thence
39 along said railroad to County State Aid Highway (CSAH) 16,
40 St. Louis County; thence along CSAH 16 to U.S. Highway 53;
41 thence along U.S. Highway 53 to CSAH 133, St. Louis County;
42 thence along CSAH 133 to CSAH 25, Itasca County; thence
43 along CSAH 25 to U.S. Highway 2; thence along U.S. Highway
44 2 to the point of beginning.

45 Subp. 5. **Bear Quota Area 25.** Bear Quota Area 25 consists
46 of that portion of the state lying within the following
47 described boundary:

48 Beginning at the junction of State Trunk Highway (STH) 1
49 and STH 65; thence along STH 1 to STH 169; thence along STH
50 169 to the first Shagawa River bridge at Winton; thence
51 along the northerly shore of said river to Fall Lake;
52 thence along the westerly and northerly shores of Fall Lake
53 to the southern boundary of the Boundary Waters Canoe Area
54 (BWCA); thence westward along the southerly boundary of the

1 BWCA to the intersection with the northern boundary of the
2 state; thence along the northern boundary of the state to a
3 point due north of the junction of U.S. Highway 71 and STH
4 11 at Pelland; thence due south to said junction; thence
5 along U.S. Highway 71 to STH 6; thence along STH 6 to STH
6 1; thence along STH 1 to the point of beginning.

7 Subp. 6. **Bear Quota Area 26.** Bear Quota Area 26 consists
8 of that portion of the state lying within the following
9 described boundary:

10 Beginning at the junction of U.S. Highway 2 and State Trunk
11 Highway (STH) 65; thence along STH 65 to STH 1; thence
12 along STH 1 to STH 72; thence along STH 72 to U.S. Highway
13 71; thence along U.S. Highway 71 to U.S. Highway 2; thence
14 along U.S. Highway 2 to the point of beginning.

15 Subp. 7. **Bear Quota Area 31.** Bear Quota Area 31 consists
16 of that portion of the state lying within the following
17 described boundary:

18 Beginning on U.S. Highway 53 at the eastern boundary of the
19 state; thence along U.S. Highway 53 to County State Aid
20 Highway (CSAH) 16, St. Louis County; thence along CSAH 16
21 to the Soudan-Two Harbors Branch of the Duluth, Missabe and
22 Iron Range Railway Company (DM&IR); thence along said
23 railroad to State Trunk Highway (STH) 169; thence along STH
24 169 to the first Shagawa River bridge at Winton; thence
25 along the northerly shore of said river to Fall Lake;
26 thence along the westerly and northerly shores of Fall Lake
27 to the southern boundary of the Boundary Waters Canoe Area
28 (BWCA); thence easterly along said boundary of the BWCA to
29 the northern boundary of the state at Magnetic Lake; thence
30 easterly along the northern boundary of the state to the
31 boundary of the BWCA on the south shore of North Lake;
32 thence along the boundaries of this detached part of the
33 BWCA to the northern boundary of the state at South Fowl
34 Lake; thence along the northern and eastern boundaries of
35 the state to the point of beginning.

36 Subp. 8. **Bear Quota Area 41.** Bear Quota Area 41 consists
37 of that portion of the state lying within the following
38 described boundary:

39 Beginning at the junction of the northern boundary of the
40 White Earth Indian Reservation and County State Aid Highway
41 (CSAH) 6, Polk County; thence along CSAH 6 to CSAH 3, Polk
42 County; thence along CSAH 3 to CSAH 2, Polk County; thence
43 along CSAH 2 to the Clearwater River; thence along the
44 south shore of said river to the western boundary of the
45 Red Lake Indian Reservation; thence along the western,
46 southern and eastern boundaries of said reservation to the
47 southeasterly shore of Upper Red Lake; thence along said
48 lakeshore to the Tamarac River; thence along the southerly
49 shore of said river to State Trunk Highway (STH) 72; thence
50 along STH 72 to U.S. Highway 71; thence along U.S. Highway
51 71 to U.S. Highway 2; thence along U.S. Highway 2 to STH
52 92; thence along STH 92 to the northern boundary of the
53 White Earth Indian Reservation; thence west along said
54 reservation boundary to the point of beginning.

55 Subp. 9. **Bear Quota Area 43.** Bear Quota Area 43 consists
56 of that portion of the state lying within the following

1 described boundary:

2 Beginning at the junction of U.S. Highway 59 and the
3 northern boundary of the White Earth Indian Reservation;
4 thence along said boundary to State Trunk Highway (STH) 92;
5 thence along STH 92 to U.S. Highway 2; thence along U.S.
6 Highway 2 to STH 6; thence along STH 6 to STH 18; thence
7 along STH 18 to U.S. Highway 169; thence along U.S. Highway
8 169 to STH 23; thence along STH 23 to the Mississippi
9 River; thence upstream along the easterly shore of said
10 river to STH 27 at Little Falls; thence along STH 27 to
11 U.S. Highway 71; thence along U.S. Highway 71 to U.S.
12 Highway 10; thence along U.S. Highway 10 to U.S. Highway
13 59; thence along U.S. Highway 59 to the point of beginning.

14 The Tamarac National Wildlife Refuge within Area 43 is not
15 open for bear hunting.

16 Subp. 10. **Bear Quota Area 51.** Bear Quota Area 51 consists
17 of that portion of the state lying within the following
18 described boundary:

19 Beginning on U.S. Highway 53 on the eastern boundary of the
20 state; thence along U.S. Highway 53 to County State Aid
21 Highway (CSAH) 133, St. Louis County; thence along CSAH 133
22 to CSAH 25, Itasca County; thence along CSAH 25 to U.S.
23 Highway 2; thence along U.S. Highway 2 to State Trunk
24 Highway (STH) 6; thence along STH 6 to STH 18; thence along
25 STH 18 to U.S. Highway 169; thence along U.S. Highway 169
26 to STH 23; thence along STH 23 to STH 47; thence along STH
27 47 to STH 27; thence along STH 27 to STH 65; thence along
28 STH 65 to STH 18; thence along STH 18 to the western
29 boundary of Pine County; thence along the western and
30 northern boundaries of Pine County to STH 23; thence along
31 STH 23 to CSAH 22, Pine County; thence along CSAH 22 to
32 CSAH 32; thence along CSAH 32 to the eastern boundary of
33 the state; thence along the eastern boundary of the state
34 to the point of beginning.

35 6232.3100 BEAR NO-QUOTA AREA.

36 Licenses for the no-quota area are not limited in number
37 and may be purchased from a county auditor's office, county
38 auditor's subagents in Pine, Kanabec, Roseau, and Marshall
39 counties, or the license bureau. A person may not purchase a
40 license for both a quota area and the no-quota area in the same
41 year.

42 6232.3200 BAIT STATIONS AND GARBAGE DUMPS.

43 Subpart 1. **Bait station restriction.** A person may not
44 establish, service, maintain, or sign any bear bait station
45 prior to the Friday nearest August 14.

46 Subp. 2. **Registration of bait station.** A person may not
47 establish a bear bait station without registering the site as
48 provided in this subpart.

1 A. The following information must be provided on a
2 form provided by the commissioner or on an 8-1/2 inch by 11 inch
3 sheet of paper:

4 (1) name, address, and telephone number of person
5 who established the bear bait station; and

6 (2) county, township, range, and section in which
7 the bear bait station is established.

8 B. The form must be mailed to the division of
9 enforcement no later than the next postal service day following
10 establishment of the bear bait station.

11 Subp. 3. **Display of sign.** A person establishing a bear
12 bait station must display a sign at the site meeting the
13 following requirements.

14 A. The sign must be made of plastic, wood, or metal
15 and must be at least six inches by ten inches in size.

16 B. The sign must contain the full name and Minnesota
17 driver's license number or the full name, address, and telephone
18 number of the person placing the bait.

19 C. Letters and numbers must be legibly printed and
20 either painted or impressed on the sign material.

21 D. The sign must be prominently displayed between six
22 and ten feet above the natural ground level and within 20 feet
23 of the bait.

24 E. The person who placed the signs is responsible for
25 their removal within 48 hours of the close of the bear season.

26 Subp. 4. **Restriction on hunting near bear bait station.** A
27 person may not hunt bear within 100 yards of a bear bait station
28 unless it is registered and marked with a sign as required by
29 this part.

30 Subp. 5. **Bear bait stations near garbage dumps.** A person
31 may not take bear or establish a bear bait station within
32 one-half mile of a garbage dump.

33 Subp. 6. **Bear bait stations near previously baited areas.**
34 A person may not establish a bear bait station within 500 yards
35 of a site where bait has been placed prior to the Friday nearest
36 August 14.

1 Subp. 7. Bear bait stations near campsites and in bear
2 quota area 22. A person may not establish a bear bait station
3 within 150 yards of a campsite or in bear quota area 22.

4 6232.3300 NUISANCE BEARS.

5 Nuisance bears may be taken by licensed bear hunters from
6 July 1 to August 31 under the conditions in this part.

7 A. Conservation officers may authorize licensed
8 hunters to take nuisance bears after the officer has verified
9 that a nuisance problem exists.

10 B. Only hunters licensed for the area where damage is
11 occurring will be authorized to take bears. Only one hunter may
12 hunt under a license. Authorized hunters are restricted to the
13 location specified on the license.

14 C. A licensee taking a nuisance bear prior to the
15 season must register it with the authorizing conservation
16 officer within 48 hours after taking.

17 D. A licensee who takes a nuisance bear may not take
18 another bear in that year.

19 E. A licensee taking a nuisance bear is subject to
20 all provisions of parts 6232.2600 to 6232.3500 not inconsistent
21 with this subpart and all laws relating to the taking of wild
22 animals.

23 6232.3400 RESTRICTION ON TAKING RESEARCH BEARS.

24 A licensed bear hunter may not take a bear being studied
25 under a research permit issued by the commissioner if the permit
26 holder or designee is accompanying the bear and has identified
27 the bear to the hunter as a research animal.

28 6232.3500 BEAR GUIDING.

29 Subpart 1. Application for bear guide licenses. An
30 application for a bear hunting guide license can be obtained
31 from the license bureau.

32 Subp. 2. Deadline for license issuance. A bear hunting
33 guide license may not be issued after August 31 in any year.

34 Subp. 3. Required reporting by bear guides. All licensed

1 bear hunting guides must complete the report form provided with
2 the license and return it to the specified address no later than
3 ten days after the close of the bear season. Failure to submit
4 this report or failure to provide all requested information may
5 result in ineligibility for a bear hunting guide license for the
6 following bear season.

7 MOOSE

8 6232.3600 SEASONS AND DATES FOR TAKING MOOSE.

9 Moose may be taken by licensed hunters, in odd-numbered
10 years, using legal firearm or legal bow and arrow within the
11 following seasons:

12 A. in the Northwest Area (except the Agassiz Area)
13 consisting of Moose Zones 1 to 17, when opened by the
14 commissioner, for the nine-day period beginning the Saturday
15 nearest October 11;

16 B. in the Agassiz Area consisting of Moose Zone 2,
17 when opened by the commissioner, for the nine-day period
18 beginning the Saturday nearest December 3; and

19 C. in the Northeast Area consisting of Moose Zones 20
20 to 80, when opened by the commissioner, for the 16-day period
21 beginning the Saturday nearest October 9.

22 Open zones and date changes, if any, can be found in the
23 annual hunting regulations.

24 6232.3700 GENERAL REGULATIONS FOR TAKING MOOSE.

25 Subpart 1. **Party hunting.** Licensees may not hunt moose
26 without having the unused seal in their possession. Licensed
27 parties may not assist other licensed parties in taking moose.

28 Subp. 2. **Mixed-weapons parties.** Licensed moose hunt
29 parties may consist of individuals hunting with bow and arrow
30 and individuals hunting with firearms.

31 Subp. 3. **Blaze orange requirement.** The visible portion of
32 the hunter's cap, if worn, and outer garments, above the waist
33 excluding sleeves and gloves, must be bright red or blaze orange
34 or be covered by these colors. Blaze orange includes a
35 camouflage pattern of at least 50 percent blaze orange within

1 each square foot.

2 Subp. 4. **Registration.** Moose must be registered, at a
3 designated moose registration station in the area, within 48
4 hours after taking.

5 Subp. 5. **Dividing of moose.** Moose may be skinned,
6 quartered, or further divided prior to transportation and
7 registration, but all edible meat, and all other parts of the
8 moose not left in the field, must be presented at the same time.

9 Subp. 6. **Orientation required.** Persons licensed for the
10 Northeast Area must attend an orientation session and have their
11 licenses validated prior to hunting. The four licensees in a
12 party need not attend the same orientation session.

13 Subp. 7. **Tagging.** A moose may not be transported or
14 possessed unless the seal bearing the license number of the
15 party taking the moose and the year of its issue has been
16 affixed to the carcass by attaching it between the tendon and
17 the bone of a hind leg and fastened around either the bone or
18 the tendon, around the base of either antler, or through a slit
19 cut through either ear.

20 The seal must be fastened so that it cannot be readily
21 removed.

22 6232.3800 APPLICATION PROCEDURES FOR A MOOSE LICENSE.

23 Subpart 1. **General procedures.** The provisions in this
24 part apply to applications for moose licenses.

25 A. A person may apply for only one of the open zones.

26 B. If the number of applications for any zone exceeds
27 the quota, a random selection will be conducted to determine the
28 successful applicants.

29 C. Up to 20 percent of the licenses in each zone of
30 the Northwest Area may be issued in a separate landowner and
31 tenant drawing. The following persons are eligible for this
32 separate drawing:

33 (1) owners of at least 160 acres of agricultural
34 or grazing land, within the zone applied for; or

35 (2) tenants living on at least 160 acres of

1 agricultural or grazing land, within the zone applied for.

2 Applicants unsuccessful in the landowner and tenant drawing
3 will be included in the selection process for the remaining
4 licenses in the same zone. Landowner and tenant party
5 applications that include individuals who do not meet the
6 requirements for this license will be removed from the landowner
7 and tenant drawing and will not be entered into the general
8 drawing.

9 D. Applications for the general and landowner and
10 tenant drawing must be made on the appropriate forms and in
11 accordance with instructions.

12 E. The application deadline is the Friday nearest
13 June 15.

14 F. An application fee of \$12 in the form of a
15 cashier's check, money order, or personal check must accompany
16 each party's application. Any check returned to the department
17 for nonpayment invalidates the application and will be
18 destroyed. Refunds of application fees may not be made for any
19 reason.

20 G. Successful applicants will receive instructions
21 for obtaining their licenses.

22 Subp. 2. **Modification of quota numbers for group**
23 **applications.** The quota of licenses or permits for a drawing
24 may be increased to accommodate group members if the last
25 applicant to be selected is a member of a group.

26 6232.3900 MOOSE HUNTING ON REFUGES.

27 Subject to federal regulations, the Agassiz National
28 Wildlife Refuge, Marshall county, is open to the taking of moose
29 during an authorized season.

30 6232.4000 NUISANCE MOOSE.

31 Nuisance moose may be taken under special authorization by
32 licensed moose hunters from September 1 to December 31 under the
33 following conditions:

34 A. Conservation officers may authorize licensed
35 hunters to take nuisance moose after the officer has verified

1 that a nuisance problem exists.

2 B. An authorized party taking a nuisance moose must
3 register it with the authorizing conservation officer within 48
4 hours after taking.

5 C. Once a party has taken a nuisance moose, the moose
6 license is no longer valid.

7 D. Hunters authorized to take nuisance moose are
8 subject to all provisions of parts 6232.3600 to 6232.4100 not
9 inconsistent with this part and all laws relating to taking wild
10 animals.

11 6232.4100 MOOSE ZONES.

12 Subpart 1. **Moose Zone 1A.** Moose Zone 1A consists of that
13 portion of the state lying within the following described
14 boundary:

15 Beginning at the intersection of State Trunk Highway (STH)
16 89 and County State Aid Highway (CSAH) 42, Beltrami County;
17 thence along STH 89 to CSAH 44, Beltrami County; thence
18 along CSAH 44 to County Road (CR) 704, Beltrami County;
19 thence along CR 704 to Dick's Parkway Forest Road, Beltrami
20 County; thence along Dick's Parkway Forest Road to CSAH 5,
21 Roseau County; thence along CSAH 5 to the Tangnes Forest
22 Road, Roseau County; thence along the Tangnes Forest Road
23 to the Krull Forest Road; thence in a southeasterly
24 direction along the Krull Forest Road to CSAH 2, Lake of
25 the Woods County; thence along CSAH 2 to STH 11; thence
26 along STH 11 to STH 89; thence along STH 89 to CSAH 20,
27 Roseau County; thence along CSAH 20 to CSAH 9, Roseau
28 County; thence along CSAH 9 to CSAH 54, Marshall County;
29 thence along CSAH 54 to CSAH 2, Marshall County; thence
30 along CSAH 2 to CSAH 42, Beltrami County; thence along CSAH
31 42 to the point of beginning.

32 Subp. 2. **Moose Zone 1B.** Moose Zone 1B consists of that
33 portion of the state lying within the following described
34 boundary:

35 Beginning at the intersection of State Trunk Highway (STH)
36 11 and STH 313; thence along STH 313 to the northern
37 boundary of the state; thence west along the north boundary
38 of the state to STH 310; thence along STH 310 to STH 11;
39 thence along STH 11 to the point of beginning.

40 Subp. 3. **Moose Zone 2.** Moose Zone 2 consists of the
41 Agassiz National Wildlife Refuge and the State Eckvoll, Elm
42 Lake, and Mud Lac Wildlife Management Areas in Marshall county.

43 Subp. 4. **Moose Zone 3.** Moose Zone 3 consists of that
44 portion of the state lying within the following described
45 boundary, except that part comprising Moose Zone 2:

1 Beginning at the intersection of State Trunk Highway (STH)
2 11 and STH 32; thence along STH 11 to STH 89; thence along
3 STH 89 to County State Aid Highway (CSAH) 20, Roseau
4 County; thence along CSAH 20 to CSAH 9, Roseau County;
5 thence along CSAH 9 to CSAH 54, Marshall County; thence
6 along CSAH 54 to CSAH 28, Pennington County; thence along
7 CSAH 28 to STH 1; thence along STH 1 to STH 32; thence
8 along STH 32 to the point of beginning.

9 Subp. 5. **Moose Zone 4.** Moose Zone 4 consists of that
10 portion of the state lying within the following described
11 boundary:

12 Beginning at the intersection of State Trunk Highway (STH)
13 11 and U.S. Highway 59; thence along STH 11 to STH 32;
14 thence along STH 32 to U.S. Highway 59; thence along U.S.
15 Highway 59 to the point of beginning.

16 Subp. 6. **Moose Zone 5.** Moose Zone 5 consists of that
17 portion of the state lying within the following described
18 boundary:

19 Beginning at the intersection of State Trunk Highway (STH)
20 11 and U.S. Highway 59; thence along STH 11 to STH 310;
21 thence along STH 310 to the northerly boundary of the
22 state; thence west along the northerly boundary of the
23 state to U.S. Highway 59; thence along U.S. Highway 59 to
24 the point of beginning.

25 Subp. 7. **Moose Zone 6.** Moose Zone 6 consists of that
26 portion of the state lying within the following described
27 boundary:

28 Beginning at the intersection of U.S. Highway 59 and State
29 Trunk Highway (STH) 11; thence along U.S. Highway 59 to the
30 northerly boundary of the state; thence west along the
31 northerly boundary of the state to U.S. Highway 75; thence
32 along U.S. Highway 75 to STH 11; thence east along STH 11
33 to the point of beginning.

34 Subp. 8. **Moose Zone 7.** Moose Zone 7 consists of that
35 portion of the state lying within the following described
36 boundary:

37 Beginning at the intersection of State Trunk Highway (STH)
38 11 and U.S. Highway 75; thence along STH 11 to U.S. Highway
39 59; thence along U.S. Highway 59 to County State Aid
40 Highway (CSAH) 28, Marshall County; thence along CSAH 28 to
41 CSAH 4, Marshall County; thence along CSAH 4 to U.S.
42 Highway 75; thence along U.S. Highway 75 to the point of
43 beginning.

44 Subp. 9. **Moose Zone 8.** Moose Zone 8 consists of that
45 portion of the state lying within the following described
46 boundary:

47 Beginning at the intersection of County State Aid Highway
48 (CSAH) 4, Marshall County and U.S. Highway 75; thence along
49 CSAH 4 to CSAH 28, Marshall County; thence along CSAH 28 to
50 U.S. Highway 59; thence along U.S. Highway 59 to State
51 Trunk Highway (STH) 32; thence along STH 32 to CSAH 3,

1 Pennington County; thence along CSAH 3 to CSAH 21, Polk
2 County; thence along CSAH 21 to U.S. Highway 75; thence
3 along U.S. Highway 75 to the point of beginning.

4 Subp. 10. **Moose Zone 9.** Moose Zone 9 consists of that
5 portion of the state lying within the following described
6 boundary:

7 Beginning at the intersection of U.S. Highway 2 and U.S.
8 Highway 75; thence along U.S. Highway 75 to County State
9 Aid Highway (CSAH) 21, Polk County; thence along CSAH 21 to
10 CSAH 3, Pennington County; thence along CSAH 3 to State
11 Trunk Highway (STH) 32; thence on STH 32 to CSAH 1, Polk
12 County; thence along CSAH 1 to STH 9; thence along STH 9 to
13 U.S. Highway 2; thence along U.S. Highway 2 to the point of
14 beginning.

15 Subp. 11. **Moose Zone 10.** Moose Zone 10 consists of that
16 portion of the state lying within the following described
17 boundary:

18 Beginning at the intersection of County State Aid Highway
19 (CSAH) 41, Polk County and CSAH 8, Polk County; thence
20 along CSAH 41 to State Trunk Highway (STH) 32; thence along
21 STH 32 to STH 1; thence along STH 1 to CSAH 27, Pennington
22 County; thence along CSAH 27 to CSAH 2, Polk County; thence
23 along CSAH 2 to STH 92; thence along STH 92 to CSAH 8, Red
24 Lake County; thence along CSAH 8 to CSAH 8, Polk County;
25 thence along CSAH 8 to the point of beginning.

26 Subp. 12. **Moose Zone 11.** Moose Zone 11 consists of that
27 portion of the state lying within the following described
28 boundary:

29 Beginning at the intersection of State Trunk Highway 11 and
30 County State Aid Highway (CSAH) 17, Lake of the Woods
31 County; thence along CSAH 17 to the north boundary line of
32 Section 8, Township 163 N, Range 34 W; thence west along
33 said section boundary line to the shore of Lake of the
34 Woods; thence easterly along the south shoreline of said
35 lake to the intersection of said shoreline with the line
36 between Range 32 West and Range 33 West; thence along said
37 range line to County State Aid Highway (CSAH) 4, Lake of
38 the Woods County; thence along CSAH 4 to State Trunk
39 Highway 11; thence along State Trunk Highway 11 to the
40 point of beginning.

41 Subp. 13. **Moose Zone 12.** Moose Zone 12 consists of that
42 portion of the state lying within the following described
43 boundary:

44 Beginning at the intersection of U.S. Highway 75 and the
45 northern boundary of the state; thence along U.S. Highway
46 75 to County State Aid Highway (CSAH) 5, Marshall County;
47 thence along CSAH 5 to its intersection with State Trunk
48 Highway (STH) 220; thence due west from said intersection
49 to the west boundary of the state; thence along the west
50 and north boundaries of the state to the point of beginning.

51 Subp. 14. **Moose Zone 13.** Moose Zone 13 consists of that
52 portion of the state lying within the following described

1 boundary:

2 Beginning at the intersection of U.S. Highway 75 and County
3 State Aid Highway (CSAH) 19, Polk County; thence along CSAH
4 19, Polk County, to its junction with CSAH 64, Polk County;
5 thence due west to the western boundary of the state;
6 thence northward along the west boundary of the state to a
7 point due west of the junction of CSAH 5, Marshall County
8 and State Trunk Highway (STH) 220; thence due east to said
9 junction; thence along CSAH 5 to U.S. Highway 75; thence
10 along U.S. Highway 75 to the point of beginning.

11 Subp. 15. **Moose Zone 14.** Moose Zone 14 consists of that
12 portion of the state lying within the following described

13 boundary:

14 Beginning at the intersection of County State Aid Highway
15 (CSAH) 1, Polk County and State Trunk Highway (STH) 32;
16 thence along CSAH 1 to STH 9; thence along STH 9 to CSAH
17 39, Norman County; thence along CSAH 39 to STH 113; thence
18 along STH 113 to the west boundary of the White Earth
19 Indian Reservation; thence along the west and north
20 boundaries of said Reservation to U.S. Highway 59; thence
21 along U.S. Highway 59 to CSAH 41, Polk County; thence along
22 CSAH 41 to STH 32; thence along STH 32 to the point of
23 beginning.

24 Subp. 16. **Moose Zone 15.** Moose Zone 15 consists of that
25 portion of the state lying within the following described

26 boundary:

27 Beginning at the intersection of State Trunk Highway (STH)
28 32 and County State Aid Highway (CSAH) 39, Norman County;
29 thence along CSAH 39 to STH 9; thence along STH 9 to U.S.
30 Highway 10; thence along U.S. Highway 10 to STH 32; thence
31 along STH 32 to the point of beginning.

32 Subp. 17. **Moose Zone 16.** Moose Zone 16 consists of that
33 portion of the state lying within the following described

34 boundary:

35 Beginning at the intersection of State Trunk Highway (STH)
36 32 and U.S. Highway 10; thence along STH 32 to County State
37 Aid Highway (CSAH) 35, Clay County; thence along CSAH 35 to
38 CSAH 21, Otter Tail County; thence along CSAH 21 to STH
39 108; thence along STH 108 to CSAH 21, Wilkin County; thence
40 along CSAH 21 to CSAH 16, Wilkin County; thence along CSAH
41 16 to CSAH 15, Wilkin County; thence along CSAH 15 to CSAH
42 20, Wilkin County; thence along CSAH 20 to CSAH 11, Wilkin
43 County; thence along CSAH 11 to CSAH 21, Clay County;
44 thence along CSAH 21 to CSAH 10, Clay County; thence along
45 CSAH 10 to STH 9; thence along STH 9 to U.S. Highway 10;
46 thence along U.S. Highway 10 to the point of beginning.

47 Subp. 18. **Moose Zone 17.** Moose Zone 17 consists of that
48 portion of the state lying within the following described

49 boundary:

50 Beginning at the intersection of County State Aid Highway
51 (CSAH) 3, Mahnomon County and the north boundary of
52 Mahnomon County; thence along the north, west, and south
53 boundaries of Mahnomon County to CSAH 13, Mahnomon County;
54 thence along CSAH 13 to State Trunk Highway (STH) 113;

1 thence along STH 113 to CSAH 3, Mahnomon County; thence
2 along CSAH 3 to the point of beginning.

3 Subp. 19. **Moose Zone 20.** Moose Zone 20 consists of that
4 portion of the state lying within the following described
5 boundary:

6 Beginning at the campground on Kawishiwi Lake; thence in a
7 southerly direction along Forest Road 354 to Hog Creek;
8 thence downstream in a southwesterly direction along Hog
9 Creek to Perent Lake; thence in a westerly direction
10 through the center of Perent Lake to the outlet of the
11 Perent River; thence in a westerly direction along the
12 Perent River to Isabella Lake; thence in a westerly
13 direction along the south shore of Isabella Lake to the
14 Isabella River; thence in a westerly direction along the
15 Isabella River to Bald Eagle Lake; thence in a
16 northwesterly direction through the center of Bald Eagle,
17 Gabbro and Little Gabbro Lakes to the westernmost outlet of
18 Little Gabbro Lake; thence downstream in a northerly
19 direction to the South Kawishiwi River; thence in a
20 northeasterly direction along the South Kawishiwi River to
21 the Kawishiwi River; thence in an easterly direction along
22 the Kawishiwi River to County State Aid Highway (CSAH) 18
23 (Fernberg Road), Lake County; thence in a northerly
24 direction along CSAH 18 to Forest Trail 147 (Kekekabic
25 Trail); thence in a northeasterly direction along Forest
26 Trail 147 to Strup Lake; thence in a southerly direction
27 across all portages and along all streams through Strup,
28 Wisini, Ahmakose, and Gerund Lakes to Fraser Lake; thence
29 in an easterly direction along the north shore of Fraser
30 Lake to the easternmost part of Fraser Lake; thence in an
31 easterly direction across all portages and along all
32 streams through the north end of Sagus Lake, Roe and Cap
33 Lakes to Boulder Lake; thence in a southerly direction
34 through the center of Boulder Lake, across the portage
35 connecting Boulder and Adams Lake to Adams Lake; thence in
36 a southerly direction to the south shore of Adams Lake;
37 thence along the south shore of Adams Lake to the portage
38 connecting Adams Lake and Beaver Lake; thence in a
39 southwesterly direction across said portage to Beaver Lake;
40 thence in a southwesterly and southerly direction through
41 Beaver Lake to the southeast end of Beaver Lake; thence in
42 a southwesterly direction along Unnamed streams, through
43 Whiz and Bow Lakes, to Amber Lake; thence in a
44 southeasterly direction through Amber Lake to the Kawishiwi
45 River; thence in a northeasterly direction along the
46 Kawishiwi River to Record Creek; thence in a southerly
47 direction along Record Creek to the portage connecting
48 Record Creek and Malberg Lake; thence in an easterly
49 direction across said portage to Malberg Lake; thence in a
50 southeasterly direction through Malberg Lake, through Koma
51 Lake, and along the Kawishiwi River to Lake Polly; thence
52 in a southwesterly direction through the center of Lake
53 Polly to the Kawishiwi River; thence upstream in a
54 southerly direction along the Kawishiwi River, through
55 Kawasachong and Square Lakes to Kawishiwi Lake; thence in a
56 southeasterly direction through the center of Kawishiwi
57 Lake to the point of beginning.

58 Subp. 20. **Moose Zone 21.** Moose Zone 21 consists of that
59 portion of the state lying within the following described
60 boundary:

61 Beginning at the junction of State Trunk Highway (STH) 169
62 and County State Aid Highway (CSAH) 21, St. Louis County;
63 thence along CSAH 21 to CSAH 70, St. Louis County; thence

1 along CSAH 70 to Forest Road (FR) 112; thence along FR 112
 2 to FR 424; thence along FR 424 to the Erie Mining Company
 3 railroad; thence along said railroad to FR 116; thence
 4 along FR 116 to FR 114; thence along FR 114 to FR 112;
 5 thence along FR 112 to FR 1431; thence along FR 1431 to FR
 6 424; thence along FR 424 to FR 178; thence along FR 178 to
 7 FR 1860; thence along FR 1860 to the shore of Birch Lake;
 8 thence along the east shore of Birch Lake to the South
 9 Kawishiwi River; thence along the east and south shore of
 10 said river to the Kawishiwi River; thence westerly along
 11 the southerly shores of said river to Farm Lake; thence
 12 along the east and south shores of Farm Lake to the boat
 13 ramp on the west shore of Farm Lake; thence along the boat
 14 ramp road to Section Thirty Road; thence along said road to
 15 STH 169; thence along STH 169 to the point of beginning.

16 Subp. 21. **Moose Zone 22.** Moose Zone 22 consists of that
 17 portion of the state lying within the following described
 18 boundary:

19 Beginning at the intersection of State Trunk Highway (STH)
 20 1 and County State Aid Highway (CSAH) 2, Lake County;
 21 thence in a southerly direction along CSAH 2 to the Erie
 22 Mining Company Railroad; thence in a westerly direction
 23 along the Erie Mining Company Railroad to the Reserve
 24 Mining Company Railroad; thence in a northerly direction
 25 along the Reserve Mining Company Railroad to Forest Road
 26 (FR) 116; thence along FR 116 to FR 114; thence along FR
 27 114 to FR 112; thence along FR 112 to FR 1431; thence along
 28 FR 1431 to FR 424; thence along FR 424 to FR 178; thence
 29 along FR 178 to FR 1860; thence along FR 1860 to the shore
 30 of Birch Lake; thence in a northerly direction along the
 31 east shore of Birch Lake to the South Kawishiwi River;
 32 thence upstream in a northeasterly direction along the east
 33 and south shore of the South Kawishiwi River to the
 34 westernmost outlet of Little Gabbro Lake; thence upstream
 35 in a southerly direction to Little Gabbro Lake; thence in
 36 an easterly direction through the center of Little Gabbro
 37 Lake to Gabbro Lake; thence in an easterly and
 38 southeasterly direction through the center of Gabbro Lake
 39 to Bald Eagle Lake; thence in a southeasterly direction
 40 through the center of Bald Eagle Lake to the southernmost
 41 portion of Bald Eagle Lake at the inlet of the Snake River;
 42 thence upstream in a southerly direction along the Snake
 43 River to FR 173; thence along FR 173 to STH 1; thence along
 44 STH 1 to the point of beginning.

45 Subp. 22. **Moose Zone 23.** Moose Zone 23 consists of that
 46 portion of the state lying within the following described
 47 boundary:

48 Beginning at the intersection of State Trunk Highway (STH)
 49 1 and Forest Road (FR) 173; thence in an easterly direction
 50 along FR 173 to the Snake River; thence in a northerly
 51 direction along the Snake River to Bald Eagle Lake; thence
 52 in a northerly direction along the east shore of Bald Eagle
 53 Lake to the Isabella River; thence upstream in an easterly
 54 direction along the Isabella River to Isabella Lake; thence
 55 in an easterly direction along the southwest shore of
 56 Isabella Lake to Forest Center Landing and FR 377; thence
 57 along FR 377 to FR 373; thence along FR 373 to FR 173;
 58 thence along FR 173 to FR 369; thence along FR 369 to FR
 59 172; thence along FR 172 to STH 1; thence along STH 1 to
 60 the point of beginning.

61 Subp. 23. **Moose Zone 24.** Moose Zone 24 consists of that

1 portion of the state lying within the following described
2 boundary:

3 Beginning at the Forest Center Landing on the south shore
4 of Isabella Lake; thence in an easterly direction along the
5 south shore of Isabella Lake to the Perent River; thence
6 upstream in an easterly direction along the Perent River to
7 Perent Lake; thence in an easterly direction through the
8 center of Perent Lake to the east shore of Perent Lake at
9 Hog Creek; thence upstream in a northeasterly direction
10 along Hog Creek to Forest Road (FR) 354; thence along
11 Forest Road 354 to County State Aid Highway (CSAH) 7, Lake
12 County; thence along CSAH 7 to FR 172; thence along FR 172
13 to FR 369; thence along FR 369 to FR 173; thence along FR
14 173 to FR 373; thence along FR 373 to FR 377; thence along
15 FR 377 to the point of beginning.

16 Subp. 24. **Moose Zone 25.** Moose Zone 25 consists of that
17 portion of the state lying within the following described
18 boundary:

19 Beginning at the intersection of County State Aid Highway
20 (CSAH) 2, Cook County, and Forest Road (FR) 166; thence
21 along FR 166 to CSAH 7, Lake County; thence along CSAH 7 to
22 FR 354; thence along FR 354 to the south shore of Kawishiwi
23 Lake; thence in a northwesterly direction through the
24 center of Kawishiwi Lake to the outlet of the Kawishiwi
25 River; thence in a northerly direction along the Kawishiwi
26 River, through Square and Kwasachong Lakes, to Lake Polly;
27 thence in an easterly direction through the center of Lake
28 Polly to the Phoebe River; thence upstream in an easterly
29 direction along the Phoebe River, through Hazel and Knight
30 Lakes, to Phoebe Lake; thence along the north shore of
31 Phoebe Lake to the unnamed flowage which enters Phoebe Lake
32 from Grace Lake; thence upstream in an easterly direction
33 along the unnamed flowage to Grace Lake; thence along the
34 southwest shore of Grace Lake to the portage connecting
35 Grace and Beth Lakes; thence in an easterly direction along
36 said portage to Beth Lake; thence in an easterly direction
37 through the center of Beth Lake to the east shore and the
38 portage connecting Beth and Alton Lakes; thence in an
39 easterly direction along said portage to Alton Lake; thence
40 in an easterly and northerly direction along the south and
41 east shores of Alton Lake to the portage connecting Alton
42 and Sawbill Lakes; thence in an easterly direction along
43 said portage to Sawbill Lake; thence in a southerly
44 direction along the west shore of Sawbill Lake to the
45 Sawbill Campground and CSAH 2, Cook County; thence along
46 CSAH 2 to the point of beginning.

47 Subp. 25. **Moose Zone 29.** Moose Zone 29 consists of that
48 portion of the state lying within the following described
49 boundary:

50 Beginning on State Trunk Highway (STH) 1 at Isabella;
51 thence in a southerly direction along State Trunk Highway 1
52 to the Erie Mining Company Railroad; thence in a westerly
53 direction along the Erie Mining Company Railroad to Forest
54 Road (FR) 102; thence along FR 102 to FR 104; thence along
55 FR 104 to County State Aid Highway (CSAH) 2, Lake County;
56 thence along CSAH 2 to STH 1; thence along STH 1 to the
57 point of beginning.

58 Subp. 26. **Moose Zone 30.** Moose Zone 30 consists of that
59 portion of the state lying within the following described

1 boundary:

2 Beginning at the intersection of County State Aid Highway
3 (CSAH) 2, Lake County and Forest Road (FR) 122; thence
4 along FR 122 to CSAH 44, St. Louis County; thence along
5 CSAH 44 to CSAH 16, St. Louis County; thence along CSAH 16
6 to the Soudan Branch of the Duluth, Missabe and Iron Range
7 Railway Company (DM&IR); thence along said railroad to the
8 Erie Mining Company railroad in Section 17, T. 59N, R. 14W;
9 thence eastward along the Erie Mining Company railroad to
10 CSAH 2, Lake County; thence along CSAH 2 to the point of
11 beginning.

12 Subp. 27. **Moose Zone 31.** Moose Zone 31 consists of that
13 portion of the state lying within the following described

14 boundary:

15 Beginning at the intersection of State Trunk Highway (STH)
16 1 and County State Aid Highway (CSAH) 4, Lake County;
17 thence in a southwesterly direction along CSAH 4, Lake
18 County, to the North Shore Snowmobile Trail at Lax Lake;
19 thence in a southwesterly direction along the North Shore
20 Snowmobile Trail to the Reserve Mining Company Railroad;
21 thence in a northwesterly direction along the Reserve
22 Mining Company Railroad to Forest Road (FR) 107; thence
23 along FR 107 to CSAH 203, Lake County; thence along CSAH
24 203 to CSAH 2, Lake County; thence along CSAH 2 to FR 104;
25 thence along FR 104 to FR 102; thence along FR 102 to the
26 Erie Mining Company Railroad; thence along the Erie Mining
27 Company Railroad to STH 1; thence along STH 1 to the point
28 of beginning.

29 Subp. 28. **Moose Zone 32.** Moose Zone 32 consists of that
30 portion of the state lying within the following described

31 boundary:

32 Beginning on the Little Indian Sioux River at its
33 intersection with County State Aid Highway (CSAH) 116 (Echo
34 Trail) St. Louis County; thence in a northerly direction
35 along the Little Indian Sioux River to Upper Pauness Lake;
36 thence in a northerly direction along the east shore of
37 Upper Pauness Lake to the outlet of Upper Pauness Lake;
38 thence in an easterly and northerly direction through Lower
39 Pauness Lake to the outlet of the Little Indian Sioux
40 River; thence in a northerly direction along the Little
41 Indian Sioux River to the Canadian Border; thence in a
42 northerly, easterly and southeasterly direction along the
43 Canadian Border through Loon, Lac La Croix, Bottle, Iron
44 and Crooked Lakes to the Horse River near the southeastern
45 tip of Crooked Lake; thence upstream in a southwesterly
46 direction along the Horse River to Horse Lake; thence in a
47 southerly direction along the east shore of Horse Lake to
48 the southern tip of Horse Lake; thence in a southwesterly
49 direction across all portages and along all streams
50 connecting Tin Can Mike, Sandpit and Range Lakes, thence to
51 the access trail on the south shore of Range Lake; thence
52 in a southerly direction along the access trail to the
53 Range Lake access road; thence along said road in a
54 southwesterly direction to Forest Road (FR) 1036; thence
55 along FR 1036 to FR 459; thence along FR 459 to CSAH 116
56 (Echo Trail), St. Louis County; thence along CSAH 116 to
57 the point of beginning.

58 Subp. 29. **Moose Zone 33.** Moose Zone 33 consists of that
59 portion of the state lying within the following described

1 boundary:

2 Beginning at the junction of County State Aid Highway
3 (CSAH) 116 (Echo Trail), St. Louis County, and Forest Road
4 200; thence in a southerly direction along Forest Road 200
5 to Hilda Creek; thence upstream in an easterly and
6 southerly direction along Hilda Creek to Oriniack Lake;
7 thence in a southerly direction along the north and east
8 shore of Oriniack Lake to the portage connecting Oriniack
9 and Trout Lakes; thence in a southeasterly direction across
10 said portage to Trout Lake; thence in an easterly direction
11 along the north shore of Trout Lake to the portage
12 connecting the north arm of Trout Lake to Little Trout
13 Lake; thence in a southeasterly direction across said
14 portage to Little Trout Lake; thence in an easterly
15 direction along the north shore of Little Trout Lake to the
16 portage connecting Little Trout Lake and the Little Indian
17 Sioux River; thence in an easterly direction across said
18 portage to the Little Indian Sioux River; thence upstream
19 in an easterly direction along the Little Indian Sioux
20 River to Otter Lake; thence in an easterly direction
21 through Otter and Cummings Lake to Forest Trail 163; thence
22 in an easterly direction along Forest Trail 163 to CSAH
23 644, St. Louis County; thence along CSAH 644 to CSAH 116,
24 St. Louis County; thence along CSAH 116 to the point of
25 beginning.

26 Subp. 30. **Moose Zone 60.** Moose Zone 60 consists of that
27 portion of the state lying within the following described
28 boundary:

29 Beginning at McFarland Lake north of Hovland; thence in a
30 westerly direction to Pine Lake; thence in a westerly
31 direction through Pine Lake to the range line between Range
32 2 East and Range 3 East; thence in a southerly direction
33 along said range line across land and the waters of Long
34 Lake and Stump Lake to Fault Lake; thence in a westerly
35 direction through all streams and swamps connecting Fault,
36 Bronco, Shelf, Kiowa, Crocodile, and East Bearskin Lakes;
37 thence northeasterly across East Bearskin Lake to the
38 portage trail to Flour Lake; thence in a northerly
39 direction across said portage trail to Flour Lake; thence
40 along the eastern shore of Flour Lake to the stream to Moon
41 Lake; thence along said stream to Moon Lake; thence along
42 the western shore of Moon Lake to the northwest corner of
43 Moon Lake; thence overland in a northwesterly direction
44 approximately 1,000 feet to Deer Lake; thence in a
45 northerly direction across Deer Lake to the portage trail
46 to Caribou Lake; thence in a northerly direction along said
47 portage trail to Caribou Lake; thence along the western
48 shore of Caribou Lake to the portage trail to Clearwater
49 Lake; thence in a westerly direction across the portage
50 trail to Clearwater Lake; thence in a westerly direction
51 through Clearwater Lake to the western end of the lake;
52 thence overland in a westerly direction approximately 100
53 yards (crossing CSAH 66, Cook County) to an unnumbered road
54 bed leading to Daniels Lake; thence in a westerly direction
55 along said road bed to Daniels Lake; thence in a
56 northeasterly direction through Daniels Lake to its outlet
57 stream; thence in a northeasterly direction along said
58 stream to the United States-Canada international boundary;
59 thence in an easterly direction along said boundary through
60 Rove, Watap, Mountain, Fan, Lily, Moose, and North Fowl
61 Lakes to Royal River; thence in a westerly direction along
62 Royal River to John Lake; thence in a westerly direction
63 along the south shore of John Lake to the outlet of Little
64 John Lake; thence in a southerly direction through Little
65 John Lake to McFarland Lake, the point of beginning.

1 Subp. 31. **Moose Zone 61.** Moose Zone 61 consists of that
2 portion of the state lying within the following described
3 boundary:

4 Beginning on the south shore of Sea Gull Lake at a point
5 where Sea Gull Lake touches the midpoint of the section
6 line between Sections 14 and 15 of Township 65 North, Range
7 5 West (T. 65N, R. 5W); thence in a southeasterly direction
8 along the shore of Sea Gull Lake to the stream entering Sea
9 Gull Lake from Loop Lake; thence in a southerly direction
10 along said stream through Loop Lake to the southern shore
11 of Elusion Lake; thence in a southerly direction along the
12 portage trail to Glee Lake; thence in a southeasterly
13 direction through Glee Lake to its outlet stream to Fay
14 Lake; thence in a southeasterly direction along said stream
15 to Fay Lake; thence in a westerly direction through Fay
16 Lake and along Chub River through Warclub and Seahorse
17 Lakes to the southern tip of Seahorse Lake; thence in a
18 southerly direction along the stream to French Lake; thence
19 in a southeasterly direction along the northeast shore of
20 French Lake to the portage trail to Gillis Lake; thence in
21 a southerly direction across said portage to Gillis Lake;
22 thence along the northern, eastern and southern shores of
23 Gillis Lake to the stream to Crooked Lake; thence in a
24 southeasterly direction along said stream to Crooked Lake;
25 thence along the eastern shore of Crooked Lake to the
26 stream to Tarry Lake; thence in a southerly direction along
27 said stream to Tarry Lake; thence along the northern,
28 eastern and southern shores of Tarry Lake to the stream to
29 Mora Lake; thence in a southerly direction along said
30 stream to Mora Lake; thence along the eastern and southern
31 shores of Mora Lake to the stream to Time Lake; thence in a
32 southeasterly direction along all streams and through Time,
33 Whipped, Fente, and Afton Lakes to Frost River; thence in
34 an easterly direction along Frost River, through Pencil,
35 Chase, and Octopus Lakes to the eastern end of Octopus
36 Lake; thence in a southeasterly direction along an unnamed
37 flowage to Noodle Lake; thence in a southwesterly direction
38 along an unnamed flowage to Wing Lake; thence in a
39 southeasterly direction through Wing Lake to its
40 easternmost tip; thence overland and across Guard Lake for
41 approximately 1,800 feet total in an easterly direction to
42 Ranger Lake; thence in a southeasterly direction through
43 Ranger Lake to its outlet to Cherokee Lake, thence in an
44 easterly direction along said outlet to Cherokee Lake;
45 thence in a northeasterly direction through Cherokee Lake
46 and along all streams through Town and Cash Lakes to the
47 southeast corner of Cash Lake; thence in an easterly
48 direction along an unnamed flowage to the center of the
49 South Half of Section 32 of T. 64N, R. 3W; thence overland
50 for approximately 0.6 miles in an easterly direction to the
51 unnamed lake in the Southwest Quarter of Section 33, T.
52 64N, R. 3W; thence in an easterly direction through said
53 unnamed lake and along its outlet stream to Davis Lake;
54 thence in an easterly direction and along all streams and
55 portages through Davis, Pup, Winchell, Gaskin, and Icicle
56 Lakes to the east end of Icicle Lake; thence overland
57 approximately 0.1 mile in an easterly direction to Snack
58 Lake; thence in an easterly direction through Snack Lake
59 and its outlet stream to Vista Lake; thence in a northerly
60 direction along all streams and portages between Vista,
61 Horseshoe, Caribou, and Lizz Lakes to Poplar Lake; thence
62 in a westerly direction along the southern and western
63 shores of Poplar Lake to the stream to Skipper Lake; thence
64 in a westerly direction along said stream and other streams
65 or swamps through Skipper, Little Rush, Rush, Banadad,
66 Sebeka, Ross, George, Lower George, Rib, Cross Bay, and
67 Snipe Lakes to the northwest corner of Snipe Lake; thence
68 overland approximately 0.4 miles in a northwesterly

1 direction to the northeast corner of Missing Link Lake;
2 thence in a westerly direction along the northern shore of
3 Missing Link Lake to the portage to Round Lake; thence in a
4 northeasterly direction along said portage to Round Lake;
5 thence in a northwesterly direction along the southwest
6 shore of Round Lake to the flowage to West Round Lake;
7 thence in a westerly direction across said flowage, along
8 all streams, and through West Round, Edith, Brant, then in
9 a northerly direction through Gotter, Flying, Bingshack,
10 and Honker Lakes to the center of the north shore of Honker
11 Lake; thence overland for approximately 0.3 miles in a
12 northerly direction to a swamp flowing northerly to Squat
13 Lake; thence in a northerly direction through said swamp to
14 Squat Lake; thence in a northeasterly direction through
15 Squat Lake to the outlet to the unnamed lake in the
16 Northeast Quarter of Section 19 of T. 65N, R. 4W; thence in
17 a northerly direction along said outlet to said unnamed
18 lake; thence in a northerly direction through said unnamed
19 lake and along all streams and ponds to the north shore of
20 the unnamed pond in the Northwest Quarter of the Southwest
21 Quarter of Section 18 of T. 65N, R. 4W; thence overland for
22 approximately 200 feet in a northerly direction to Arc
23 Lake; thence in a northeasterly direction to the northern
24 end of Arc Lake; thence overland for approximately 0.3
25 miles in a northerly direction to an unnamed stream to Sea
26 Gull Lake; thence in a northerly direction along said
27 stream to the south shore of Sea Gull Lake; thence in a
28 southeasterly direction along the south shore of Sea Gull
29 Lake to the point of beginning.

30 Subp. 32. **Moose Zone 62.** Moose Zone 62 consists of that
31 portion of the state lying within the following described
32 boundary:

33 Beginning at the Sawbill Campground at the southern end of
34 Sawbill Lake; thence in a westerly direction across Sawbill
35 Lake to the portage connecting Sawbill and Alton Lakes;
36 thence in a westerly direction along said portage to Alton
37 Lake; thence in a southwesterly direction through Alton
38 Lake to the portage to Beth Lake; thence in a westerly
39 direction along said portage to Beth Lake; thence in a
40 westerly direction through Beth Lake to the portage to
41 Grace Lake; thence in a westerly direction along said
42 portage to Grace Lake; thence in a northwesterly direction
43 along the southwest shore of Grace Lake to the unnamed
44 flowage which leads to Phoebe Lake; thence in a westerly
45 direction along said unnamed flowage to Phoebe Lake; thence
46 in a westerly direction along the north shore of Phoebe
47 Lake to Phoebe River; thence in a northwesterly direction
48 along Phoebe River, through Knight and Hazel Lakes to Lake
49 Polly; thence in a northwesterly direction through Lake
50 Polly to the Kawishiwi River; thence in a northerly
51 direction along the Kawishiwi River, through Koma Lake, to
52 Malberg Lake; thence in a northwesterly direction through
53 Malberg Lake to the portage trail in the northwest corner
54 of Malberg Lake leading to Kawishiwi River; thence in a
55 northwesterly direction along said portage to Kawishiwi
56 River; thence in a northeasterly direction along Kawishiwi
57 River through Kivaniva, Kivandeba, and John Ek Lakes to the
58 south end of John Ek Lake; thence overland for
59 approximately 100 feet in an easterly direction to an
60 unnamed flowage; thence in an easterly direction along said
61 unnamed flowage across the South Half of the North Half of
62 Section 31 of Township 64 North, Range 5 West (T. 64N, R.
63 5W) to an unnamed lake in the Northeast Quarter of the
64 Northeast Quarter of said Section 31, T. 64N, R. 5W; thence
65 overland for approximately 600 feet in a southeasterly
66 direction to an unnamed pond in the Southwest Quarter of
67 the Northwest Quarter of Section 32, T. 64N, R. 5W; thence

1 overland for approximately 0.3 miles in an easterly
2 direction to an unnamed flowage leading to Teat Lake;
3 thence in an easterly direction along said unnamed flowage
4 through Teat and Lawless Lakes to the eastern end of
5 Lawless Lake; thence overland and all waters for
6 approximately 0.8 miles in a southeasterly direction to
7 Mesaba Lake; thence in a northeasterly direction through
8 Mesaba Lake to an unnamed stream to Hub Lake; thence in a
9 northerly direction along said unnamed stream to Hub Lake;
10 thence along the east and south shores of Hub Lake to the
11 stream leading to Chuck Lake; thence in an easterly
12 direction along said stream, through Chuck and Florence
13 Lakes to the northeast tip of Florence Lake; thence
14 overland for approximately 100 feet in a northeasterly
15 direction to Caper Lake; thence in a northerly direction
16 through Caper Lake and along the unnamed flowage to the
17 north to Frost River; thence in an easterly direction along
18 Frost River, through Pencil, Chase and Octopus Lakes to the
19 eastern end of Octopus Lake; thence in a southeasterly
20 direction along an unnamed flowage to Noodle Lake; thence
21 in a southwesterly direction along an unnamed flowage to
22 Wing Lake; thence in a southeasterly direction through Wing
23 Lake to its easternmost tip; thence overland and across
24 Guard Lake for approximately 1,800 feet total in an
25 easterly direction to Ranger Lake; thence in a
26 southeasterly direction through Ranger Lake to its outlet
27 to Cherokee Lake; thence in an easterly direction along
28 said outlet to Cherokee Lake; thence in a northeasterly
29 direction through Cherokee Lake and along all streams
30 through Town and Cash Lakes to the southeast corner of Cash
31 Lake; thence in an easterly direction along an unnamed
32 flowage to the center of the South Half of Section 32 of T.
33 64N, R. 3W; thence overland for approximately 0.6 miles in
34 an easterly direction to the unnamed lake in the Southwest
35 Quarter of Section 33, T. 64N, R. 3W; thence in an easterly
36 direction through said unnamed lake and along its outlet
37 stream to Davis Lake; thence in an easterly direction and
38 along all streams and portages through Davis, Pup,
39 Winchell, Gaskin, and Icicle Lakes to the east end of
40 Icicle Lake; thence overland approximately 0.1 mile in an
41 easterly direction to Snack Lake; thence in an easterly
42 direction through Snack Lake and its outlet stream to Vista
43 Lake; thence in a southerly direction through Vista Lake,
44 along its inlet from Misquah Lake, and through Misquah Lake
45 to its southern tip; thence overland approximately 0.6
46 miles in a southerly direction to Little Trout Lake; thence
47 in a southerly direction and along all streams through
48 Little Trout, Slough, Iota, Dugout, Swede, and Dane Lakes
49 to the southern tip of Dane Lake; thence overland
50 approximately 800 feet in a southerly direction to Ball
51 Club Lake; thence in a westerly direction through Ball Club
52 Lake and along Ball Club Creek through Cleaver Lake to the
53 unnamed lake in the West Half of Section 27 of T. 63N, R.
54 2W; thence in a northwesterly direction along the north
55 shore of said lake to its inlet stream at the northern
56 extremity of the lake; thence upstream in a northwesterly
57 direction along said stream to Fishhook Lake; thence in a
58 westerly direction to the westernmost point of Fishhook
59 Lake; thence overland for approximately one-tenth mile in a
60 southwesterly direction to the unnamed lake in the
61 Southeast Quarter of Section 20, T. 63N, R. 2W; thence in a
62 westerly direction through said unnamed lake to its outlet
63 stream; thence in a westerly direction along said outlet
64 stream to Brule Lake; thence in a westerly direction along
65 the south shore of Brule Lake to Jock Mock Bay of Brule
66 Lake; thence in a westerly direction along the south shore
67 of Jock Mock Bay to the portage trail to Juno Lake; thence
68 in a southerly direction across said portage to Juno Lake;
69 thence in a westerly direction through Juno Lake to the
70 portage to Vern Lake; thence in a southeasterly direction
71 through Vern Lake to East Pipe Lake; thence in a westerly

1 direction across all portages and through Pipe Lake to Pipe
2 Creek; thence in a westerly direction along Pipe Creek to
3 Temperance River (Kelly Lake); thence in a southwesterly
4 direction along Temperance River to the portage to Burnt
5 Lake; thence in a northwesterly direction across said
6 portage to Burnt Lake; thence in a northwesterly direction
7 through Burnt Lake, across all portages and through Smoke
8 Lake to the east shore of Sawbill Lake; thence in a
9 southerly direction along the east shore of Sawbill Lake to
10 Sawbill Campground, to the point of beginning.

11 Subp. 33. **Moose Zone 63.** Moose Zone 63 consists of that
12 portion of the state lying within the following described
13 boundary:

14 Beginning at the point where the Cook and Lake County
15 boundaries meet the United States-Canada international
16 boundary; thence in a southwesterly direction along the
17 U.S.-Canada international boundary through Swamp, Cypress,
18 and Knife Lakes to the section line between Sections 28 and
19 29 of Township 65 North, Range 7 West (T. 65N, R. 7W) in
20 Knife Lake; thence in a southerly direction along said
21 section line to the shore of Knife lake; thence overland
22 for approximately 0.6 miles in a southerly direction to
23 Skoota Lake; thence in a southerly direction to the south
24 shore of Skoota Lake; thence overland for approximately 0.1
25 miles in a southerly direction through Grubstake Lake;
26 thence in an easterly direction through Grubstake Lake to
27 its easternmost tip; thence in an easterly direction along
28 a swampy flowage to Kekekabic Lake; thence in an easterly
29 direction along the south shore of Kekekabic Lake to the
30 stream to Strup Lake; thence in a southerly direction along
31 said stream through Strup and Wisini Lakes to the
32 southernmost tip of Wisini Lake; thence in a southerly
33 direction across the portage trail to Ahmakose Lake; thence
34 in a southwesterly direction through Ahmakose Lake and its
35 outlet stream to Gerund Lake; thence in a southeasterly
36 direction through Gerund Lake and its outlet stream to
37 Fraser Lake; thence in an easterly direction through Fraser
38 Lake to the portage trail to Sagus Lake; thence along said
39 portage trail and along all streams through Sagus, Roe, and
40 Cap Lakes to the eastern end of Cap Lake; thence overland
41 for approximately 0.4 miles in a south-southeasterly
42 direction to Boulder Lake; thence in a southwesterly
43 direction through Boulder Lake and along its outlet stream
44 to Adams Lake; thence in a southerly direction to the
45 southwest tip of Adams Lake; thence overland for
46 approximately 0.25 miles in a southwesterly direction to
47 Beaver Lake; thence in southwesterly and southeasterly
48 directions through Beaver Lake to the stream entering
49 Beaver Lake from the east near the southern tip of Beaver
50 Lake; thence in an easterly direction along said stream to
51 the unnamed lake approximately 0.1 miles to the east;
52 thence in a southerly direction through said unnamed lake
53 and the stream connecting it to Kawishiwi River; thence in
54 a southerly direction along Kawishiwi River, through River
55 Lake, to the unnamed flowage to the east in the Southeast
56 Quarter of Section 14 of T. 63N, R. 7W; thence in an
57 easterly direction along said unnamed flowage across
58 Sections 14 and 13 of T. 63N, R. 7W, and part of Section 18
59 of T. 63N, R. 6W, to Record Lake; thence in a northeasterly
60 direction through Record Lake to the Northeast corner of
61 Record Lake; thence overland for approximately 1200 feet in
62 a northeasterly direction to Malberg Lake; thence in a
63 northwesterly direction through Malberg Lake to the portage
64 trail in the northwest corner of Malberg Lake leading to
65 Kawishiwi River; thence in a northwesterly direction along
66 said portage to Kawishiwi River; thence in a northeasterly
67 direction along Kawishiwi River through Kivaniva,

1 Kivandeba, and John Ek Lakes to the south end of John Ek
2 Lake; thence overland for approximately 100 feet in an
3 easterly direction to an unnamed flowage; thence in an
4 easterly direction along said unnamed flowage across the
5 South Half of the South Half of Section 31 of T. 64N, R.
6 5W, to an unnamed lake in the Northeast Quarter of the
7 Northeast Quarter of said Section 31 of T. 64N, R. 5W;
8 thence overland for approximately 600 feet in a
9 southeasterly direction to an unnamed pond in the Southwest
10 Quarter of the Northwest Quarter of Section 32 of T. 64N,
11 R. 5W; thence overland for approximately 0.3 miles in an
12 easterly direction to an unnamed flowage leading to Teat
13 Lake; thence in an easterly direction along said unnamed
14 flowage through Teat and Lawless Lakes to the eastern end
15 of Lawless Lake; thence overland and all waters for
16 approximately 0.8 miles in a southeasterly direction to
17 Mesaba Lake; thence in a northeasterly direction through
18 Mesaba Lake to an unnamed stream to Hub Lake; thence in a
19 northerly direction along said unnamed stream to Hub Lake;
20 thence along the east and south shores of Hub Lake to the
21 stream leading to Chuck Lake; thence in an easterly
22 direction along said stream, through Chuck and Florence
23 Lakes to the northeast tip of Florence Lake; thence
24 overland for approximately 100 feet in a northeasterly
25 direction to Caper Lake; thence in a northerly direction
26 through Caper Lake and along the unnamed flowage to the
27 north to Frost River; thence in a northwesterly direction
28 along Frost River, and all streams, through Afton, Fente,
29 Whipped, and Time Lakes to Mora Lake; thence along the
30 southern and eastern shores of Mora Lake to the stream to
31 Tarry Lake; thence in a northerly direction along said
32 stream to Tarry Lake; thence along the eastern shore of
33 Tarry Lake to the stream to Crooked Lake; thence in a
34 northerly direction along said stream to Crooked Lake;
35 thence along the eastern shore of Crooked Lake to the
36 stream to Gillis Lake; thence in a northwesterly direction
37 along said stream to Gillis Lake; thence along the
38 southern, eastern, and northern shores of Gillis Lake to
39 the portage trail to French Lake; thence in a northerly
40 direction along said portage trail to French Lake; thence
41 along the northeastern shore of French Lake to the stream
42 to Seahorse Lake; thence in a northerly direction along
43 said stream to Seahorse Lake; thence in northerly and
44 easterly directions through Seahorse, Warclub, and Fay
45 Lakes to the stream to Glee Lake; thence in a northwesterly
46 direction along said stream through Glee Lake to its
47 northwesternmost corner; thence in a northerly direction
48 along the portage trail to Elusion Lake; thence in a
49 northwesterly direction along all streams through Elusion
50 and Loop Lakes and a series of unnamed ponds to Sea Gull
51 Lake on the section line between Sections 14 and 15 of T.
52 65N, R. 5W; thence in westerly and northerly directions
53 along the south and west shores of Sea Gull Lake to its
54 junction with Alpine Lake in the Northeast Quarter of
55 Section 9 of T. 65N, R. 5W; thence along the northeastern
56 shore of Alpine Lake to the portage to Red Rock Lake;
57 thence in a northeasterly direction along said portage to
58 Red Rock Lake; thence in a northerly direction through Red
59 Rock Lake to Red Rock Bay; thence in a northerly direction
60 along the west shore of Red Rock Bay to Rocky Point on
61 American Point of Saganaga Lake; thence in a northerly
62 direction from Rocky Point to the United States-Canada
63 international boundary; thence in a southwesterly direction
64 along the international boundary through Saganaga and Swamp
65 Lakes to the point of beginning.

66 Subp. 34. **Moose Zone 70.** Moose Zone 70 consists of that
67 portion of the state lying within the following described
68 boundary:

1 Beginning at the intersection of County State Aid Highway
2 (CSAH) 16, Cook County, and Swamp River; thence in an
3 easterly direction along Swamp River to Jackson Creek;
4 thence in easterly and northeasterly directions along
5 Jackson Creek, through Jackson Lake, to the unnamed creek
6 entering Jackson Lake; thence in an east-northeasterly
7 direction along said unnamed creek, adjoining swamp and
8 upland, to an unnamed lake in the Northeast Quarter of
9 Section 13 of T. 63N, R. 4E; thence in an easterly
10 direction to the Reservation River and the Grand Portage
11 Indian Reservation Boundary; thence in a northwesterly
12 direction along the Grand Portage Indian Reservation
13 Boundary to Pigeon River and the United States-Canada
14 international boundary; thence in a northwesterly direction
15 along the United States-Canada international boundary on
16 the Pigeon River and South Fowl Lake to North Fowl Lake and
17 Royal River; thence in a westerly direction along Royal
18 River to John Lake; thence in a westerly direction along
19 the south shore of John Lake to the outlet of Little John
20 Lake; thence in a southerly direction through Little John
21 Lake to McFarland Lake; thence in a westerly direction
22 through McFarland Lake to Pine Lake; thence in a westerly
23 direction through Pine Lake to the range line between Range
24 2 East and Range 3 East; thence in a southerly direction
25 along said range line across land and the waters of Long
26 Lake and Stump Lake to Fault Lake; thence in a westerly
27 direction through Fault Lake, Bronco Lake, and the stream
28 flowing into Bronco Lake from the west to Puff Creek;
29 thence in a southwesterly direction along Puff Creek to its
30 junction with an unnamed creek on the section line between
31 Sections 14 and 15 of Township 64N, Range 2 East (T. 64N,
32 R. 2E); thence in a southeasterly direction along said
33 unnamed creek to Tittle Lake; thence in a southeasterly
34 direction through swamp for approximately one-half mile to
35 the unnamed lake in the Southwest Quarter of Section 13 of
36 T. 64N, R. 2E; thence in a southwesterly direction through
37 approximately one-half mile of swamp to Greenwood Lake at a
38 location in the Southeast Quarter of the Northeast Quarter
39 of Section 23, T. 64N, R. 2E; thence in a southwesterly
40 direction through Greenwood Lake to its outlet at Greenwood
41 River; thence in a southerly direction along Greenwood
42 River to its junction with Brule River; thence in a
43 southeasterly direction along Brule River to the section
44 line between Sections 9 and 10 of T. 62N, R. 3E; thence
45 overland in an easterly direction for approximately 800
46 feet to Flute Reed River; thence in a northeasterly
47 direction along Flute Reed River, through its headwaters
48 swamp, to the flowage entering it from Moosehorn Lake;
49 thence in an easterly direction along said flowage from
50 Moosehorn Lake to Grand Portage State Forest Road (GPSFR)
51 2, Cook County; thence along GPSFR 2 to CSAH 16, Cook
52 County; thence along CSAH 16 to the point of beginning.

53 Subp. 35. **Moose Zone 71.** Moose Zone 71 consists of that
54 portion of the state lying within the following described
55 boundary:

56 Beginning at the intersection of U.S. Highway 61 and the
57 Devil Track River; thence northeasterly along U.S. Highway
58 61 to the Range Line between R. 4E and R. 5E; thence north
59 along said Range Line to an unnamed lake in the Northeast
60 Quarter of Section 13 of T. 63N, R. 4E; thence
61 west-southwesterly to an unnamed creek entering Jackson
62 Lake; thence along said creek, through Jackson Lake to
63 Jackson Creek; thence along Jackson Creek to the Swamp
64 River; thence along the Swamp River to County State Aid
65 Highway (CSAH) 16, Cook County; thence along CSAH 16 to
66 Grand Portage State Forest Road (GPSFR) 2, Cook County;
67 thence northwesterly along GPSFR 2 to the flowage from

1 Moosehorn Lake toward the headwaters swamp of the Flute
2 Reed River; thence along said flowage to the Flute Reed
3 River; thence overland in a westerly direction to the
4 junction at the Brule River and an unnamed stream near the
5 center of the line between Sections 9 and 10 of T. 62N, R.
6 3E; thence along said unnamed stream to a trail (abandoned
7 roadbed) in the Northwest Quarter of Section 9, T. 62N, R.
8 3E; thence in a southerly direction along said trail for
9 approximately 1.6 miles to its junction with a second trail
10 (abandoned roadbed); thence in a westerly direction along
11 said second trail for approximately 1.5 miles to its
12 junction with a third trail (abandoned roadbed); thence in
13 a southerly direction along said third trail for
14 approximately 2.25 miles to CSAH 14, Cook County; thence
15 along CSAH 14 to CSAH 60, Cook County; thence in a westerly
16 direction along CSAH 60 to its junction with the Devil
17 Track River; thence along the Devil Track River to the
18 point of beginning.

19 Subp. 36. **Moose Zone 72.** Moose Zone 72 consists of that
20 portion of the state lying within the following described
21 boundary:

22 Beginning at the intersection of County State Aid Highway
23 (CSAH) 12, Cook County, and Forest Road 146; thence in a
24 northerly direction along Forest Road 146 to the access on
25 East Bearskin Lake; thence in an easterly direction through
26 East Bearskin Lake to the stream to Crocodile Lake; thence
27 in a southeasterly direction along said stream to Crocodile
28 Lake; thence in an easterly direction through Crocodile
29 Lake, along Crocodile River, through Kiowa Lake, to the
30 east end of Kiowa Lake; thence in an easterly direction
31 from the east end of Kiowa Lake through the swamp
32 connecting it to Shelf Lake; thence in an easterly
33 direction through Shelf Lake; thence in an easterly
34 direction along the stream from Shelf Lake to its junction
35 with Puff Creek; thence in a southwesterly direction along
36 Puff Creek to its junction with an unnamed creek on the
37 section line between Sections 14 and 15 of Township 64N,
38 Range 2E (T. 64N, R. 2E); thence in a southeasterly
39 direction along said unnamed creek to Tittle Lake; thence
40 in a southeasterly direction through swamp for
41 approximately one-half mile to the unnamed lake in the
42 Southwest Quarter of Section 13 of T. 64N, R. 2E; thence in
43 a southwesterly direction through approximately one-half
44 mile of swamp to Greenwood Lake at a location in the
45 Southeast Quarter of the Northeast Quarter of Section 23,
46 T. 64N, R. 2E; thence in a southwesterly direction through
47 Greenwood Lake to its outlet at Greenwood River; thence in
48 a southerly direction along Greenwood River to its junction
49 with Brule River; thence in a westerly direction along
50 Brule River to South Brule River; thence in an easterly
51 direction along South Brule River through Bower Trout and
52 Marshall Lakes to Dugout Lake; thence in a northwesterly
53 direction through Dugout Lake to the stream connecting it
54 to Iota Lake; thence in a northerly direction along said
55 stream and through Iota, Slough, and Little Trout Lakes;
56 thence in a westerly direction across Little Trout Lake to
57 the northwest corner of the lake; thence in a northerly
58 direction overland approximately 0.6 miles to Misquah Lake;
59 thence in a northerly direction along all streams and
60 portages between Misquah, Vista, Horseshoe, Caribou, and
61 Lizz Lakes to Poplar Lake; thence in an easterly direction
62 through Poplar Lake to the stream to Road Lake; thence in
63 an easterly direction along the stream to Road Lake to CSAH
64 12, Cook County; thence along CSAH 12 to the point of
65 beginning.

66 Subp. 37. **Moose Zone 73.** Moose Zone 73 consists of that

1 portion of the state lying within the following described
2 boundary:

3 Beginning at the intersection of County State Aid Highway
4 (CSAH) 12, Cook County, and CSAH 8, Cook County; thence
5 along CSAH 8 to CSAH 27, Cook County; thence along CSAH 27
6 to Forest Road (FR) 323; thence along FR 323 to Ball Club
7 Lake; thence in a northeasterly direction across Ball Club
8 Lake to the opposite shore; thence northwesterly and
9 westerly along said shore to the easterly tip of the bay;
10 thence in a northerly direction overland from the tip of
11 said bay for approximately 800 feet to Dane Lake; thence in
12 a northerly direction through Dane Lake to its outlet
13 stream; thence in a northwesterly direction along said
14 stream to Swede Lake; thence in northeasterly and easterly
15 directions through Swede Lake to its outlet stream; thence
16 in easterly and northerly directions along said outlet
17 streams to South Brule River at Dugout Lake; thence in an
18 easterly direction along South Brule River through Dugout,
19 Marshall and Bower Trout Lakes to its junction with the
20 North Brule River to form Brule River; thence in a
21 southeasterly direction along the Brule River to the
22 unnamed stream entering the Brule River near the center of
23 the eastern edge of Section 9, Township 62 North, Range 3
24 East (T. 62N, R. 3E); thence along said unnamed stream to a
25 trail (abandoned roadbed) in the Northwest Quarter of
26 Section 9, T. 62N, R. 3E; thence in a southerly direction
27 along said trail for approximately 1.6 miles to its
28 junction with a second trail (abandoned roadbed); thence in
29 a westerly direction along said second trail for
30 approximately 1.5 miles to its junction with a third trail
31 (abandoned roadbed); thence in a southerly direction along
32 said third trail for approximately 2.25 miles to CSAH 14,
33 Cook County; thence along CSAH 14 to CSAH 60, Cook County;
34 thence along CSAH 60 to CSAH 12, Cook County; thence along
35 CSAH 12 to the point of beginning.

36 Subp. 38. **Moose Zone 74.** Moose Zone 74 consists of that
37 portion of the state lying within the following described
38 boundary:

39 Beginning at the intersection of County State Aid Highway
40 (CSAH) 12, Cook County, and Forest Road 146; thence in a
41 northerly direction along CSAH 12 to the stream connecting
42 Road Lake to Poplar Lake; thence in a westerly direction
43 along said stream to Poplar Lake; thence in a westerly
44 direction along the southern and western shores of Poplar
45 Lake to the stream to Skipper Lake; thence in a westerly
46 direction along said stream and other streams or swamps
47 through Skipper, Little Rush, Rush, Banadad, Sebeka, Ross,
48 Seal, George, Lower George, Rib, Cross Bay, and Snipe Lakes
49 to the northwest corner of Snipe Lake; thence overland
50 approximately 0.4 miles in a northwesterly direction to the
51 northeast corner of Missing Link Lake; thence in a westerly
52 direction along the northern shore of Missing Link Lake to
53 the portage to Round Lake; thence in a northeasterly
54 direction along said portage to Round Lake; thence in a
55 northwesterly direction along the southwest shore of Round
56 Lake to the flowage to West Round Lake; thence in a
57 westerly direction across said flowage, along all streams,
58 and through West Round, Edith, Brant, then in a northerly
59 direction through Gotter, Flying, Bingshack, and Honker
60 Lakes to the center of the north shore of Honker Lake;
61 thence overland for approximately 0.3 miles in a northerly
62 direction to a swamp flowing northerly to Squat Lake;
63 thence in a northerly direction through said swamp to Squat
64 Lake; thence in a northeasterly direction through Squat
65 Lake to the outlet to the unnamed lake in the Northeast

1 Quarter of Section 19 of Township 65 North, Range 4 West
2 (T. 65N, R. 4W); thence in a northerly direction along said
3 outlet to said unnamed lake; thence in a northerly
4 direction through said unnamed lake and along all streams
5 and ponds to the north shore of the unnamed pond in the
6 Northwest Quarter of the Southwest Quarter of Section 18,
7 T. 65N, R. 4W; thence overland for approximately 200 feet
8 in a northerly direction to Arc Lake; thence in a
9 northeasterly direction to the northern end of Arc Lake;
10 thence overland for approximately 0.3 miles in a northerly
11 direction to an unnamed stream to Sea Gull Lake; thence in
12 a northerly direction along said stream to the south shore
13 of Sea Gull Lake; thence in westerly and northerly
14 directions along the south and west shores of Sea Gull Lake
15 to its junction with Alpine Lake in the Northeast Quarter
16 of Section 9, T. 65N, R. 5W; thence along the northeastern
17 shore of Alpine Lake to the portage to Red Rock Lake;
18 thence in a northeasterly direction along said portage to
19 Red Rock Lake; thence in a northerly direction through Red
20 Rock Lake to Red Rock Bay; thence in a northerly direction
21 along the west shore of Red Rock Bay to Rocky Point on
22 American Point of Saganaga Lake; thence in a northerly
23 direction from Rocky Point to the United States-Canada
24 international boundary; thence in easterly and southerly
25 directions along the international boundary through
26 Saganaga, Maraboeuf, Gneiss, Granite, Clove, Magnetic,
27 Gunflint, Little Gunflint, North, South, Rat, and Rose
28 Lakes to the east end of Rose Lake; thence in a
29 southeasterly direction along the stream leading to Daniels
30 Lake; thence in a southwesterly direction through Daniels
31 Lake to an unnumbered road bed in the Northwest Quarter of
32 the Northwest Quarter of Section 35, T. 65N, R. 1W; thence
33 in an easterly direction along said unnumbered road bed to
34 CSAH 66, Cook County; thence overland in an easterly
35 direction across CSAH 66, Cook County, for approximately
36 100 yards to Clearwater Lake; thence in an easterly
37 direction through Clearwater Lake to the portage to Caribou
38 Lake; thence along the southwest shore of Caribou Lake to
39 the portage to Deer Lake; thence in a southerly direction
40 along said portage to Deer Lake; thence in a southwesterly
41 direction to the south shore of Deer Lake; thence in a
42 southeasterly direction overland approximately 1,000 feet
43 to Moon Lake; thence along the western shore of Moon Lake
44 to the stream to Flour Lake; thence in a westerly direction
45 along said stream to Flour Lake; thence along the eastern
46 shore of Flour Lake to the portage trail to East Bearskin
47 Lake; thence in a southerly direction along said portage to
48 East Bearskin Lake; thence in a westerly direction through
49 East Bearskin Lake to the public access and Forest Road
50 146; thence along Forest Road 146 to the point of beginning.

51 Subp. 39. **Moose Zone 75.** Moose Zone 75 consists of that
52 portion of the state lying within the following described
53 boundary:

54 Beginning at the intersection of U.S. Highway 61 and
55 Cascade River; thence in a northerly direction along
56 Cascade River to the unnamed creek near the center of
57 Section 24 of Township 61 North, Range 2 West (T. 61N, R.
58 2W); thence in an easterly direction along said unnamed
59 creek to its headwaters swamp on the section line between
60 Sections 16 and 21, T. 61N, R 2W; thence in an easterly
61 direction along said section line for approximately 1 mile
62 through said swamp and upland to County State Aid Highway
63 (CSAH) 48, Cook County; thence along CSAH 48 to CSAH 7,
64 Cook County; thence along CSAH 7 to CSAH 6, Cook County;
65 thence along CSAH 6 to CSAH 8, Cook County; thence along
66 CSAH 8 to CSAH 12, Cook County; thence along CSAH 12 to
67 CSAH 60, Cook County; thence in an easterly direction along

1 CSAH 60 to Devil Track River; thence along Devil Track
2 River to U.S. Highway 61; thence along U.S. Highway 61 to
3 the point of beginning.

4 Subp. 40. **Moose Zone 76.** Moose Zone 76 consists of that
5 portion of the state lying within the following described
6 boundary:

7 Beginning at the intersection of County State Aid Highway
8 (CSAH) 6, Cook County, and CSAH 8, Cook County; thence
9 along CSAH 8 to CSAH 27, Cook County; thence along CSAH 27
10 to Forest Road (FR) 323; thence along FR 323 to Ball Club
11 Lake; thence in a northwesterly direction along the south
12 shore of Ball Club Lake to Ball Club Creek; thence in a
13 westerly direction along Ball Club Creek through Cleaver
14 Lake to the unnamed lake in the West Half of Section 27 of
15 Township 63 North, Range 2 West (T. 63N, R. 2W); thence in
16 a northwesterly direction along the north shore of said
17 lake to its inlet stream at the northern extremity of the
18 lake; thence upstream in a northwesterly direction along
19 said stream to Fishhook Lake; thence in a westerly
20 direction to the westernmost point of Fishhook Lake; thence
21 overland for approximately one-tenth mile in a
22 southwesterly direction to the unnamed lake in the
23 Southeast Quarter of Section 20, T. 63N, R. 2W; thence in a
24 westerly direction through said unnamed lake to its outlet
25 stream; thence in a westerly direction along said outlet
26 stream to Brule Lake; thence in a westerly direction along
27 the south shore of Brule Lake to the Brule Lake access and
28 FR 326; thence along FR 326 to FR 165; thence along FR 165
29 to FR 153; thence along FR 153 to CSAH 4, Cook County;
30 thence along CSAH 4 to Caribou Creek; thence in a
31 northeasterly direction along Caribou Creek to Caribou
32 Lake; thence in a northeasterly direction along the
33 northwest shores of Caribou Lake and Bigsby Lake to Murmur
34 Creek; thence in a northeasterly direction along Murmur
35 Creek to FR 332; thence along FR 332 to CSAH 45, Cook
36 County; thence along CSAH 45 to the Cascade River; thence
37 in a northerly direction along the Cascade River to the
38 unnamed creek near the center of Section 24 of T. 61N, R.
39 2W; thence in an easterly direction along said unnamed
40 creek to its headwaters swamp on the section line between
41 Sections 16 and 21, T. 61N, R. 2W; thence in an easterly
42 direction along said section line for approximately one
43 mile through said swamp and upland to CSAH 48, Cook County;
44 thence along CSAH 48 to CSAH 7, Cook County; thence along
45 CSAH 7 to CSAH 6, Cook County; thence along CSAH 6 to the
46 point of beginning.

47 Subp. 41. **Moose Zone 77.** Moose Zone 77 consists of that
48 portion of the state lying within the following described
49 boundary:

50 Beginning at the Sawbill Campground at the southern end of
51 Sawbill Lake; thence in a northerly direction along the
52 east shore of Sawbill Lake to the portage connecting
53 Sawbill and Smoke Lakes; thence in an easterly direction
54 along said portage to Smoke Lake; thence in an easterly
55 direction through Smoke Lake to the portage connecting
56 Smoke and Burnt Lakes; thence along said portage to Burnt
57 Lake; thence in a southeasterly direction through Burnt
58 Lake to the portage connecting Burnt Lake and the
59 Temperance River (Kelly Lake); thence in a southeasterly
60 direction along said portage to the Temperance River;
61 thence upstream in a northerly direction along the
62 Temperance River (Kelly Lake) to Pipe Creek; thence
63 upstream in an easterly direction along Pipe Creek, across

1 all portages and through Pipe Lake to East Pipe Lake;
 2 thence in a northerly direction along the west shore of
 3 East Pipe Lake to the outlet of East Pipe Lake; thence in a
 4 northwesterly direction through Vern Lake to the north end
 5 of Vern Lake; thence across the portage connecting Vern
 6 Lake to Juno Lake; thence in an easterly direction through
 7 Juno Lake to the east end of Juno Lake; thence in a
 8 northerly direction across the portage connecting Juno Lake
 9 and Jock Mock Bay of Brule Lake, to Brule Lake; thence in
 10 an easterly direction along the south shore of Brule Lake
 11 to the Brule Lake access and Forest Road (FR) 326; thence
 12 along FR 326 to FR 165; thence along FR 165 to FR 153;
 13 thence along FR 153 to County State Aid Highway (CSAH) 4,
 14 Cook County; thence along CSAH 4 to Caribou Creek; thence
 15 in a southwesterly direction along Caribou Creek to the
 16 Poplar River; thence in a southwesterly direction along the
 17 Poplar River to an unnamed creek in Section 20 of Township
 18 60 North, Range 3 West; thence in a westerly direction
 19 along said unnamed creek to the Range Line between Range 3
 20 West and Range 4 West of Township 60 North; thence in a
 21 northerly direction along said Range Line to Six Mile
 22 Creek; thence in a southwesterly direction along Six Mile
 23 Creek to CSAH 2, Cook County; thence along CSAH 2 to the
 24 point of beginning.

25 Subp. 42. **Moose Zone 78.** Moose Zone 78 consists of that
 26 portion of the state lying within the following described
 27 boundary:

28 Beginning at the intersection of U.S. Highway 61 and the
 29 Temperance River; thence in a northerly direction along
 30 Temperance River to Six Mile Creek; thence in a
 31 northeasterly direction along Six Mile Creek to the Range
 32 Line between Range 3 West and Range 4 West of Township 60
 33 North; thence in a southerly direction along said Range
 34 Line to the unnamed creek in Section 19 of Township 60
 35 North, Range 4 West; thence in an easterly direction along
 36 said unnamed creek to the Poplar River; thence in a
 37 northeasterly direction along the Poplar River to Caribou
 38 Creek; thence upstream on Caribou Creek through Caribou
 39 Lake and Bigsby Lake; thence upstream along Murmur Creek to
 40 Forest Road (FR) 332; thence along FR 332 to County State
 41 Aid Highway (CSAH) 45, Cook County; thence along CSAH 45,
 42 Cook County, to the Cascade River; thence along the Cascade
 43 River to U.S. Highway 61; thence along U.S. Highway 61 to
 44 the point of beginning.

45 Subp. 43. **Moose Zone 79.** Moose Zone 79 consists of that
 46 portion of the state lying within the following described
 47 boundary:

48 Beginning at the intersection of State Trunk Highway 1 and
 49 U.S. Highway 61; thence along State Trunk Highway 1 to
 50 County State Aid Highway (CSAH) 7, Lake County; thence
 51 along CSAH 7 to Forest Road (FR) 166; thence along FR 166
 52 to the Temperance River; thence in a southerly direction
 53 along Temperance River to U.S. Highway 61; thence along
 54 U.S. Highway 61 to the point of beginning.

55 Subp. 44. **Moose Zone 80.** Moose Zone 80 consists of that
 56 portion of the state lying within the following described
 57 boundary:

58 Beginning at the intersection of State Trunk Highway (STH)
 59 1 and Forest Road (FR) 172; thence along STH 1 to County

1 State Aid Highway (CSAH) 7, Lake County; thence along CSAH
2 7 to FR 172; thence along FR 172 to the point of beginning.

3 ELK

4 6232.4200 DEFINITIONS.

5 Subpart 1. **Scope.** The terms used in parts 6232.4200 to
6 6232.4600 have the meanings given in this part.

7 Subp. 2. **Legal antlered bull elk.** "Legal antlered bull
8 elk" means an elk having at least one antler not less than ten
9 inches in length.

10 Subp. 3. **Legal antlerless elk.** "Legal antlerless elk"
11 means all elk, including calves, other than legal antlered bull
12 elk.

13 6232.4300 SEASONS AND DATES FOR TAKING ELK.

14 Elk may be taken by a licensed hunter using a legal firearm
15 or a legal bow and arrow during seasons authorized by the
16 commissioner.

17 6232.4400 GENERAL REGULATIONS FOR TAKING ELK.

18 Subpart 1. **License requirement.** The license is valid for
19 a party of two persons and only for the season selected.

20 Subp. 2. **Party hunting.** Licensees may not hunt elk
21 without having the unused seal in their possession. Licensed
22 parties may not assist other licensed parties in taking elk.

23 Subp. 3. **Mixed-weapons parties.** Licensed elk hunt parties
24 may consist of individuals hunting with a bow and arrow and
25 individuals hunting with firearms.

26 Subp. 4. **Blaze orange requirement.** The visible portion of
27 the hunter's cap and outer garments, above the waist excluding
28 sleeves, must be bright red or blaze orange or be covered with
29 those colors. Blaze orange includes a camouflage pattern of at
30 least 50 percent blaze orange within each square foot.

31 Subp. 5. **Tagging.** An elk taken in this state may not be
32 transported or possessed unless the tag bearing the license
33 number of the party taking the elk and the year of its issue has
34 been affixed to the carcass. The tag must be attached between
35 the tendon and the bone of a hind leg and fastened around either

1 the bone or the tendon, around the base of either antler, or
2 through a slit cut through either ear. The tag must be fastened
3 so that it cannot be readily removed from the elk.

4 Subp. 6. **Dividing of elk.** Elk may be skinned, quartered,
5 or further divided prior to transportation and registration, but
6 all edible meat, and all other parts of the elk not left in the
7 field, must be presented for registration at the same time.

8 Subp. 7. **Orientation required.** A successful applicant may
9 only obtain an elk license by attending an orientation session
10 at the Thief Lake Wildlife Management Area headquarters.

11 6232.4500 ELK LICENSE APPLICATION PROCEDURE.

12 Subpart 1. **General provisions.** The provisions in this
13 part apply to the elk license application process.

14 A. If the number of applications for any zone exceeds
15 the quota, a random selection will be conducted to determine the
16 successful applicants.

17 B. Up to 20 percent of the licenses in each zone may
18 be issued in a separate landowner and tenant drawing. The
19 following persons are eligible for this separate drawing:

20 (1) owners of at least 160 acres of agricultural
21 or grazing land, within the zone applied for; or

22 (2) tenants living on at least 160 acres of
23 agricultural or grazing land, within the zone applied for.

24 Applicants unsuccessful in the landowner and tenant drawing
25 will be included in the selection process for the remaining
26 licenses in the same zone. Landowner and tenant party
27 applications that include individuals who do not meet the
28 requirements for this license will be removed from the landowner
29 and tenant drawing and will not be entered into the general
30 drawing.

31 C. Applications for the general and landowner and
32 tenant drawing must be made on the appropriate forms and in
33 accordance with instructions. The commissioner may reject
34 applications not completed according to instructions.

35 D. The application deadline is the Friday nearest

1 July 15.

2 E. An application fee of \$20 in the form of a
3 cashier's check, money order, or personal check made payable to
4 the Minnesota Department of Natural Resources must accompany
5 each application of two hunters. Checks returned to the
6 department for nonpayment will invalidate the application.
7 Refunds of application fees will not be made for any reason.

8 F. Successful applicants will receive instructions
9 for obtaining their licenses.

10 Subp. 2. **Modification of quota numbers for group**
11 **applications.** The quota of licenses or permits for a drawing
12 may be increased to accommodate group members if the last
13 applicant to be selected is a member of a group.

14 6232.4600 ELK ZONES.

15 Subpart 1. **Primary Elk Zone.** The Primary Elk Zone
16 consists of that portion of the state lying within the following
17 described boundary:

18 Beginning at the intersection of State Trunk Highway (STH)
19 89 and Marshall County Road (CR) 145; thence along CR 145
20 to County State Aid Highway (CSAH) 6, Marshall County;
21 thence along CSAH 6 to CR 133, Marshall County; thence
22 along CR 133 to the northwest corner of Section 16,
23 Township 157 North, Range 39 West; thence north along the
24 west line of Sections 9 and 4, Township 157 North, Range 39
25 West, to the Moose River; thence along the southerly shore
26 of said river to CR 706, Beltrami County; thence along CR
27 706 to its intersection with the east line of Section 5,
28 Township 157 North, Range 38 West; thence along the east
29 line of Sections 5 and 8, Township 157 North, Range 38 West
30 to County Highway (CH) 701, Beltrami County; thence along
31 CH 701 to the northwest corner of Section 5, Township 156
32 North, Range 38 West; thence along the line between
33 Township 156 North and Township 157 North to the northeast
34 corner of Section 2, Township 156 North, Range 39 West;
35 thence along an unnumbered township road, Marshall County,
36 that coincides with the line between Township 156 North and
37 Township 157 North, to CSAH 53, Marshall County; thence
38 along CSAH 53 to the southeast corner of Section 31,
39 Township 157 North, Range 39 West; thence along the line
40 between Township 156 North and Township 157 North to STH
41 89; thence along STH 89 to the point of beginning.

42 Subp. 2. **Secondary Elk Zone.** The Secondary Elk Zone
43 consists of all of Marshall county east of State Trunk Highway
44 (STH) 89, and may be opened in addition to the primary zone by
45 written notification from the commissioner. Notification, if
46 made, will be at the elk hunter orientation sessions at the
47 Thief Lake Wildlife Management Area.

1 DEER AND BEAR REGISTRATION BLOCKS

2 6232.4700 DEER AND BEAR REGISTRATION BLOCKS.

3 Subpart 1. Designation of registration blocks.

4 Registration blocks for deer and bear are designated and
5 described by the registration block numbers and boundaries in
6 this part.

7 Subp. 2. Registration Block 104. Deer And Bear

8 Registration Block 104 consists of that portion of the state
9 lying within the following described boundary:

10 Beginning on the north boundary of the state at State Trunk
11 Highway (STH) 72; thence along the north boundary of the
12 state to a point due north of the intersection of STH 11
13 and County State Aid Highway (CSAH) 32, Koochiching County;
14 thence due south to CSAH 32; thence along CSAH 32 to the
15 Hay Creek-Indian Pine Forest Road; thence along the Hay
16 Creek-Indian Pine Forest Road to CSAH 82, Lake of the Woods
17 County; thence along CSAH 82 to STH 72; thence along STH 72
18 to the point of beginning.

19 Subp. 3. Registration Block 105. Deer And Bear

20 Registration Block 105 consists of that portion of the state
21 lying within the following described boundary:

22 Beginning on the north boundary of the state at a point due
23 north of the intersection of State Trunk Highway (STH) 11
24 and County State Aid Highway (CSAH) 1, Koochiching County;
25 thence along CSAH 1 to CSAH 13, Koochiching County; thence
26 along CSAH 13 to U.S. Highway 71; thence along U.S. Highway
27 71 to CSAH 30, Koochiching County; thence along CSAH 30 to
28 the Pine Island Forest Road; thence along the Pine Island
29 Forest Road to CSAH 40, Beltrami County; thence along CSAH
30 40 to STH 72; thence along STH 72 to CSAH 82, Lake of the
31 Woods County; thence along CSAH 82 to the Hay Creek-Indian
32 Pine Forest Road; thence along the Hay Creek-Indian Pine
33 Forest Road to CSAH 32; thence along CSAH 32 to STH 11;
34 thence due north to the north boundary of the state; thence
35 along the north boundary of the state to the point of
36 beginning.

37 Subp. 4. Registration Block 106. Deer And Bear

38 Registration Block 106 consists of that portion of the state
39 lying within the following described boundary:

40 Beginning at the intersection of State Trunk Highway (STH)
41 6 and U.S. Highway 71; thence along STH 6 to STH 1; thence
42 along STH 1 to STH 72; thence along STH 72 to County State
43 Aid Highway (CSAH) 40, Beltrami County; thence along CSAH
44 40 to the Pine Island Forest Road; thence along the Pine
45 Island Forest Road to CSAH 30; thence along CSAH 30 to the
46 point of beginning.

47 Subp. 5. Registration Block 107. Deer And Bear

48 Registration Block 107 consists of that portion of the state
49 lying within the following described boundary:

1 Beginning on the north boundary of the state at a point due
 2 north of the junction of State Trunk Highway (STH) 11 and
 3 County State Aid Highway (CSAH) 1, Koochiching County;
 4 thence along the north boundary of the state to the west
 5 boundary of Voyageurs National Park; thence along the west
 6 boundary of the park to the public access to Lake
 7 Kabetogama at Gappa's Landing; thence along County Highway
 8 523, St. Louis County, to CSAH 123, St. Louis County;
 9 thence along CSAH 123 to CSAH 122, St. Louis County; thence
 10 along CSAH 122 to U.S. Highway 53; thence along U.S.
 11 Highway 53 to the Lost River; thence along the Lost River
 12 to the east boundary of the Nett Lake Indian Reservation;
 13 thence along the east, north, and west boundaries of the
 14 reservation to STH 65; thence along STH 65 to CSAH 31,
 15 Koochiching County; thence along CSAH 31 to U.S. Highway
 16 71; thence along U.S. Highway 71 to CSAH 13, Koochiching
 17 County; thence along CSAH 13 to CSAH 1; thence along CSAH 1
 18 to the point of beginning.

19 Subp. 6. **Registration Block 108.** Deer And Bear

20 Registration Block 108 consists of that portion of the state
 21 lying within the following described boundary:

22 Beginning at the intersection of U.S. Highway 71 and State
 23 Trunk Highway (STH) 6 at Big Falls; thence along U.S.
 24 Highway 71 to County State Aid Highway (CSAH) 31,
 25 Koochiching County; thence along CSAH 31 to STH 65; thence
 26 along STH 65 to the west boundary of the Nett Lake Indian
 27 Reservation; thence along the west and south boundaries of
 28 said reservation to STH 65; thence along STH 65 to STH 1;
 29 thence along STH 1 to STH 6; thence along STH 6 to the
 30 point of beginning.

31 Subp. 7. **Registration Block 109.** Deer And Bear

32 Registration Block 109 consists of that portion of the state
 33 lying within the following described boundary:

34 Beginning at the intersection of State Trunk Highway (STH)
 35 1 and U.S. Highway 53; thence along STH 1 to STH 65; thence
 36 along STH 65 to the south boundary of the Nett Lake Indian
 37 Reservation; thence along the south and east boundaries of
 38 the Nett Lake Indian Reservation to the Lost River; thence
 39 along the Lost River to U.S. Highway 53; thence along U.S.
 40 Highway 53 to the point of beginning.

41 Subp. 8. **Registration Block 110.** Deer And Bear

42 Registration Block 110 consists of that portion of the state
 43 lying within the following described boundary:

44 Beginning at the junction of State Trunk Highway (STH) 1
 45 and STH 72; thence along STH 1 to the east boundary of the
 46 Red Lake Indian Reservation; thence along said boundary to
 47 the south shore of Upper Red Lake; thence along the south
 48 and east shores of said lake to the mouth of the Tamarac
 49 River; thence along the south shore of said river to STH
 50 72; thence along STH 72 to the point of beginning.

51 Subp. 9. **Registration Block 115.** Deer And Bear

52 Registration Block 115 consists of that portion of the state
 53 within the boundaries of Voyageurs National Park.

54 Subp. 10. **Registration Block 116.** Deer And Bear

1 Registration Block 116 consists of that portion of the state
2 lying within the following described boundary:

3 Beginning at the intersection of the boundary of the
4 Boundary Waters Canoe Area (BWCA) and the north boundary of
5 the state at Little Vermillion Lake, St. Louis County;
6 thence along the west and south boundaries of the BWCA to
7 Moose Lake, Lake County; thence along the east shores of
8 Moose, Newfound, and Sucker Lakes to the north boundary of
9 the state; thence along the north boundary of the state to
10 the point of beginning.

11 Subp. 11. Registration Block 117. Deer And Bear

12 Registration Block 117 consists of that portion of the state
13 lying within the following described boundary:

14 Beginning at the intersection of the boundary of the
15 Boundary Waters Canoe Area (BWCA) and the north boundary of
16 the state on Magnetic Lake; thence along the south, west,
17 north, and east boundaries of the BWCA to the Snake River
18 in Township 61 North, Range 9 West; thence upstream along
19 the Snake River to National Forest Route (NFR) 173, Lake
20 County; thence along NFR 173 to State Trunk Highway (STH)
21 1; thence along STH 1 to STH 169; thence along STH 169 to
22 the Shagawa River; thence along the east bank of said river
23 to Fall Lake; thence along the south shore of Fall Lake to
24 its intersection with the boundary of the BWCA; thence
25 along the west and south boundaries of the BWCA to Moose
26 Lake, Lake County; thence along the east shores of Moose,
27 Newfound, and Sucker Lakes to the north boundary of the
28 state; thence along the north boundary of the state to the
29 point of beginning.

30 Subp. 12. Registration Block 118. Deer And Bear

31 Registration Block 118 consists of that portion of the state
32 lying within the following described boundary:

33 Beginning at the intersection of the Boundary Waters Canoe
34 Area (BWCA) boundary and the north boundary of the state at
35 the north end of North Fowl Lake, Cook County; thence along
36 the east, south, and west boundaries of the BWCA to the
37 north boundary of the state in North Lake, Cook County;
38 thence along the north boundary of the state to the point
39 of beginning.

40 Subp. 13. Registration Block 119. Deer And Bear

41 Registration Block 119 consists of that portion of the state
42 lying within the following described boundary:

43 Beginning at the intersection of U.S. Highway 53 and County
44 State Aid Highway (CSAH) 23, St. Louis County, at Orr;
45 thence along CSAH 23 to CSAH 24, St. Louis County; thence
46 along CSAH 24 to County Road (CR) 424, St. Louis County;
47 thence along CR 424 to the public access to Crane Lake at
48 Harding; thence along the east shore of Crane Lake to the
49 Voyageurs National Park boundary at King Williams' Narrows;
50 thence along the south boundary of the park to the public
51 access to Lake Kabetogama at Gappa's Landing; thence along
52 County Highway 523, St. Louis County, to CSAH 123, St.
53 Louis County; thence south along CSAH 123 to CSAH 122, St.
54 Louis County; thence along CSAH 122 to U.S. Highway 53;
55 thence along U.S. Highway 53 to the point of beginning.

56 Subp. 14. Registration Block 120. Deer And Bear

1 Registration Block 120 consists of that portion of the state
2 lying within the following described boundary:

3 Beginning at the intersection of U.S. Highway 53 and County
4 State Aid Highway (CSAH) 23, St. Louis County; thence along
5 CSAH 23 to CSAH 24, St. Louis County; thence along CSAH 24
6 to County Road (CR) 424, St. Louis County; thence along CR
7 424 to the public access to Crane Lake at Harding; thence
8 along the east shore of Crane Lake and through King
9 Williams' Narrows to Sand Point Lake; thence due north to
10 the boundary of the state; thence along the north boundary
11 of the state to the west boundary of the Boundary Waters
12 Canoe Area (BWCA); thence along the west and south
13 boundaries of the BWCA to the Little Indian Sioux River;
14 thence south along said river to the boundary of the BWCA
15 (Trout Lake Block); thence along the west boundary of the
16 BWCA to the northeast corner of Section 28, Township 63
17 North, Range 16 West; thence south along the east line of
18 said section to the north shore of Lake Vermillion; thence
19 south across open water to the east of St. Mary's Island
20 and St. Paul's Island to the east end of Moccasin Point;
21 thence southeast, west of the island off Moccasin Point,
22 passing east of the Isle of Pines, east of Moose Island,
23 Cherry Island, and Echo Point to the boat landing at
24 McKinley Park on the south shore of Lake Vermillion; thence
25 along the only road from McKinley Park through Soudan to
26 State Trunk Highway (STH) 1; thence along STH 1 to U.S.
27 Highway 53; thence along U.S. Highway 53 to the point of
28 beginning.

29 Subp. 15. Registration Block 121. Deer And Bear

30 Registration Block 121 consists of that portion of the state
31 lying within the following described boundary:

32 Beginning with State Trunk Highway (STH) 169, Lake County,
33 at the point where the Shagawa River crosses said highway;
34 thence along the east bank of said river to Fall Lake;
35 thence along the south shore of Fall Lake to its
36 intersection with the boundary of the Boundary Waters Canoe
37 Area (BWCA); thence west along the boundary of the BWCA to
38 the Little Indian Sioux River; thence south along said
39 river to the boundary of the BWCA (Trout Lake Block);
40 thence along the west boundary of the BWCA to the northeast
41 corner of Section 28, Township 63 North, Range 16 West;
42 thence south along the east line of said section to the
43 north shore of Lake Vermillion; thence south across open
44 water to thence east of St. Mary's Island and St. Paul's
45 Island to the east end of Moccasin Point; thence southeast,
46 west of the island off Moccasin Point, passing east of the
47 Isle of Pines, east of Moose Island, Cherry Island, and
48 Echo Point to the boat landing at McKinley Park on the
49 south shore of Lake Vermillion; thence along the only road
50 from McKinley Park through Soudan to STH 169; thence along
51 STH 169 to the point of beginning.

52 Subp. 16. Registration Block 122. Deer And Bear

53 Registration Block 122 consists of that portion of the state
54 lying within the following described boundary:

55 Beginning at the intersection of State Trunk Highway (STH)
56 1 and STH 135; thence along STH 1 to County State Aid
57 Highway (CSAH) 120, St. Louis County; thence along CSAH 120
58 to CSAH 21, St. Louis County; thence along CSAH 21 to CSAH
59 70, St. Louis County; thence along CSAH 70 to National
60 Forest Route (NFR) 112; thence along NFR 112 to Erie Mining
61 Company Railroad in Section 9, Township 60 North, Range 12

1 West; thence south and west along said railroad to its
 2 junction with the Duluth, Missabe and Iron Range Railroad
 3 (DM&IR); thence north along said railroad to CSAH 26, St.
 4 Louis County; thence along CSAH 26 to STH 135; thence along
 5 STH 135 to the point of beginning.

6 Subp. 17. **Registration Block 123.** Deer And Bear

7 Registration Block 123 consists of that portion of the state
 8 lying within the following described boundary:

9 Beginning at the intersection of State Trunk Highway (STH)
 10 1 and STH 2; thence along STH 2 to its intersection with
 11 the Reserve Mining Company Railroad; thence along said
 12 railroad to its intersection with the Erie Mining Company
 13 Railroad; thence along the Erie Mining Company Railroad to
 14 its intersection with National Forest Route (NFR) 112;
 15 thence along NFR 112 to County State Aid Highway (CSAH) 70,
 16 St. Louis County; thence along CSAH 70 to CSAH 21, St.
 17 Louis County; thence along CSAH 21 to CSAH 120, St. Louis
 18 County; thence along CSAH 120 to STH 1; thence along STH 1
 19 to the point of beginning.

20 Subp. 18. **Registration Block 124.** Deer And Bear

21 Registration Block 124 consists of that portion of the state
 22 lying within the following described boundary:

23 Beginning at the intersection of the Isabella Branch of the
 24 Duluth, Missabe and Iron Range Railroad (DM&IR) and County
 25 State Aid Highway (CSAH) 14, Lake County; thence along the
 26 Isabella Branch to State Trunk Highway (STH) 2; thence
 27 along STH 2 to the Reserve Mining Company Railroad; thence
 28 northwest along the railroad to the Erie Mining Company
 29 Railroad; thence west along the Erie Mining Company
 30 Railroad to the DM&IR; thence southeast along the DM&IR to
 31 the point of beginning.

32 Subp. 19. **Registration Block 125.** Deer And Bear

33 Registration Block 125 consists of that portion of the state
 34 lying within the following described boundary:

35 Beginning at the intersection of Isabella Branch of the
 36 Duluth, Missabe and Iron Range Railroad (DM&IR) and State
 37 Trunk Highway (STH) 2; thence along STH 2 to the Reserve
 38 Mining Company Railroad; thence along the Reserve Mining
 39 Company Railroad to the shore of Lake Superior at Silver
 40 Bay; thence along the shore of Lake Superior to Two
 41 Harbors; thence along the Soudan-Two Harbors Branch of the
 42 DM&IR to the Isabella Branch of the DM&IR; thence along the
 43 Isabella Branch to the point of beginning.

44 Subp. 20. **Registration Block 126.** Deer And Bear

45 Registration Block 126 consists of that portion of the state
 46 lying within the following described boundary:

47 Beginning at the intersection of the Reserve Mining Company
 48 Railroad and State Trunk Highway (STH) 2; thence along STH
 49 2 to the Erie Mining Company Railroad; thence along the
 50 Erie Mining Company Railroad to the shore of Lake Superior;
 51 thence along the shore of Lake Superior to Silver Bay;
 52 thence along the Reserve Mining Company Railroad to the
 53 point of beginning.

54 Subp. 21. **Registration Block 127.** Deer And Bear

1 Registration Block 127 consists of that portion of the state
2 lying within the following described boundary:

3 Beginning at the intersection of State Trunk Highway (STH)
4 1 and National Forest Route (NFR) 173, Lake County; thence
5 along NFR 173 to the Snake River; thence along the Snake
6 River to the south boundary of the Boundary Waters Canoe
7 Area (BWCA); thence along the south boundary of the BWCA to
8 Alton Lake; thence along the east shore of Alton Lake to
9 the portage to Sawbill Lake; thence across the portage to
10 Sawbill Lake; thence along the west and south shores of
11 Sawbill Lake to the Sawbill Lake public access; thence
12 south along the Sawbill Trail (Lake County Road 2) to
13 Forest Road (FR) 170; thence along FR 170 to FR 346; thence
14 along FR 346 to FR 357; thence along FR 357 to County State
15 Aid Highway (CSAH) 7, Lake County; thence along CSAH 7 to
16 the Erie Mining Company Railroad; thence along the Erie
17 Mining Company Railroad to STH 2; thence along STH 2 to STH
18 1; thence along STH 1 to the point of beginning.

19 Subp. 22. **Registration Block 128. Deer And Bear**

20 Registration Block 128 consists of that portion of the state
21 lying within the following described boundary:

22 Beginning at the public access to Sawbill Lake, Cook
23 County; thence along the east shore of Sawbill Lake to the
24 south boundary of the Boundary Waters Canoe Area (BWCA);
25 thence along the south and east boundary of the BWCA to
26 Bower Trout Lake; thence along the south shore of Bower
27 Trout Lake to the South Brule River; thence along the south
28 shore of the South Brule River to the Gunflint Trail;
29 thence along the Gunflint Trail to U.S. Highway 61; thence
30 from said junction due south to the shore of Lake Superior;
31 thence along the shore of Lake Superior to Taconite Harbor;
32 thence along the Erie Mining Company Railroad to County
33 State Aid Highway (CSAH) 7, Lake County; thence along CSAH
34 7 to Forest Road (FR) 357; thence along FR 357 to FR 1224;
35 thence along FR 1224 to FR 346; thence along FR 346 to FR
36 170; thence along FR 170 to the Sawbill Trail; thence along
37 the Sawbill Trail to the point of beginning.

38 Subp. 23. **Registration Block 129. Deer And Bear**

39 Registration Block 129 consists of that portion of the state
40 lying within the following described boundary:

41 Beginning at the intersection of the South Brule River and
42 the Gunflint Trail; thence along the south shore of the
43 South Brule River to the Brule River; thence along the
44 south shore of the Brule River to the Greenwood River;
45 thence up the Greenwood River drainage to the boundary line
46 between Township 63 North and Township 64 North; thence
47 east along said boundary line to Esther Lake; thence along
48 the south and east shores of Esther Lake to the public
49 access at Esther Lake State Forest Road; thence east along
50 said forest road to the Beaver Dam Creek State Forest Road;
51 thence east along said forest road to Beaver Dam Creek;
52 thence north along Beaver Dam Creek to Portage Brook;
53 thence northeast along Portage Brook to the north boundary
54 of the state; thence along the north boundary of the state
55 to the west boundary of the Grand Portage Indian
56 Reservation; thence along the west boundary of the
57 reservation to the shore of Lake Superior; thence along the
58 shore of Lake Superior to a point due south of the junction
59 of the Gunflint Trail and U.S. Highway 61; thence due north
60 to said junction; thence along the Gunflint Trail to the
61 point of beginning.

1 Subp. 24. Registration Block 130. Deer And Bear

2 Registration Block 130 consists of that portion of the state
3 lying within the following described boundary:

4 Beginning at the intersection of the Boundary Waters Canoe
5 Area (BWCA) boundary and the south shore of Bower Trout
6 Lake, Cook County; thence along the south shore of Bower
7 Trout Lake to the South Brule River; thence along the south
8 shore of the South Brule River to the Brule River; thence
9 along the south shore of the Brule River to the Greenwood
10 River; thence up the Greenwood River drainage to the
11 boundary line between Township 63 North and Township 64
12 North; thence east along said boundary line to Esther Lake;
13 thence along the south and east shores of Esther Lake to
14 the public access at the Esther Lake State Forest Road;
15 thence east along said forest road to the Beaver Dam Creek
16 State Forest Road; thence east along said forest road to
17 Beaver Dam Creek; thence north along Beaver Dam Creek to
18 Portage Brook; thence northeast along Portage Brook to the
19 north boundary of the state; thence along the north
20 boundary of the state to the east boundary of the BWCA;
21 thence along the east, south, and west boundaries of the
22 BWCA to the north boundary of the state at North Lake;
23 thence along the north boundary of the state to the BWCA
24 boundary on Magnetic Lake, Cook County; thence along the
25 south, west, east, and north boundaries of the BWCA to the
26 point of beginning.

27 Subp. 25. Registration Block 152. Deer And Bear

28 Registration Block 152 consists of that portion of the state
29 known as the Mille Lacs Wildlife Area.

30 Subp. 26. Registration Block 154. Deer And Bear

31 Registration Block 154 consists of that portion of the state
32 lying within the following described boundary:

33 Beginning at the intersection of State Trunk Highway (STH)
34 210 and STH 6 at Deerwood; thence along STH 210 to STH 47;
35 thence along STH 47 to STH 18 at Malmo; thence due west to
36 the shore of Mille Lacs Lake; thence to the center of Mille
37 Lacs Lake; thence to a point on the shore of Mille Lacs
38 Lake due east of the junction of U.S. Highway 169 and STH
39 18 at Garrison; thence due west to the junction of U.S.
40 Highway 169 and STH 18; thence along STH 18 to STH 6;
41 thence along STH 6 to the point of beginning.

42 Subp. 27. Registration Block 155. Deer And Bear

43 Registration Block 155 consists of that portion of the state
44 lying within the following described boundary:

45 Beginning at a point on the shore of Mille Lacs Lake due
46 west of the intersection of State Trunk Highway (STH) 47
47 and STH 18; thence due east to said intersection; thence
48 along STH 47 to U.S. Highway 169; thence along U.S. Highway
49 169 to STH 210; thence along STH 210 to STH 65; thence
50 along STH 65 to STH 18; thence along STH 18 to STH 47;
51 thence due west from said intersection to the shore of
52 Mille Lacs Lake; thence to the center of Mille Lacs Lake;
53 thence to the point of beginning.

54 Subp. 28. Registration Block 156. Deer And Bear

55 Registration Block 156 consists of that portion of the state

1 lying within the following described boundary:

2 Beginning at the intersection of State Trunk Highway (STH)
3 210 and STH 65; thence along STH 210 to STH 73; thence
4 along STH 73 to Interstate Highway 35 (I-35); thence along
5 I-35 to STH 23; thence along STH 23 to STH 18; thence along
6 STH 18 to STH 65; thence along STH 65 to the point of
7 beginning.

8 Subp. 29. **Registration Block 157. Deer And Bear**

9 Registration Block 157 consists of that portion of the state
10 lying within the following described boundary, except that part
11 comprising Block 152:

12 Beginning on the east shore of Mille Lacs Lake at a point
13 due west of the intersection of State Trunk Highway (STH)
14 47 and STH 18; thence due east to said intersection; thence
15 along STH 18 to STH 65; thence along STH 65 to STH 23;
16 thence along STH 23 to U.S. Highway 169; thence along U.S.
17 Highway 169 to a junction with County State Aid Highway
18 (CSAH) 35, Mille Lacs County; thence from said junction due
19 north to the shore of Mille Lacs Lake; thence to the center
20 of Mille Lacs Lake; thence to the point of beginning.

21 Subp. 30. **Registration Block 158. Deer And Bear**

22 Registration Block 158 consists of that portion of the state
23 lying within the following described boundary:

24 Beginning at the intersection of State Trunk Highway (STH)
25 18 and STH 65; thence along STH 18 to STH 23; thence along
26 STH 23 to Interstate Highway 35 (I-35); thence along I-35
27 to STH 70; thence along STH 70 to STH 65; thence along STH
28 65 to the point of beginning.

29 Subp. 31. **Registration Block 159. Deer And Bear**

30 Registration Block 159 consists of that portion of the state
31 lying within the following described boundary:

32 Beginning at the interchange of Interstate Highway 35
33 (I-35) and State Trunk Highway (STH) 23; thence along STH
34 23 to County State Aid Highway (CSAH) 32, Pine County;
35 thence along CSAH 32 to the east boundary of the state;
36 thence along the east boundary of the state to STH 70;
37 thence along STH 70 to I-35; thence along I-35 to the point
38 of beginning.

39 Subp. 32. **Registration Block 167. Deer And Bear**

40 Registration Block 167 consists of that portion of the state
41 lying within the following described boundary:

42 Beginning at the intersection of State Trunk Highway (STH)
43 1 and STH 72; thence along STH 1 to STH 46; thence along
44 STH 46 to the north boundary of the Leech Lake Indian
45 Reservation; thence along the north and west boundaries of
46 said reservation to County State Aid Highway (CSAH) 39,
47 Beltrami County; thence along CSAH 39 to U.S. Highway 71;
48 thence along U.S. Highway 71 to STH 72; thence along STH 72
49 to the point of beginning.

50 Subp. 33. **Registration Block 168. Deer And Bear**

51 Registration Block 168 consists of that portion of the state

1 lying within the following described boundary:

2 Beginning at the intersection of State Trunk Highway (STH)
3 1 and STH 46; thence along STH 1 to STH 38; thence along
4 STH 38 to County State Aid Highway (CSAH) 19, Itasca
5 County; thence along CSAH 19 to the east boundary of the
6 Leech Lake Indian Reservation; thence along the east and
7 north boundaries of said reservation to STH 46; thence
8 along STH 46 to the point of beginning.

9 Subp. 34. Registration Block 169. Deer And Bear

10 Registration Block 169 consists of that portion of the state
11 lying within the following described boundary:

12 Beginning at the intersection of State Trunk Highway (STH)
13 1 and STH 38; thence along STH 1 to STH 65; thence along
14 STH 65 to County State Aid Highway (CSAH) 8, Itasca County;
15 thence along CSAH 8 to CSAH 57, Itasca County; thence along
16 CSAH 57 to CSAH 7, Itasca County; thence along CSAH 7 to
17 CSAH 59, Itasca County; thence along CSAH 59 to CSAH 49,
18 Itasca County; thence along CSAH 49 to CSAH 60, Itasca
19 County; thence along CSAH 60 to STH 38; thence along STH 38
20 to the point of beginning.

21 Subp. 35. Registration Block 170. Deer And Bear

22 Registration Block 170 consists of that portion of the state
23 lying within the following described boundary:

24 Beginning at the intersection of U.S. Highway 2 and State
25 Trunk Highway (STH) 6 at Deer River; thence along STH 6 to
26 County State Aid Highway (CSAH) 19, Itasca County; thence
27 along CSAH 19 to STH 38; thence along STH 38 to CSAH 60,
28 Itasca County; thence along CSAH 60 to CSAH 49, Itasca
29 County; thence along CSAH 49 to CSAH 59, Itasca County;
30 thence along CSAH 59 to CSAH 7, Itasca County; thence along
31 CSAH 7 to CSAH 57, Itasca County; thence along CSAH 57 to
32 CSAH 8, Itasca County; thence along CSAH 8 to STH 65;
33 thence along STH 65 to STH 200; thence along STH 200 to
34 U.S. Highway 169; thence along U.S. Highway 169 to U.S.
35 Highway 2; thence along U.S. Highway 2 to the point of
36 beginning.

37 Subp. 36. Registration Block 171. Deer And Bear

38 Registration Block 171 consists of that portion of the state
39 lying within the following described boundary:

40 Beginning at the intersection of U.S. Highway 2 and U.S.
41 Highway 169 at Grand Rapids; thence along U.S. Highway 169
42 to State Trunk Highway (STH) 200; thence along STH 200 to
43 the east boundary of the Leech Lake Indian Reservation;
44 thence along the east and south boundaries of said
45 reservation to U.S. Highway 2 at Deer River; thence along
46 U.S. Highway 2 to the point of beginning.

47 Subp. 37. Registration Block 172. Deer And Bear

48 Registration Block 172 consists of that portion of the state
49 lying within the following described boundary:

50 Beginning at the intersection of State Trunk Highway (STH)
51 371 and the south boundary of the Leech Lake Indian
52 Reservation; thence along said boundary to STH 200; thence
53 along STH 200 to STH 6; thence along STH 6 to County State
54 Aid Highway (CSAH) 1, Crow Wing County; thence along CSAH 1

1 to CSAH 2, Cass County; thence along CSAH 2 to STH 371;
2 thence along STH 371 to the point of beginning.

3 Subp. 38. Registration Block 173. Deer And Bear

4 Registration Block 173 consists of that portion of the state
5 lying within the following described boundary:

6 Beginning at the intersection of State Trunk Highway (STH)
7 200 and STH 6; thence along STH 200 to U.S. Highway 169;
8 thence along U.S. Highway 169 to STH 210; thence along STH
9 210 to STH 6; thence along STH 6 to the point of beginning.

10 Subp. 39. Registration Block 174. Deer And Bear

11 Registration Block 174 consists of that portion of the state
12 lying within the following described boundary:

13 Beginning at the intersection of U.S. Highway 169 and State
14 Trunk Highway (STH) 200; thence along STH 200 to STH 65;
15 thence along STH 65 to STH 210; thence along STH 210 to
16 U.S. Highway 169; thence along U.S. Highway 169 to the
17 point of beginning.

18 Subp. 40. Registration Block 175. Deer And Bear

19 Registration Block 175 consists of that portion of the state
20 lying within the following described boundary:

21 Beginning at the intersection of State Trunk Highway (STH)
22 1 and STH 65; thence along STH 1 to U.S. Highway 53; thence
23 along U.S. Highway 53 to U.S. Highway 169; thence along
24 U.S. Highway 169 to STH 65; thence along STH 65 to the
25 point of beginning.

26 Subp. 41. Registration Block 176. Deer And Bear

27 Registration Block 176 consists of that portion of the state
28 lying within the following described boundary:

29 Beginning at the intersection of State Trunk Highway (STH)
30 1 and U.S. Highway 53; thence along STH 1 to STH 135;
31 thence along STH 135 to County State Aid Highway (CSAH) 26,
32 St. Louis County; thence along CSAH 26 to the Soudan-Two
33 Harbors Branch of the Duluth, Missabe and Iron Range
34 Railroad (DM&IR); thence along the DM&IR to Allen Junction;
35 thence along County Road (CR) 565 to County State Aid
36 Highway (CSAH) 110, St. Louis County; thence along CSAH 110
37 to CSAH 100, St. Louis County; thence along CSAH 100 to STH
38 135; thence along STH 135 to U.S. Highway 53; thence along
39 U.S. Highway 53 to the point of beginning.

40 Subp. 42. Registration Block 177. Deer And Bear

41 Registration Block 177 consists of that portion of the state
42 lying within the following described boundary:

43 Beginning at the intersection of U.S. Highway 169 and State
44 Trunk Highway (STH) 65 at Nashwauk; thence along U.S.
45 Highway 169 to County State Aid Highway (CSAH) 5, St. Louis
46 County; thence along CSAH 5 to CSAH 133, St. Louis County;
47 thence along CSAH 133 to CSAH 25, Itasca County; thence
48 along CSAH 25 to U.S. Highway 2; thence along U.S. Highway
49 2 to STH 65; thence along STH 65 to the point of beginning.

50 Subp. 43. Registration Block 178. Deer And Bear

1 Registration Block 178 consists of that portion of the state
2 lying within the following described boundary:

3 Beginning at the intersection of U.S. Highway 169 and U.S.
4 Highway 53 at Virginia; thence along U.S. Highway 53 to
5 County State Aid Highway (CSAH) 133, St. Louis County;
6 thence along CSAH 133 to CSAH 5, St. Louis County; thence
7 along CSAH 5 to U.S. Highway 169; thence along U.S. Highway
8 169 to the point of beginning.

9 Subp. 44. Registration Block 179. Deer And Bear

10 Registration Block 179 consists of that portion of the state
11 lying within the following described boundary:

12 Beginning at the intersection of State Trunk Highway (STH)
13 135 and U.S. Highway 53 at Virginia; thence along STH 135
14 to County State Aid Highway (CSAH) 100, St. Louis County;
15 thence along CSAH 100 to CSAH 110, St. Louis County; thence
16 along CSAH 110 to County Road (CR) 565; thence along CR 565
17 to Allen Junction; thence along the Duluth, Missabe and
18 Iron Range Railroad to CSAH 547, St. Louis County; thence
19 along CSAH 547 to CSAH 4, St. Louis County; thence along
20 CSAH 4 to CSAH 49, St. Louis County; thence along CSAH 49
21 to U.S. Highway 53; thence along U.S. Highway 53 to the
22 point of beginning.

23 Subp. 45. Registration Block 180. Deer And Bear

24 Registration Block 180 consists of that portion of the state
25 lying within the following described boundary:

26 Beginning at the intersection of U.S. Highway 53 and the
27 east boundary of the state at Duluth; thence along U.S.
28 Highway 53 to County State Aid Highway (CSAH) 49; thence
29 along CSAH 49 to CSAH 4, St. Louis County; thence along
30 CSAH 4 to CSAH 547, St. Louis County; thence along CSAH 547
31 to the Duluth, Missabe and Iron Range Railroad (DM&IR);
32 thence along the DM&IR to the shore of Lake Superior;
33 thence due south to the east boundary of the state; thence
34 along the east boundary of the state to the point of
35 beginning.

36 Subp. 46. Registration Block 181. Deer And Bear

37 Registration Block 181 consists of that portion of the state
38 lying within the following described boundary, except that
39 portion known as the Fond du Lac Indian Reservation:

40 Beginning at the intersection of State Trunk Highway (STH)
41 73 and STH 210; thence along STH 73 to County State Aid
42 Highway (CSAH) 133, St. Louis County; thence along CSAH 133
43 to U.S. Highway 53; thence along U.S. Highway 53 to U.S.
44 Highway 61; thence along U.S. Highway 61 to STH 210; thence
45 along STH 210 to the point of beginning.

46 Subp. 47. Registration Block 182. Deer And Bear

47 Registration Block 182 consists of that portion of the state
48 lying within the following described boundary:

49 Beginning at the intersection of U.S. Highway 2 and State
50 Trunk Highway (STH) 65; thence along U.S. Highway 2 to
51 County State Aid Highway (CSAH) 25, Itasca County; thence
52 along CSAH 25 to CSAH 133, St. Louis County; thence along

1 CSAH 133 to STH 73; thence along STH 73 to STH 210; thence
2 along STH 210 to STH 65; thence along STH 65 to the point
3 of beginning.

4 Subp. 48. **Registration Block 183.** Deer And Bear

5 Registration Block 183 consists of that portion of the state
6 lying within the following described boundary:

7 Beginning at the intersection of State Trunk Highway (STH)
8 210 and STH 73; thence along STH 210 to U.S. Highway 61;
9 thence along U.S. Highway 61 to U.S. Highway 53; thence
10 along U.S. Highway 53 to the east boundary of the state;
11 thence along the east boundary of the state to County State
12 Aid Highway (CSAH) 8, Carlton County; thence along CSAH 8
13 to STH 23; thence along STH 23 to CSAH 22, Pine County;
14 thence along CSAH 22 to CSAH 32, Pine County; thence along
15 CSAH 32 to STH 23; thence along STH 23 to U.S. Highway 61;
16 thence along U.S. Highway 61 to STH 27; thence along STH 27
17 to STH 73; thence along STH 73 to the point of beginning.

18 Subp. 49. **Registration Block 184.** Deer And Bear

19 Registration Block 184 consists of that portion of the state
20 lying within the following described boundary:

21 Beginning at the intersection of the east boundary of the
22 state and County State Aid Highway (CSAH) 8, Carlton
23 County; thence along CSAH 8 to State Trunk Highway (STH)
24 23; thence along STH 23 to CSAH 22, Pine County; thence
25 along CSAH 22 to CSAH 32, Pine County; thence along CSAH 32
26 to the east boundary of the state; thence along the east
27 boundary of the state to the point of beginning.

28 Subp. 50. **Registration Block 194.** Deer And Bear

29 Registration Block 194 consists of that portion of the state
30 known as the Grand Portage Indian Reservation.

31 Subp. 51. **Registration Block 195.** Deer And Bear

32 Registration Block 195 consists of that portion of the state
33 within the boundaries of the Nett Lake Indian Reservation.

34 Subp. 52. **Registration Block 197.** Deer And Bear

35 Registration Block 197 consists of that portion of the state
36 lying within the following described boundary:

37 Beginning at the intersection of the north boundary of the
38 Leech Lake Indian Reservation and County State Aid Highway
39 (CSAH) 39, Beltrami County; thence along CSAH 39 to CSAH
40 20, Beltrami County; thence along CSAH 20 to CSAH 53,
41 Beltrami County; thence along CSAH 53 to CSAH 12, Beltrami
42 County; thence along CSAH 12 to CSAH 51, Beltrami County;
43 thence along CSAH 51 to CSAH 8, Beltrami County; thence
44 along CSAH 8 to CSAH 25, Beltrami County; thence along CSAH
45 25 to CSAH 4, Beltrami County; thence along CSAH 4 to CSAH
46 46, Hubbard County; thence along CSAH 46 to U.S. Highway 2;
47 thence east along U.S. Highway 2 to the east boundary of
48 the Leech Lake Indian Reservation; thence along the east
49 and north boundaries of the reservation to the point of
50 beginning.

51 Subp. 53. **Registration Block 198.** Deer And Bear

1 Registration Block 198 consists of that portion of the state
2 lying within the following described boundary:

3 Beginning at the intersection of U.S. Highway 2 and County
4 State Aid Highway (CSAH) 46, Hubbard County; thence along
5 U.S. Highway 2 to CSAH 45, Hubbard County; thence along
6 CSAH 45 to CSAH 9, Hubbard County; thence along CSAH 9 to
7 CSAH 69, Cass County; thence along CSAH 69 to CSAH 5,
8 Hubbard County; thence along CSAH 5 to CSAH 39, Hubbard
9 County; thence along CSAH 39 to County Road (CR) 94,
10 Hubbard County; thence along CR 94 to CSAH 31, Hubbard
11 County; thence along CSAH 31 to State Trunk Highway (STH)
12 200; thence along STH 200 to U.S. Highway 371; thence along
13 U.S. Highway 371 to the south boundary of the Leech Lake
14 Indian Reservation; thence along the south and east
15 boundaries of the reservation to the intersection with U.S.
16 Highway 2; thence west along U.S. Highway 2 to the point of
17 beginning.

18 Subp. 54. Registration Block 199. Deer And Bear

19 Registration Block 199 consists of that portion of the state
20 known as the Fond du Lac Indian Reservation.

21 Subp. 55. Registration Block 201. Deer And Bear

22 Registration Block 201 consists of that portion of the state
23 lying within the following described boundary:

24 Beginning at the junction of the west boundary of Roseau
25 County and the north boundary of the state; thence along
26 the west boundary of Roseau County to its junction with
27 County State Aid Highway (CSAH) 7, Roseau County; thence
28 along CSAH 7 to CSAH 10, Roseau County; thence along CSAH
29 10 to CSAH 3, Roseau County; thence along CSAH 3 to the
30 southwest corner of Section 31, Township 164 North, Range
31 41 West; thence due north along the section lines to a
32 junction with the north boundary of the state; thence along
33 the north boundary of the state to the point of beginning.

34 Subp. 56. Registration Block 202. Deer And Bear

35 Registration Block 202 consists of that portion of the state
36 lying within the following described boundary:

37 Beginning at the intersection of State Trunk Highway (STH)
38 32 and County State Aid Highway (CSAH) 6, Marshall County;
39 thence along CSAH 6 to County Road (CR) 133, Marshall
40 County; thence along CR 133 to CSAH 54, Marshall County;
41 thence along CSAH 54 to CR 134, Marshall County; thence
42 along CR 134 to STH 89; thence along STH 89 to CSAH 48,
43 Marshall County; thence along CSAH 48 to CSAH 49, Marshall
44 County; thence along CSAH 49 to the Marshall-Roseau County
45 boundary; thence along the Marshall-Roseau County boundary
46 to STH 32; thence along STH 32 to the point of beginning.

47 Subp. 57. Registration Block 203. Deer And Bear

48 Registration Block 203 consists of that portion of the state
49 within the boundaries of Agassiz National Wildlife Refuge plus
50 the Elm Lake, Eckvoll, and Mud Lac Wildlife Areas.

51 Subp. 58. Registration Block 204. Deer And Bear

52 Registration Block 204 consists of that portion of the state

1 lying within the following described boundary:

2 Beginning at the intersection of U.S. Highway 59 and the
3 north boundary of the state; thence along the north
4 boundary of the state to the west boundary of Roseau
5 County; thence along the west boundary of Roseau County to
6 County State Aid Highway (CSAH) 7, Roseau County; thence
7 along CSAH 7 to CSAH 10, Roseau County; thence along CSAH
8 10 to CSAH 3, Roseau County; thence along CSAH 3 to the
9 southwest corner of Section 31, Township 164 North, Range
10 41 West; thence due north along the section lines to the
11 north boundary of the state; thence along the north
12 boundary of the state to State Trunk Highway (STH) 310;
13 thence along STH 310 to STH 11; thence along STH 11 to U.S.
14 Highway 59; thence along U.S. Highway 59 to the point of
15 beginning.

16 Subp. 59. **Registration Block 205.** Deer And Bear

17 Registration Block 205 consists of that portion of the state

18 lying within the following described boundary:

19 Beginning at the intersection of State Trunk Highway (STH)
20 310 with the north boundary of the state; thence along the
21 north boundary of the state (49th parallel of North
22 Latitude) to the east boundary of the state (on Lake of the
23 Woods); thence along the east boundary of the state to STH
24 72; thence along STH 72 to STH 11; thence along STH 11 to
25 the southeast corner of Section 36, Township 162 North,
26 Range 35 West; thence due west to County State Aid Highway
27 (CSAH) 2, Roseau County; thence along CSAH 2 to STH 89;
28 thence along STH 89 to STH 310; thence along STH 310 to the
29 point of beginning.

30 Subp. 60. **Registration Block 206.** Deer And Bear

31 Registration Block 206 consists of that portion of the state

32 lying within the following described boundary:

33 Beginning at the intersection of State Trunk Highway (STH)
34 32 and STH 11; thence along STH 11 to STH 89; thence along
35 STH 89 to County State Aid Highway (CSAH) 2, Roseau County;
36 thence along CSAH 2 to CSAH 9, Roseau County; thence along
37 CSAH 9 to CSAH 54, Marshall County; thence along CSAH 54 to
38 County Road (CR) 134, Marshall County; thence along CR 134
39 to STH 89; thence along STH 89 to CSAH 48, Marshall County;
40 thence along CSAH 48 to CSAH 49, Marshall County; thence
41 along CSAH 49 to the Marshall-Roseau County boundary;
42 thence along the Marshall-Roseau County boundary to STH 32;
43 thence along STH 32 to the point of beginning.

44 Subp. 61. **Registration Block 207.** Deer And Bear

45 Registration Block 207 consists of that portion of the state

46 lying within the following described boundary:

47 Beginning at the intersection of State Trunk Highway (STH)
48 11 and U.S. Highway 59; thence along STH 11 to STH 32;
49 thence along STH 32 to STH 1; thence along STH 1 to U.S.
50 Highway 59; thence along U.S. Highway 59 to the point of
51 beginning.

52 Subp. 62. **Registration Block 208.** Deer And Bear

53 Registration Block 208 consists of that portion of the state

54 lying within the following described boundary, except that

1 portion described as Registration Block 203:

2 Beginning at the intersection of State Trunk Highway (STH)
3 32 and County State Aid Highway (CSAH) 6, Marshall County;
4 thence along CSAH 6 to STH 89; thence along County Road
5 (CR) 133, Marshall County, to CSAH 54, Marshall County;
6 thence along CSAH 54 to CSAH 28, Pennington County; thence
7 along CSAH 28 to STH 1; thence along STH 1 to STH 32;
8 thence along STH 32 to the point of beginning.

9 Subp. 63. Registration Block 209. Deer And Bear

10 Registration Block 209 consists of that portion of the state
11 lying within the following described boundary:

12 Beginning at the intersection of State Trunk Highway (STH)
13 1 and U.S. Highway 59; thence along STH 1 to the west
14 boundary of the Red Lake Indian Reservation; thence along
15 the west boundary of the reservation to County State Aid
16 Highway (CSAH) 5, Beltrami County; thence along CSAH 5 to
17 STH 92; thence along STH 92 to U.S. Highway 59; thence
18 along U.S. Highway 59 to the point of beginning.

19 Subp. 64. Registration Block 210. Deer And Bear

20 Registration Block 210 consists of that portion of the state
21 lying within the following described boundary:

22 Beginning at the intersection of State Trunk Highway (STH)
23 92 and U.S. Highway 59; thence along STH 92 to the north
24 boundary of the White Earth Indian Reservation; thence west
25 along said boundary to U.S. Highway 59; thence along U.S.
26 Highway 59 to the point of beginning.

27 Subp. 65. Registration Block 211. Deer And Bear

28 Registration Block 211 consists of that portion of the state
29 lying within the following described boundary:

30 Beginning at the intersection of State Trunk Highway (STH)
31 72 and STH 11; thence along STH 72 to County State Aid
32 Highway (CSAH) 77, Lake of the Woods County; thence along
33 CSAH 77 to the Rapid River Forest Road; thence along the
34 Rapid River Forest Road to the South Branch of the Rapid
35 River; thence along the north shore of the river to the
36 Faunce Butterfield Forest Road; thence along the Faunce
37 Butterfield Forest Road to Dick's Parkway Forest Road;
38 thence along Dick's Parkway Forest Road to the Winner
39 Forest Road; thence along the Winner Forest Road to CSAH
40 18, Roseau County; thence along CSAH 18 to CSAH 9, Roseau
41 County; thence along CSAH 9 to CSAH 2, Roseau County;
42 thence along CSAH 2 to the southeast corner of Section 36,
43 Township 162 North, Range 36 West; thence due east to an
44 intersection with STH 11; thence along STH 11 to the point
45 of beginning.

46 Subp. 66. Registration Block 212. Deer And Bear

47 Registration Block 212 consists of that portion of the state
48 lying within the following described boundary:

49 Beginning at the intersection of County State Aid Highway
50 (CSAH) 18, Roseau County, and CSAH 9, Roseau County; thence
51 along CSAH 18 to the Winner Forest Road; thence along the
52 Winner Forest Road to Dick's Parkway Forest Road; thence
53 along Dick's Parkway Forest Road to the Faunce Butterfield
54 Forest Road; thence along the Faunce Butterfield Forest

1 Road to the South Branch of the Rapid River; thence along
2 the north bank of the river to Rapid River Forest Road;
3 thence along the Rapid River Forest Road to CSAH 77, Lake
4 of the Woods County; thence along CSAH 77 to State Trunk
5 Highway (STH) 72; thence along STH 72 to the Tamarac River;
6 thence along the south shore of the Tamarac River to Upper
7 Red Lake; thence along the north shore of Upper Red Lake to
8 the boundary of the Red Lake Indian Reservation; thence
9 along the north boundary of the reservation to the west
10 boundary of Beltrami County; thence due west to CSAH 54,
11 Marshall County; thence north along CSAH 54 to CSAH 9,
12 Roseau County; thence along CSAH 9 to the point of
13 beginning.

14 Subp. 67. **Registration Block 213.** Deer And Bear

15 Registration Block 213 consists of that portion of the state
16 known as the Red Lake Indian Reservation.

17 Subp. 68. **Registration Block 214.** Deer And Bear

18 Registration Block 214 consists of that portion of the state
19 north of the 49th parallel of North Latitude commonly known as
20 the Northwest Angle.

21 Subp. 69. **Registration Block 221.** Deer And Bear

22 Registration Block 221 consists of that portion of the state
23 lying within the following described boundary:

24 Beginning at the intersection of State Trunk Highway (STH)
25 27 and County State Aid Highway (CSAH) 40, Morrison County;
26 thence along CSAH 40 to CSAH 39, Morrison County; thence
27 along CSAH 39 to CSAH 33, Morrison County; thence along
28 CSAH 33 to CSAH 26, Morrison County; thence along CSAH 26
29 to CSAH 30, Morrison County; thence along CSAH 30 to CSAH
30 3, Benton County; thence along CSAH 3 to STH 25; thence
31 along STH 25 to STH 95; thence along STH 95 to STH 23;
32 thence along STH 23 to the Mississippi River; thence along
33 the east shore of the Mississippi River to a point due west
34 of the junction of CSAH 48, Morrison County, and STH 371;
35 thence due east to said junction; thence along CSAH 48 to
36 STH 25; thence along STH 25 to STH 27; thence along STH 27
37 to the point of beginning.

38 Subp. 70. **Registration Block 222.** Deer And Bear

39 Registration Block 222 consists of that portion of the state
40 lying within the following described boundary:

41 Beginning at the intersection of State Trunk Highway (STH)
42 27 and U.S. Highway 169; thence along U.S. Highway 169 to
43 STH 95; thence along STH 95 to STH 25; thence along STH 25
44 to County State Aid Highway (CSAH) 3, Benton County; thence
45 along CSAH 3 to CSAH 30, Morrison County; thence along CSAH
46 30 to CSAH 26, Morrison County; thence along CSAH 26 to
47 CSAH 33, Morrison County; thence along CSAH 33 to CSAH 39,
48 Morrison County; thence along CSAH 39 to CSAH 40, Morrison
49 County; thence along CSAH 40 to STH 27; thence along STH 27
50 to the point of beginning.

51 Subp. 71. **Registration Block 223.** Deer And Bear

52 Registration Block 223 consists of that portion of the state
53 lying within the following described boundary, except that part

1 comprising Block 244:

2 Beginning at the intersection of State Trunk Highway (STH)
3 23 and the east bank of the Mississippi River at St. Cloud;
4 thence along STH 23 to STH 95; thence along STH 95 to U.S.
5 Highway 169; thence along U.S. Highway 169 to STH 101;
6 thence along STH 101 to the east bank of the Mississippi
7 River; thence along the east bank of the Mississippi River
8 to the point of beginning.

9 Subp. 72. Registration Block 224. Deer And Bear

10 Registration Block 224 consists of that portion of the state
11 known as the Sherburne National Wildlife Refuge.

12 Subp. 73. Registration Block 225. Deer And Bear

13 Registration Block 225 consists of that portion of the state
14 lying within the following described boundary:

15 Beginning at the intersection of U.S. Highway 169 and State
16 Trunk Highway (STH) 23 at Milaca; thence along STH 23 to
17 STH 65; thence along STH 65 to STH 70; thence along STH 70
18 to the east boundary of the state; thence along the east
19 boundary of the state to U.S. Highway 8; thence along U.S.
20 Highway 8 to STH 95; thence along STH 95 to U.S. Highway
21 169; thence along U.S. Highway 169 to the point of
22 beginning.

23 Subp. 74. Registration Block 226. Deer And Bear

24 Registration Block 226 consists of that portion of the state
25 lying within the following described boundary, except that part
26 comprising Block 235:

27 Beginning at the intersection of State Trunk Highway (STH)
28 95 and U.S. Highway 169 at Princeton; thence south along
29 U.S. Highway 169 to County State Aid Highway (CSAH) 4,
30 Sherburne County; thence along CSAH 4 to CSAH 8, Isanti
31 County; thence along CSAH 8 to CSAH 7, Isanti County;
32 thence along CSAH 7 to CSAH 28, Anoka County; thence along
33 CSAH 28 to CSAH 24, Anoka County; thence along CSAH 24 to
34 STH 65; thence along STH 65 to CSAH 9, Isanti County;
35 thence along CSAH 9 to CSAH 17, Chisago County; thence
36 along CSAH 17 to Interstate 35 (I-35); thence south along
37 I-35 to STH 97; thence along STH 97 to STH 95; thence due
38 east to the east boundary of the state; thence along the
39 east boundary of the state to U.S. Highway 8; thence along
40 U.S. Highway 8 to STH 95; thence along STH 95 to the point
41 of beginning.

42 Subp. 75. Registration Block 227. Deer And Bear

43 Registration Block 227 consists of that portion of the state
44 lying within the following described boundary, except that part
45 comprising Block 235:

46 Beginning at the intersection of County State Aid Highway
47 (CSAH) 4, Sherburne County, and U.S. Highway 169; thence
48 along CSAH 4 to CSAH 8, Isanti County; thence along CSAH 8
49 to CSAH 7, Isanti County; thence along CSAH 7 to CSAH 28,
50 Anoka County; thence along CSAH 28 to CSAH 24, Anoka
51 County; thence along CSAH 24 to State Trunk Highway (STH)
52 65; thence along STH 65 to CSAH 9, Isanti County; thence
53 along CSAH 9 to CSAH 17, Chisago County; thence along CSAH

1 17 to Interstate 35 (I-35); thence south along I-35 to CSAH
2 14, Anoka County; thence along CSAH 14 to STH 242; thence
3 along STH 242 to U.S. Highway 52; thence along U.S. Highway
4 52 to the east bank of the Mississippi River; thence along
5 the east bank of said river to STH 101; thence along STH
6 101 to U.S. Highway 169; thence along U.S. Highway 169 to
7 the point of beginning.

8 Subp. 76. **Registration Block 235.** Deer And Bear

9 Registration Block 235 consists of that portion of the state
10 known as the Carlos Avery Wildlife Management Area (including
11 the Sunrise River Addition), Anoka and Chisago Counties.

12 Subp. 77. **Registration Block 236.** Deer And Bear

13 Registration Block 236 consists of that portion of the state
14 lying within the following described boundary:

15 Beginning at the intersection of U.S. Highway 52 and the
16 east bank of the Mississippi River; thence along U.S.
17 Highway 52 to State Trunk Highway (STH) 242; thence along
18 STH 242 to County State Aid Highway (CSAH) 14, Anoka
19 County; thence along CSAH 14 to Interstate 35 (I-35);
20 thence along I-35 to STH 97; thence along STH 97 to STH 95;
21 thence due east to the east boundary of the state; thence
22 along the east boundary of the state to the junction of the
23 St. Croix and Mississippi Rivers; thence along the east
24 bank of the Mississippi River to the point of beginning.

25 Subp. 78. **Registration Block 244.** Deer And Bear

26 Registration Block 244 consists of that portion of the state
27 lying within the following described boundary:

28 Beginning at the intersection of U.S. Highway 59 and the
29 south boundary of the White Earth Indian Reservation;
30 thence along said boundary to the boundary of the Tamarac
31 National Wildlife Refuge; thence along the west, south, and
32 east boundaries of the refuge to the south boundary of the
33 White Earth Indian Reservation; thence along the south and
34 east boundaries of said reservation to State Trunk Highway
35 (STH) 113; thence along STH 113 to U.S. Highway 71; thence
36 along U.S. Highway 71 to STH 87; thence along STH 87 to
37 U.S. Highway 10; thence along U.S. Highway 10 to U.S.
38 Highway 59; thence along U.S. Highway 59 to the point of
39 beginning.

40 Subp. 79. **Registration Block 245.** Deer And Bear

41 Registration Block 245 consists of that portion of the state
42 lying within the following described boundary:

43 Beginning at the intersection of State Trunk Highway (STH)
44 200 and U.S. Highway 71; thence along STH 200 to STH 371;
45 thence along STH 371 to STH 87; thence along STH 87 to U.S.
46 Highway 71; thence along U.S. Highway 71 to the boundary of
47 Itasca State Park; thence along the east boundary of said
48 park to U.S. Highway 71; thence along U.S. Highway 71 to
49 the point of beginning.

50 Subp. 80. **Registration Block 246.** Deer And Bear

51 Registration Block 246 consists of that portion of the state
52 lying within the following described boundary:

1 Beginning at the intersection of U.S. Highway 71 and State
2 Trunk Highway (STH) 87; thence along STH 87 to STH 371;
3 thence along STH 371 to County State Aid Highway (CSAH) 11,
4 Crow Wing County; thence along CSAH 11 to CSAH 17, Cass
5 County; thence along CSAH 17 to CSAH 1, Cass County; thence
6 along CSAH 1 to STH 210; thence along STH 210 to U.S.
7 Highway 10; thence along U.S. Highway 10 to U.S. Highway
8 71; thence along U.S. Highway 71 to the point of beginning.

9 Subp. 81. **Registration Block 247.** Deer And Bear

10 Registration Block 247 consists of that portion of the state
11 lying within the following described boundary:

12 Beginning at the intersection of State Trunk Highway (STH)
13 371 and STH 84; thence along STH 371 to County State Aid
14 Highway (CSAH) 11, Crow Wing County; thence along CSAH 11
15 to CSAH 17, Cass County; thence along CSAH 17 to CSAH 1,
16 Cass County; thence along CSAH 1 to the Crow Wing River;
17 thence along the north shore of the Crow Wing River to its
18 confluence with the Mississippi River; thence along the
19 west shore of the Mississippi River to STH 210; thence
20 along STH 210 to STH 25; thence along STH 25 to STH 18;
21 thence along STH 18 to STH 6; thence along STH 6 to CSAH 1,
22 Crow Wing County; thence along CSAH 1 to CSAH 2, Cass
23 County; thence along CSAH 2 to STH 84; thence along STH 84
24 to the point of beginning.

25 Subp. 82. **Registration Block 248.** Deer And Bear

26 Registration Block 248 consists of that portion of the state
27 lying within the following described boundary:

28 Beginning at the intersection of U.S. Highway 10 and State
29 Trunk Highway (STH) 210; thence along STH 210 to County
30 State Aid Highway (CSAH) 1, Cass County; thence along CSAH
31 1 to the Crow Wing River; thence along the north shore of
32 the Crow Wing River to its confluence with the Mississippi
33 River; thence along the west bank of the Mississippi River
34 to U.S. Highway 10; thence along U.S. Highway 10 to the
35 point of beginning.

36 Subp. 83. **Registration Block 249.** Deer And Bear

37 Registration Block 249 consists of that portion of the state
38 lying within the following described boundary:

39 Beginning at the intersection of the Mississippi River and
40 State Trunk Highway (STH) 210 in Brainerd; thence along STH
41 210 to STH 25; thence along STH 25 to STH 18; thence along
42 STH 18 to its junction with U.S. Highway 169; thence due
43 east from said junction to the shore of Mille Lacs Lake;
44 thence to the center of Mille Lacs Lake; thence to the
45 shore of Mille Lacs Lake due north of the junction of U.S.
46 Highway 169 and County State Aid Highway (CSAH) 35, Mille
47 Lacs County; thence due south to said junction; thence
48 along U.S. Highway 169 to STH 27; thence along STH 27 to
49 STH 25; thence along STH 25 to CSAH 48, Morrison County;
50 thence along CSAH 48 to a junction with STH 371; thence due
51 west to the Mississippi River; thence along the west bank
52 of the river to the point of beginning.

53 Subp. 84. **Registration Block 251.** Deer And Bear

54 Registration Block 251 consists of that portion of the state
55 known as the Tamarac National Wildlife Refuge.

1 Subp. 85. **Registration Block 284.** Deer And Bear

2 Registration Block 284 consists of that portion of the state
3 lying within the following described boundary:

4 Beginning at the intersection of State Trunk Highway (STH)
5 89 and U.S. Highway 2; thence along STH 89 to the south
6 boundary of the Red Lake Indian Reservation; thence along
7 the south and east boundaries of said reservation to the
8 southeast corner of Section 21, Township 151 North, Range
9 32 West; thence due east to STH 1; thence along STH 1 to
10 STH 72; thence along STH 72 to U. S. Highway 71; thence
11 along U.S. Highway 71 to County State Aid Highway (CSAH)
12 39, Beltrami County; thence along CSAH 39 to CSAH 20,
13 Beltrami County; thence along CSAH 20 to CSAH 53, Beltrami
14 County; thence along CSAH 53 to CSAH 12, Beltrami County;
15 thence along CSAH 12 to CSAH 51, Beltrami County; thence
16 along CSAH 51 to CSAH 8, Beltrami County; thence along CSAH
17 8 to CSAH 25, Beltrami County; thence along CSAH 25 to CSAH
18 4, Beltrami County; thence along CSAH 4 to CSAH 46, Hubbard
19 County; thence along CSAH 46 to U.S. Highway 2; thence
20 along U.S. Highway 2 to the point of beginning.

21 Subp. 86. **Registration Block 285.** Deer And Bear

22 Registration Block 285 consists of that portion of the state
23 lying within the following described boundary:

24 Beginning at the intersection of State Trunk Highway (STH)
25 92 and U.S. Highway 2; thence along STH 92 to County State
26 Aid Highway (CSAH) 5, Clearwater County; thence along CSAH
27 5 to the south boundary of the Red Lake Indian Reservation;
28 thence along the south boundary of said reservation to STH
29 89; thence along STH 89 to U.S. Highway 2; thence along
30 U.S. Highway 2 to the point of beginning .

31 Subp. 87. **Registration Block 286.** Deer And Bear

32 Registration Block 286 consists of that portion of the state
33 lying within the following described boundary:

34 Beginning at the intersection of U.S. Highway 2 and State
35 Trunk Highway (STH) 92; thence along U.S. Highway 2 to
36 County State Aid Highway (CSAH) 45, Hubbard County; thence
37 along CSAH 45 to CSAH 9, Hubbard County; thence along CSAH
38 9 to CSAH 69, Cass County; thence along CSAH 69 to CSAH 5,
39 Hubbard County; thence along CSAH 5 to CSAH 39, Hubbard
40 County; thence along CSAH 39 to County Road (CR) 94,
41 Hubbard County; thence along CR 94 to CSAH 31, Hubbard
42 County; thence along CSAH 31 to STH 200; thence along STH
43 200 to the east boundary of Itasca State Park; thence along
44 the east, north, and west boundaries of said park to STH
45 113; thence west along STH 113 to the line between Range 37
46 West and Range 38 West; thence north along said range line
47 to the north boundary of the White Earth Indian
48 Reservation; thence east along the north boundary of said
49 reservation to STH 92; thence along STH 92 to the point of
50 beginning.

51 Subp. 88. **Registration Block 287.** Deer And Bear

52 Registration Block 287 consists of that portion of the state
53 known as Itasca State Park.

54 Subp. 89. **Registration Block 297.** Deer And Bear

55 Registration Block 297 consists of that portion of the state

1 lying within the following described boundary:

2 Beginning on County State Aid Highway (CSAH) 3, Mahnomen
3 County, at the north boundary of Mahnomen County; thence
4 along CSAH 3 to State Trunk Highway (STH) 113; thence along
5 STH 113 to CSAH 13, Mahnomen County; thence along CSAH 13
6 to CSAH 34, Becker County; thence along CSAH 34 to STH 224;
7 thence along STH 224 to CSAH 23, Becker County; thence
8 along CSAH 23 to the south boundary of the White Earth
9 Indian Reservation; thence along the south, west, and north
10 boundaries of said reservation to the point of beginning.

11 Subp. 90. **Registration Block 298.** Deer And Bear

12 Registration Block 298 consists of that portion of the state

13 lying within the following described boundary:

14 Beginning on County State Aid Highway (CSAH) 3, Mahnomen
15 County, at the north boundary of Mahnomen County; thence
16 along CSAH 3 to State Trunk Highway (STH) 113; thence along
17 STH 113 to CSAH 13, Mahnomen County; thence along CSAH 13
18 to CSAH 34, Becker County; thence along CSAH 34 to STH 224;
19 thence along STH 224 to CSAH 23, Becker County; thence
20 along CSAH 23 to the south boundary of the White Earth
21 Indian Reservation; thence along said boundary to the west
22 boundary of the Tamarac National Wildlife Refuge; thence
23 along the west, north, and east boundaries of said refuge
24 to the south boundary of the White Earth Indian
25 Reservation; thence along the south and east boundaries of
26 said reservation to STH 113; thence along STH 113 to the
27 boundary line between Range 37 West and Range 38 West;
28 thence along said range line to the north boundary of the
29 White Earth Indian Reservation; thence along the north
30 boundary of said reservation to the point of beginning.

31 Subp. 91. **Registration Block 337.** Deer And Bear

32 Registration Block 337 consists of that portion of the state

33 lying within the following described boundary:

34 Beginning at the confluence of the Crow and Mississippi
35 Rivers; thence along the east bank of the Mississippi River
36 to U.S. Highway 212; thence along U.S. Highway 212 to State
37 Trunk Highway (STH) 25; thence along STH 25 to the South
38 Fork of the Crow River; thence along the east bank of the
39 South Fork of the Crow River to the confluence with the
40 Crow River; thence along the east bank of the Crow River
41 to the point of beginning.

42 Subp. 92. **Registration Block 338.** Deer And Bear

43 Registration Block 338 consists of that portion of the state

44 lying within the following described boundary:

45 Beginning at the intersection of U.S. Highway 212 and State
46 Trunk Highway (STH) 25; thence along STH 25 to the
47 Minnesota River; thence along the east bank of the
48 Minnesota River to STH 19; thence along STH 19 to
49 Interstate Highway 35 (I-35); thence along I-35 to U.S.
50 Highway 212; thence along U.S. Highway 212 to the point of
51 beginning.

52 Subp. 93. **Registration Block 339.** Deer And Bear

53 Registration Block 339 consists of that portion of the state

54 lying within the following described boundary:

1 Beginning at the intersection of Interstate Highway 35
 2 (I-35) and State Trunk Highway (STH) 19; thence along STH
 3 19 to the Little Cannon River; thence along the west bank
 4 of the Little Cannon River to its confluence with the
 5 Cannon River; thence along the north bank of the Cannon
 6 River to U.S. Highway 61; thence along U.S. Highway 61 to
 7 U.S. Highway 63; thence along U.S. Highway 63 to the east
 8 boundary of the state; thence along the east boundary of
 9 the state to the confluence of the Mississippi and St.
 10 Croix Rivers; thence along the east bank of the Mississippi
 11 River to U.S. Highway 212; thence along U.S. Highway 212 to
 12 I-35; thence along I-35 to the point of beginning.

13 Subp. 94. Registration Block 341. Deer And Bear

14 Registration Block 341 consists of that portion of the state
 15 lying within the following described boundary:

16 Beginning at the intersection of State Trunk Highway (STH)
 17 19 and U.S. Highway 52; thence along U.S. Highway 52 to STH
 18 57; thence along STH 57 to County State Aid Highway (CSAH)
 19 24, Dodge County; thence along CSAH 24 to CSAH 13, Olmsted
 20 County; thence along CSAH 13 to the municipal boundary of
 21 Pine Island; thence along the municipal boundary of Pine
 22 Island to U.S. Highway 52; thence along U.S. Highway 52 to
 23 CSAH 12, Olmsted County; thence along CSAH 12 to U.S.
 24 Highway 63; thence along U.S. Highway 63 to U.S. Highway
 25 61; thence due east to the east boundary of the state;
 26 thence along the east boundary of the state to U.S. Highway
 27 63; thence along U.S. Highway 63 to U.S. Highway 61; thence
 28 along U.S. Highway 61 to the Cannon River; thence along the
 29 north bank of the Cannon River to the west bank of the
 30 Little Cannon River; thence along the west bank of the
 31 Little Cannon River to STH 19; thence along STH 19 to the
 32 point of beginning.

33 Subp. 95. Registration Block 342. Deer And Bear

34 Registration Block 342 consists of that portion of the state
 35 lying within the following described boundary:

36 Beginning at the intersection of State Trunk Highway (STH)
 37 247 and U.S. Highway 63; thence along U.S. Highway 63 to
 38 U.S. Highway 61; thence due east to the east boundary of
 39 the state; thence along the east boundary of the state to
 40 the south boundary of Wabasha County; thence along the
 41 south boundary of Wabasha County to U.S. Highway 61; thence
 42 along U.S. Highway 61 to County State Aid Highway (CSAH)
 43 14, Wabasha County; thence along CSAH 14 to STH 42; thence
 44 along STH 42 to STH 247; thence along STH 247 to the point
 45 of beginning.

46 Subp. 96. Registration Block 343. Deer And Bear

47 Registration Block 343 consists of that portion of the state
 48 lying within the following described boundary:

49 Beginning at the intersection of State Trunk Highway (STH)
 50 247 and County State Aid Highway (CSAH) 4, Wabasha County;
 51 thence along CSAH 4 to CSAH 10, Olmsted County; thence
 52 along CSAH 10 to CSAH 9, Olmsted County; thence along CSAH
 53 9 to CSAH 22, Winona County; thence along CSAH 22 to STH
 54 74; thence along STH 74 to STH 30; thence along STH 30 to
 55 CSAH 13, Dodge County; thence along CSAH 13 to U.S. Highway
 56 14; thence along U.S. Highway 14 to STH 57; thence along
 57 STH 57 to CSAH 24, Dodge County; thence along CSAH 24 to
 58 CSAH 13, Olmsted County; thence along CSAH 13 to U.S.
 59 Highway 52; thence along U.S. Highway 52 to CSAH 12,

1 Olmsted County; thence along CSAH 12 to STH 247; thence
2 along STH 247 to the point of beginning.

3 Subp. 97. **Registration Block 344.** Deer And Bear

4 Registration Block 344 consists of that portion of the state
5 lying within the following described boundary:

6 Beginning at the intersection of State Trunk Highway (STH)
7 42 and County State Aid Highway (CSAH) 4, Wabasha County;
8 thence along CSAH 4 to CSAH 10, Olmsted County; thence
9 along CSAH 10 to CSAH 9, Olmsted County; thence along CSAH
10 9 to CSAH 22, Winona County; thence along CSAH 22 to STH
11 74; thence along STH 74 to U.S. Highway 14; thence along
12 U.S. Highway 14 to CSAH 33, Winona County; thence along
13 CSAH 33 to STH 248; thence along STH 248 to CSAH 31, Winona
14 County; thence along CSAH 31 to CSAH 28, Winona County;
15 thence along CSAH 28 to CSAH 25, Winona County; thence
16 along CSAH 25 to U.S. Highway 61; thence along U.S. Highway
17 61 to CSAH 14, Wabasha County; thence along CSAH 14 to STH
18 42; thence along STH 42 to the point of beginning.

19 Subp. 98. **Registration Block 345.** Deer And Bear

20 Registration Block 345 consists of that portion of the state
21 lying within the following described boundary:

22 Beginning at the intersection of State Trunk Highway (STH)
23 74 and STH 30; thence along STH 30 to STH 43; thence along
24 STH 43 to the east boundary of the state; thence along the
25 east boundary of the state to the south boundary of Wabasha
26 County; thence due west along the south boundary of Wabasha
27 County to U.S. Highway 61; thence along U.S. Highway 61 to
28 County State Aid Highway (CSAH) 25, Winona County; thence
29 along CSAH 25 to CSAH 28, Winona County; thence along CSAH
30 28 to CSAH 31, Winona County; thence along CSAH 31 to STH
31 248; thence along STH 248 to CSAH 33, Winona County; thence
32 along CSAH 33 to U.S. Highway 14; thence along U.S. Highway
33 14 to STH 74; thence along STH 74 to the point of beginning.

34 Subp. 99. **Registration Block 346.** Deer And Bear

35 Registration Block 346 consists of that portion of the state
36 lying within the following described boundary:

37 Beginning at the intersection of State Trunk Highway (STH)
38 43 and the Root River; thence along the Root River to the
39 east boundary of the state; thence along the east boundary
40 of the state to STH 43; thence along STH 43 to the point of
41 beginning.

42 Subp. 100. **Registration Block 347.** Deer And Bear

43 Registration Block 347 consists of that portion of the state
44 lying within the following described boundary:

45 Beginning at the intersection of U.S. Highway 63 and State
46 Trunk Highway (STH) 30; thence along U.S. Highway 63 to the
47 south boundary of the state; thence along the south
48 boundary of the state to U.S. Highway 52; thence along U.S.
49 Highway 52 to STH 30; thence along STH 30 to the point of
50 beginning.

51 Subp. 101. **Registration Block 348.** Deer And Bear

52 Registration Block 348 consists of that portion of the state

1 lying within the following described boundary:

2 Beginning at the intersection of State Trunk Highway (STH)
3 30 and U.S. Highway 52; thence along U.S. Highway 52 to STH
4 139; thence along STH 139 to the south boundary of the
5 state; thence along the south boundary of the state to
6 County State Aid Highway (CSAH) 28, Fillmore County; thence
7 along CSAH 28 to STH 44; thence along STH 44 to STH 43;
8 thence along STH 43 to STH 30; thence along STH 30 to the
9 point of beginning.

10 Subp. 102. **Registration Block 349.** Deer And Bear

11 Registration Block 349 consists of that portion of the state

12 lying within the following described boundary:

13 Beginning at the intersection of the Root River and State
14 Trunk Highway (STH) 43; thence along STH 43 to STH 44;
15 thence along STH 44 to County State Aid Highway (CSAH) 28,
16 Fillmore County; thence along CSAH 28 to the south boundary
17 of the state; thence along the south and east boundaries of
18 the state to the mouth of the Root River; thence up the
19 Root River to the point of beginning.

20 Subp. 103. **Registration Block 401.** Deer And Bear

21 Registration Block 401 consists of that portion of the state

22 lying within the following described boundary:

23 Beginning at the intersection of U.S. Highway 75 and the
24 north boundary of the state; thence along U.S. Highway 75
25 to U.S. Highway 2; thence along U.S. Highway 2 to the west
26 boundary of the state; thence along the west and north
27 boundaries of the state to the point of beginning.

28 Subp. 104. **Registration Block 402.** Deer And Bear

29 Registration Block 402 consists of that portion of the state

30 lying within the following described boundary:

31 Beginning at the intersection of U.S. Highway 2 and the
32 west boundary of the state; thence along U.S. Highway 2 to
33 State Trunk Highway (STH) 9; thence along STH 9 to U.S.
34 Highway 10; thence along U.S. Highway 10 to the west
35 boundary of the state; thence along the west boundary of
36 the state to the point of beginning.

37 Subp. 105. **Registration Block 403.** Deer And Bear

38 Registration Block 403 consists of that portion of the state

39 lying within the following described boundary:

40 Beginning at the intersection of U.S. Highway 75 and the
41 north boundary of the state; thence along the north
42 boundary of the state to U.S. Highway 59; thence along U.S.
43 Highway 59 to State Trunk Highway (STH) 11; thence along
44 STH 11 to U.S. Highway 75; thence along U.S. Highway 75 to
45 the point of beginning.

46 Subp. 106. **Registration Block 404.** Deer And Bear

47 Registration Block 404 consists of that portion of the state

48 lying within the following described boundary:

49 Beginning at the intersection of State Trunk Highway (STH)
50 11 and U.S. Highway 75; thence along STH 11 to U.S. Highway

1 59; thence along U.S. Highway 59 to STH 1; thence along STH
2 1 to U.S. Highway 75; thence along U.S. Highway 75 to the
3 point of beginning.

4 Subp. 107. **Registration Block 405.** Deer And Bear

5 Registration Block 405 consists of that portion of the state
6 lying within the following described boundary:

7 Beginning at the intersection of State Trunk Highway (STH)
8 1 and U.S. Highway 75; thence along STH 1 to STH 32; thence
9 along STH 32 to STH 102; thence along STH 102 to STH 9;
10 thence along STH 9 to U.S. Highway 2; thence along U.S.
11 Highway 2 to U.S. Highway 75; thence along U.S. Highway 75
12 to the point of beginning.

13 Subp. 108. **Registration Block 406.** Deer And Bear

14 Registration Block 406 consists of that portion of the state
15 lying within the following described boundary:

16 Beginning at the intersection of U.S. Highway 59 and State
17 Trunk Highway (STH) 32; thence along U.S. Highway 59 to
18 County State Aid Highway (CSAH) 1, Polk County; thence
19 along CSAH 1 to STH 32; thence along STH 32 to the point of
20 beginning.

21 Subp. 109. **Registration Block 407.** Deer And Bear

22 Registration Block 407 consists of that portion of the state
23 lying within the following described boundary:

24 Beginning at the intersection of State Trunk Highway (STH)
25 9 and STH 102; thence along STH 102 to STH 32; thence along
26 STH 32 to U.S. Highway 10; thence along U.S. Highway 10 to
27 STH 9; thence along STH 9 to the point of beginning.

28 Subp. 110. **Registration Block 408.** Deer And Bear

29 Registration Block 408 consists of that portion of the state
30 lying within the following described boundary:

31 Beginning at the intersection of State Trunk Highway (STH)
32 32 and County State Aid Highway (CSAH) 1, Polk County;
33 thence along CSAH 1 to U.S. Highway 59; thence along U.S.
34 Highway 59 to the north boundary of the White Earth Indian
35 Reservation; thence west, south, and east along the
36 boundary of said reservation to U.S. Highway 59; thence
37 along U.S. Highway 59 to U.S. Highway 10; thence along U.S.
38 Highway 10 to STH 32; thence along STH 32 to the point of
39 beginning.

40 Subp. 111. **Registration Block 409.** Deer And Bear

41 Registration Block 409 consists of that portion of the state
42 lying within the following described boundary:

43 Beginning at the intersection of U.S. Highway 10 and State
44 Trunk Highway (STH) 87; thence along STH 87 to U.S. Highway
45 71; thence along U.S. Highway 71 to U.S. Highway 10; thence
46 along U.S. Highway 10 to the point of beginning.

47 Subp. 112. **Registration Block 410.** Deer And Bear

48 Registration Block 410 consists of that portion of the state

1 lying within the following described boundary:

2 Beginning at the intersection of U.S. Highway 10 and U.S.
3 Highway 59; thence along U.S. Highway 10 to State Trunk
4 Highway (STH) 78; thence along STH 78 to STH 210; thence
5 along STH 210 to Interstate Highway 94 (I-94); thence along
6 I-94 to STH 34; thence along STH 34 to STH 32; thence along
7 STH 32 to U.S. Highway 10; thence along U.S. Highway 10 to
8 the point of beginning.

9 Subp. 113. Registration Block 411. Deer And Bear

10 Registration Block 411 consists of that portion of the state
11 lying within the following described boundary:

12 Beginning at the intersection of U.S. Highway 10 and U.S.
13 Highway 71; thence along U.S. Highway 71 to County State
14 Aid Highway (CSAH) 22, Todd County; thence along CSAH 22 to
15 CSAH 46, Otter Tail County; thence along CSAH 46 to State
16 Trunk Highway (STH) 235; thence along STH 235 to CSAH 38,
17 Otter Tail County; thence along CSAH 38 to STH 78; thence
18 along STH 78 to U.S. Highway 10; thence along U.S. Highway
19 10 to the point of beginning.

20 Subp. 114. Registration Block 412. Deer And Bear

21 Registration Block 412 consists of that portion of the state
22 lying within the following described boundary:

23 Beginning at the intersection of State Trunk Highway (STH)
24 210 and Interstate Highway 94 (I-94); thence along STH 210
25 to STH 78; thence along STH 78 to County State Aid Highway
26 (CSAH) 38, Otter Tail County; thence along CSAH 38 to STH
27 235; thence along STH 235 to STH 29; thence along STH 29 to
28 STH 28; thence along STH 28 to U.S. Highway 59; thence
29 along U.S. Highway 59 to I-94; thence along I-94 to the
30 point of beginning.

31 Subp. 115. Registration Block 413. Deer And Bear

32 Registration Block 413 consists of that portion of the state
33 lying within the following described boundary:

34 Beginning at the intersection of County State Aid Highway
35 (CSAH) 46, Otter Tail County, and State Trunk Highway (STH)
36 29; thence along STH 29 to STH 28; thence along STH 28 to
37 U.S. Highway 71; thence along U.S. Highway 71 to CSAH 22,
38 Todd County; thence along CSAH 22 to CSAH 46, Otter Tail
39 County; thence along CSAH 46 to the point of beginning.

40 Subp. 116. Registration Block 414. Deer And Bear

41 Registration Block 414 consists of that portion of the state
42 lying within the following described boundary:

43 Beginning at the intersection of U.S. Highway 71 and U.S.
44 Highway 10; thence along U.S. Highway 10 to State Trunk
45 Highway (STH) 27; thence along STH 27 to U.S. Highway 71;
46 thence along U.S. Highway 71 to the point of beginning.

47 Subp. 117. Registration Block 415. Deer And Bear

48 Registration Block 415 consists of that portion of the state
49 lying within the following described boundary:

50 Beginning at the intersection of State Trunk Highway (STH)

1 27 and U.S. Highway 71; thence along U.S. Highway 71 to
 2 Interstate (I) 94; thence along I 94 to County State Aid
 3 Highway (CSAH) 75, Stearns County; thence along CSAH 75 to
 4 STH 23; thence along STH 23 to the east bank of the
 5 Mississippi River; thence along the east bank of the
 6 Mississippi River to STH 27; thence along STH 27 to the
 7 point of beginning.

8 Subp. 118. **Registration Block 416.** Deer And Bear

9 Registration Block 416 consists of that portion of the state
 10 lying within the following described boundary:

11 Beginning at the intersection of U.S. Highway 59 and State
 12 Trunk Highway (STH) 28; thence along STH 28 to STH 104;
 13 thence along STH 104 to U.S. Highway 12; thence along U.S.
 14 Highway 12 to STH 9; thence along STH 9 to STH 28; thence
 15 along STH 28 to the point of beginning.

16 Subp. 119. **Registration Block 417.** Deer And Bear

17 Registration Block 417 consists of that portion of the state
 18 lying within the following described boundary:

19 Beginning at the intersection of State Trunk Highway (STH)
 20 28 and STH 104; thence along STH 104 to U.S. Highway 12;
 21 thence along U.S. Highway 12 to STH 4; thence along STH 4
 22 to Interstate Highway 94 (I-94); thence along I-94 to STH
 23 28; thence along STH 28 to the point of beginning.

24 Subp. 120. **Registration Block 418.** Deer And Bear

25 Registration Block 418 consists of that portion of the state
 26 lying within the following described boundary:

27 Beginning at the intersection of Interstate (I) 94 and
 28 State Trunk Highway (STH) 4; thence along STH 4 to U.S.
 29 Highway 12; thence along U.S. Highway 12 to STH 15; thence
 30 along STH 15 to County State Aid Highway (CSAH) 75, Stearns
 31 County; thence along CSAH 75 to I 94; thence along I 94 to
 32 the point of beginning.

33 Subp. 121. **Registration Block 419.** Deer And Bear

34 Registration Block 419 consists of that portion of the state
 35 lying within the following described boundary:

36 Beginning at the intersection of State Trunk Highway (STH)
 37 23 and STH 15; thence along STH 15 to U.S. Highway 12;
 38 thence along U.S. Highway 12 to the east bank of the Crow
 39 River at Delano; thence along the east bank of the Crow
 40 River to the confluence of the Crow River and the
 41 Mississippi River; thence along the northeast bank of the
 42 Mississippi River to STH 23; thence along STH 23 to the
 43 point of beginning.

44 Subp. 122. **Registration Block 420.** Deer And Bear

45 Registration Block 420 consists of that portion of the state
 46 lying within the following described boundary:

47 Beginning at the intersection of U.S. Highway 10 and the
 48 west boundary of the state; thence along U.S. Highway 10 to
 49 State Trunk Highway (STH) 32; thence along STH 32 to STH
 50 34; thence along STH 34 to Interstate Highway 94 (I-94);
 51 thence along I-94 to County State Aid Highway (CSAH) 24,

1 Otter Tail County; thence along CSAH 24 to CSAH 26, Wilkin
2 County; thence along CSAH 26 to its junction with U.S.
3 Highway 75; thence due west to the west boundary of the
4 state; thence along the west boundary of the state to the
5 point of beginning.

6 Subp. 123. **Registration Block 421.** Deer And Bear

7 Registration Block 421 consists of that portion of the state
8 lying within the following described boundary:

9 Beginning at a point on the west boundary of the state due
10 west of the junction of County State Aid Highway (CSAH) 26,
11 Wilkin County, and U.S. Highway 75; thence due east to said
12 junction; thence along CSAH 26 to CSAH 24, Otter Tail
13 County; thence along CSAH 24 to Interstate Highway 94
14 (I-94); thence along I-94 to U.S. Highway 59; thence along
15 U.S. Highway 59 to State Trunk Highway (STH) 55; thence
16 along STH 55 to the west boundary of the state; thence
17 along the west boundary of the state to the point of
18 beginning.

19 Subp. 124. **Registration Block 422.** Deer And Bear

20 Registration Block 422 consists of that portion of the state
21 lying within the following described boundary:

22 Beginning at the intersection of State Trunk Highway (STH)
23 55 and the west boundary of the state; thence along STH 55
24 to the west boundary of Grant County; thence along the west
25 boundary of Grant County to the west boundary of Stevens
26 County; thence along the west boundary of Stevens County to
27 STH 28; thence along STH 28 to the west boundary of the
28 state; thence along the west boundary of the state to the
29 point of beginning.

30 Subp. 125. **Registration Block 423.** Deer And Bear

31 Registration Block 423 consists of that portion of the state
32 lying within the following described boundary:

33 Beginning at the intersection of State Trunk Highway (STH)
34 55 and U.S. Highway 59; thence along U.S. Highway 59 to STH
35 28; thence along STH 28 to the west boundary of Stevens
36 County; thence along the west boundary of Stevens County to
37 the west boundary of Grant County; thence along the west
38 boundary of Grant County to STH 55; thence along STH 55 to
39 the point of beginning.

40 Subp. 126. **Registration Block 424.** Deer And Bear

41 Registration Block 424 consists of that portion of the state
42 lying within the following described boundary:

43 Beginning at the intersection of State Trunk Highway (STH)
44 28 and STH 9; thence along STH 9 to STH 29; thence along
45 STH 29 to STH 40; thence along STH 40 to STH 7; thence
46 along STH 7 to County State Aid Highway (CSAH) 25, Big
47 Stone County; thence along CSAH 25 to CSAH 10, Big Stone
48 County; thence along CSAH 10 to CSAH 21, Big Stone County;
49 thence along CSAH 21 to STH 28; thence along STH 28 to the
50 point of beginning.

51 Subp. 127. **Registration Block 425.** Deer And Bear

52 Registration Block 425 consists of that portion of the state

1 lying within the following described boundary:

2 Beginning at the intersection of U.S. Highway 12 and State
3 Trunk Highway (STH) 29; thence along STH 29 to STH 7;
4 thence along STH 7 to County State Aid Highway (CSAH) 4,
5 Chippewa County; thence along CSAH 4 to STH 23; thence
6 along STH 23 to U.S. Highway 212; thence along U.S. Highway
7 212 to U.S. Highway 71; thence along U.S. Highway 71 to
8 U.S. Highway 12; thence along U.S. Highway 12 to the point
9 of beginning.

10 Subp. 128. **Registration Block 426.** Deer And Bear

11 Registration Block 426 consists of that portion of the state

12 lying within the following described boundary:

13 Beginning at the intersection of U.S. Highway 12 and U.S.
14 Highway 71; thence along U.S. Highway 71 to County State
15 Aid Highway (CSAH) 4, Renville County; thence along CSAH 4
16 to State Trunk Highway (STH) 4; thence along STH 4 to STH
17 7; thence along STH 7 to STH 22; thence along STH 22 to
18 U.S. Highway 12; thence along U.S. Highway 12 to the point
19 of beginning.

20 Subp. 129. **Registration Block 427.** Deer And Bear

21 Registration Block 427 consists of that portion of the state

22 lying within the following described boundary:

23 Beginning at the intersection of State Trunk Highway (STH)
24 7 and STH 4; thence along STH 4 to STH 19; thence along STH
25 19 to STH 15; thence along STH 15 to County State Aid
26 Highway (CSAH) 1, Nicollet County; thence along CSAH 1 to
27 STH 22; thence along STH 22 to CSAH 2, Nicollet County;
28 thence along CSAH 2 to CSAH 9, Sibley County; thence along
29 CSAH 9 to STH 19; thence along STH 19 to the Minnesota
30 River; thence along the north shore of the Minnesota River
31 to STH 25; thence along STH 25 to STH 5; thence along STH 5
32 to U.S. Highway 212; thence along U.S. Highway 212 to STH
33 22; thence along STH 22 to STH 7; thence along STH 7 to the
34 point of beginning.

35 Subp. 130. **Registration Block 428.** Deer And Bear

36 Registration Block 428 consists of that portion of the state

37 lying within the following described boundary:

38 Beginning at the intersection of U.S. Highway 12 and State
39 Trunk Highway (STH) 22; thence along STH 22 to U.S. Highway
40 212; thence along U.S. Highway 212 to STH 25; thence along
41 STH 25 to the South Fork Crow River at Watertown; thence
42 along the east bank of the South Fork Crow River to U.S.
43 Highway 12 at Delano; thence along U.S. Highway 12 to the
44 point of beginning.

45 Subp. 131. **Registration Block 431.** Deer And Bear

46 Registration Block 431 consists of that portion of the state

47 lying within the following described boundary:

48 Beginning at the intersection of the west boundary of the
49 state and State Trunk Highway (STH) 28; thence along STH 28
50 to County State Aid Highway (CSAH) 21, Big Stone County;
51 thence along CSAH 21 to CSAH 10, Big Stone County; thence
52 along CSAH 10 to CSAH 25, Big Stone County; thence along
53 CSAH 25 to STH 7; thence along STH 7 to U.S. Highway 12;
54 thence along U.S. Highway 12 to the west boundary of the

1 state; thence along the west boundary of the state to the
2 point of beginning.

3 **Subp. 132. Registration Block 433. Deer And Bear**

4 Registration Block 433 consists of that portion of the state
5 lying within the following described boundary:

6 Beginning at the intersection of the west boundary of the
7 state and U.S. Highway 12; thence along U.S. Highway 12 to
8 State Trunk Highway (STH) 7; thence along STH 7 to STH 40;
9 thence along STH 40 to STH 29; thence along STH 29 to STH
10 7; thence along STH 7 to U.S. Highway 212; thence along
11 U.S. Highway 212 to County State Aid Highway (CSAH) 31, Lac
12 qui Parle County; thence along CSAH 31 to CSAH 20, Lac qui
13 Parle County; thence along CSAH 20 to STH 40; thence along
14 STH 40 to STH 119; thence along STH 119 to CSAH 28, Lac qui
15 Parle County; thence along CSAH 28 to U.S. Highway 75;
16 thence along U.S. Highway 75 to CSAH 24, Lac qui Parle
17 County; thence along CSAH 24 to the west boundary of the
18 state; thence along the west boundary of the state to the
19 point of beginning.

20 **Subp. 133. Registration Block 435. Deer And Bear**

21 Registration Block 435 consists of that portion of the state
22 lying within the following described boundary:

23 Beginning at the intersection of U.S. Highway 212 and State
24 Trunk Highway (STH) 7; thence along STH 7 to County State
25 Aid Highway (CSAH) 4, Chippewa County; thence along CSAH 4
26 to STH 23; thence along STH 23 to U.S. Highway 212; thence
27 along U.S. Highway 212 to U.S. Highway 71; thence along
28 U.S. Highway 71 to STH 19; thence along STH 19 to STH 273;
29 thence along STH 273 to CSAH 9, Redwood County; thence
30 along CSAH 9 to CSAH 1, Yellow Medicine County; thence
31 along CSAH 1 to STH 67; thence along STH 67 to CSAH 2,
32 Yellow Medicine County; thence along CSAH 2 to STH 23;
33 thence along STH 23 to CSAH 43, Yellow Medicine County;
34 thence along CSAH 43 to STH 67; thence along STH 67 to CSAH
35 8, Yellow Medicine County; thence along CSAH 8 to CSAH 19,
36 Yellow Medicine County; thence along CSAH 19 to U.S.
37 Highway 212; thence along U.S. Highway 212 to the point of
38 beginning.

39 **Subp. 134. Registration Block 440. Deer And Bear**

40 Registration Block 440 consists of that portion of the state
41 lying within the following described boundary:

42 Beginning at the intersection of U.S. Highway 71 and County
43 State Aid Highway (CSAH) 4, Renville County; thence along
44 CSAH 4 to State Trunk Highway (STH) 4; thence along STH 4
45 to STH 19; thence along STH 19 to STH 15; thence along STH
46 15 to STH 257; thence along STH 257 to CSAH 20, Brown
47 County; thence along CSAH 20 to CSAH 11, Brown County;
48 thence along CSAH 11 to CSAH 24, Brown County; thence along
49 CSAH 24 to STH 4; thence along STH 4 to STH 68; thence
50 along STH 68 to STH 67; thence along STH 67 to U.S. Highway
51 71; thence along U.S. Highway 71 to the point of beginning.

52 **Subp. 135. Registration Block 442. Deer And Bear**

53 Registration Block 442 consists of that portion of the state
54 lying within the following described boundary:

55 Beginning at the intersection of State Trunk Highway (STH)

1 19 and County State Aid Highway (CSAH) 9, Sibley County;
 2 thence along STH 19 to CSAH 11, LeSueur County; thence
 3 along CSAH 11 to STH 99; thence along STH 99 to CSAH 15,
 4 LeSueur County; thence along CSAH 15 to CSAH 26, Blue Earth
 5 County; thence along CSAH 26 to STH 60; thence along STH 60
 6 to CSAH 6, Blue Earth County; thence along CSAH 6 to CSAH
 7 22, Blue Earth County; thence along CSAH 22 to CSAH 19,
 8 Brown County; thence along CSAH 19 to STH 15; thence along
 9 STH 15 to CSAH 1, Nicollet County; thence along CSAH 1 to
 10 STH 22; thence along STH 22 to CSAH 3, Nicollet County;
 11 thence along CSAH 3 to CSAH 9, Sibley County; thence along
 12 CSAH 9 to the point of beginning.

13 Subp. 136. **Registration Block 443.** Deer And Bear

14 Registration Block 443 consists of that portion of the state
 15 lying within the following described boundary:

16 Beginning at the intersection of State Trunk Highway (STH)
 17 15 and County State Aid Highway (CSAH) 19, Brown County;
 18 thence along CSAH 19 to CSAH 22, Blue Earth County; thence
 19 along CSAH 22 to CSAH 6, Blue Earth County; thence along
 20 CSAH 6 to STH 60; thence along STH 60 to STH 22; thence
 21 along STH 22 to STH 30; thence along STH 30 to STH 15;
 22 thence along STH 15 to the point of beginning.

23 Subp. 137. **Registration Block 446.** Deer And Bear

24 Registration Block 446 consists of that portion of the state
 25 lying within the following described boundary:

26 Beginning on State Trunk Highway (STH) 40 at the west
 27 boundary of the state; thence along the west boundary of
 28 the state to the south boundary of Yellow Medicine County;
 29 thence east along the south boundary of Yellow Medicine
 30 County to U.S. Highway 75; thence along U.S. Highway 75 to
 31 STH 40; thence along STH 40 to the point of beginning.

32 Subp. 138. **Registration Block 447.** Deer And Bear

33 Registration Block 447 consists of that portion of the state
 34 lying within the following described boundary:

35 Beginning at the intersection of County State Aid Highway
 36 (CSAH) 28, Lac qui Parle County, and U.S. Highway 75;
 37 thence along U.S. Highway 75 to the south boundary of
 38 Yellow Medicine County; thence along the south boundary of
 39 Yellow Medicine County to State Trunk Highway (STH) 23;
 40 thence along STH 23 to CSAH 43, Yellow Medicine County;
 41 thence along CSAH 43 to STH 67; thence along STH 67 to CSAH
 42 8, Yellow Medicine County; thence along CSAH 8 to CSAH 19,
 43 Yellow Medicine County; thence along CSAH 19 to U.S.
 44 Highway 212; thence along U.S. Highway 212 to CSAH 31, Lac
 45 qui Parle County; thence along CSAH 31 to CSAH 20, Lac qui
 46 Parle County; thence along CSAH 20 to STH 40; thence along
 47 STH 40 to STH 119; thence along STH 119 to CSAH 28, Lac qui
 48 Parle County; thence along CSAH 28 to the point of
 49 beginning.

50 Subp. 139. **Registration Block 448.** Deer And Bear

51 Registration Block 448 consists of that portion of the state
 52 lying within the following described boundary:

53 Beginning on the west boundary of the state at the north
 54 boundary of Lincoln County; thence along the west boundary
 55 of the state to U.S. Highway 14; thence along U.S. Highway

1 14 to the east boundary of Lincoln County; thence along the
2 east boundary of Lincoln County to the north boundary of
3 Lincoln County; thence along the north boundary of Lincoln
4 County to the point of beginning.

5 Subp. 140. **Registration Block 449.** Deer And Bear

6 Registration Block 449 consists of that portion of the state
7 lying within the following described boundary:

8 Beginning at the northwest corner of Lyon County; thence
9 along the west boundary of Lyon County to U.S. Highway 14;
10 thence along U.S. Highway 14 to the east boundary of Lyon
11 County; thence along said boundary to County State Aid
12 Highway (CSAH) 22, Lyon County; thence along CSAH 22 to
13 CSAH 9, Lyon County; thence along CSAH 9 to State Trunk
14 Highway (STH) 23; thence along STH 23 to the north boundary
15 of Lyon County; thence along the north boundary of Lyon
16 County to the point of beginning.

17 Subp. 141. **Registration Block 450.** Deer And Bear

18 Registration Block 450 consists of that portion of the state
19 lying within the following described boundary:

20 Beginning at the intersection of County State Aid Highway
21 (CSAH) 22, Lyon County, and the west boundary of Redwood
22 County; thence along said boundary to U.S. Highway 14;
23 thence along U.S. Highway 14 to State Trunk Highway (STH)
24 4; thence along STH 4 to STH 68; thence along STH 68 to STH
25 67; thence along STH 67 to STH 273; thence along STH 273 to
26 CSAH 9, Redwood County; thence along CSAH 9 to CSAH 1,
27 Yellow Medicine County; thence along CSAH 1 to STH 67;
28 thence along STH 67 to CSAH 2, Yellow Medicine County;
29 thence along CSAH 2 to STH 23; thence along STH 23 to CSAH
30 9, Lyon County; thence along CSAH 9 to CSAH 22, Lyon
31 County; thence along CSAH 22 to the point of beginning.

32 Subp. 142. **Registration Block 451.** Deer And Bear

33 Registration Block 451 consists of that portion of the state
34 lying within the following described boundary:

35 Beginning on U.S. Highway 14 at the west boundary of the
36 state; thence along the west boundary of the state to the
37 south boundary of Pipestone County; thence along the south
38 boundary of Pipestone County to U.S. Highway 75; thence
39 along U.S. Highway 75 to State Trunk Highway (STH) 268;
40 thence along STH 268 to County State Aid Highway (CSAH) 18,
41 Pipestone County; thence along CSAH 18 to CSAH 1, Pipestone
42 County; thence along CSAH 1 to CSAH 1, Murray County;
43 thence along CSAH 1 to STH 91; thence along STH 91 to U.S.
44 Highway 14; thence along U.S. Highway 14 to the point of
45 beginning.

46 Subp. 143. **Registration Block 452.** Deer And Bear

47 Registration Block 452 consists of that portion of the state
48 lying within the following described boundary:

49 Beginning at the north boundary of Rock County at the west
50 boundary of the state; thence along the west and south
51 boundaries of the state to State Trunk Highway (STH) 91;
52 thence along STH 91 to County State Aid Highway (CSAH) 1,
53 Murray County; thence along CSAH 1 to CSAH 1, Pipestone
54 County; thence along CSAH 1 to CSAH 18, Pipestone County;
55 thence along CSAH 18 to STH 268; thence along STH 268 to

1 U.S. Highway 75; thence along U.S. Highway 75 to the north
2 boundary of Rock County; thence along the north boundary of
3 Rock County to the point of beginning.

4 Subp. 144. **Registration Block 453.** Deer And Bear

5 Registration Block 453 consists of that portion of the state
6 lying within the following described boundary:

7 Beginning at the intersection of State Trunk Highway (STH)
8 30 and STH 91; thence along STH 91 to the south boundary of
9 the state; thence along the south boundary of the state to
10 County State Aid Highway (CSAH) 3, Nobles County; thence
11 along CSAH 3 to STH 264; thence along STH 264 to CSAH 1,
12 Jackson County; thence along CSAH 1 to CSAH 1, Nobles
13 County; thence along CSAH 1 to the south boundary of Murray
14 County; thence along the south boundary of Murray County to
15 the Chicago and North Western Railroad; thence northwest
16 along said railroad to STH 62; thence along STH 62 to U.S.
17 Highway 59; thence along U.S. Highway 59 to STH 30; thence
18 along STH 30 to the point of beginning.

19 Subp. 145. **Registration Block 454.** Deer And Bear

20 Registration Block 454 consists of that portion of the state
21 lying within the following described boundary, except that part
22 comprising Block 455:

23 Beginning at the intersection of U.S. Highway 14 and State
24 Trunk Highway (STH) 91; thence along STH 91 to STH 30;
25 thence along STH 30 to U.S. Highway 59; thence along U.S.
26 Highway 59 to STH 62 at Fulda; thence along STH 62 to the
27 Chicago and North Western Railroad; thence along said
28 railroad to the south boundary of Murray County; thence
29 along said boundary to the southwest corner of Cottonwood
30 County; thence along the south boundary of Cottonwood
31 County to County State Aid Highway (CSAH) 5, Cottonwood
32 County; thence along CSAH 5 to STH 62; thence along STH 62
33 to U.S. Highway 71; thence along U.S. Highway 71 to U.S.
34 Highway 14; thence along U.S. Highway 14 to the point of
35 beginning.

36 Subp. 146. **Registration Block 455.** Deer And Bear

37 Registration Block 455 consists of that portion of the state
38 lying within the following described boundary:

39 Beginning at the junction of County State Aid Highway
40 (CSAH) 6, Murray County, and CSAH 42, Murray County; thence
41 along CSAH 42 to CSAH 3, Murray County; thence along CSAH 3
42 to the Chicago and North Western Railroad; thence along
43 said railroad to the south boundary of Murray County;
44 thence along said boundary to the southwest corner of
45 Cottonwood County; thence along the south boundary of
46 Cottonwood County to CSAH 5, Cottonwood County; thence
47 along CSAH 5 to CSAH 13, Cottonwood County; thence along
48 CSAH 13 to CSAH 6, Murray County; thence along CSAH 6 to
49 the point of beginning.

50 Subp. 147. **Registration Block 456.** Deer And Bear

51 Registration Block 456 consists of that portion of the state
52 lying within the following described boundary:

53 Beginning on County State Aid Highway (CSAH) 1, Nobles
54 County, at the south boundary of Murray County; thence

1 along CSAH 1, Nobles County, to CSAH 1, Jackson County;
 2 thence along CSAH 1 to State Trunk Highway (STH) 264;
 3 thence along STH 264 to CSAH 3, Nobles County; thence along
 4 CSAH 3 to the south boundary of the state; thence along the
 5 south boundary of the state to CSAH 23, Jackson County;
 6 thence along CSAH 23 to CSAH 8, Jackson County; thence
 7 along CSAH 8 to CSAH 29, Jackson County; thence along CSAH
 8 29 to CSAH 36, Jackson County; thence along CSAH 36 to CSAH
 9 1, Cottonwood County; thence along CSAH 1 to STH 60; thence
 10 along STH 60 to STH 62; thence along STH 62 to CSAH 5,
 11 Cottonwood County; thence along CSAH 5 to the south
 12 boundary of Cottonwood County; thence along said boundary
 13 to the southeast corner of Murray County; thence along the
 14 south boundary of Murray County to the point of beginning.

15 Subp. 148. **Registration Block 457.** Deer And Bear

16 Registration Block 457 consists of that portion of the state
 17 lying within the following described boundary:

18 Beginning at the intersection of U.S. Highway 14 and U.S.
 19 Highway 71; thence along U.S. Highway 71 to State Trunk
 20 Highway (STH) 60; thence along STH 60 to STH 15; thence
 21 along STH 15 to STH 257; thence along STH 257 to County
 22 State Aid Highway (CSAH) 20, Brown County; thence along
 23 CSAH 20 to CSAH 11, Brown County; thence along CSAH 11 to
 24 CSAH 24, Brown County; thence along CSAH 24 to STH 4;
 25 thence along STH 4 to U.S. Highway 14; thence along U.S.
 26 Highway 14 to the point of beginning.

27 Subp. 149. **Registration Block 458.** Deer And Bear

28 Registration Block 458 consists of that portion of the state
 29 lying within the following described boundary:

30 Beginning at the intersection of State Trunk Highway (STH)
 31 60 and County State Aid Highway (CSAH) 1, Cottonwood
 32 County; thence along CSAH 1 to CSAH 36, Jackson County;
 33 thence along CSAH 36 to CSAH 29, Jackson County; thence
 34 along CSAH 29 to CSAH 8, Jackson County; thence along CSAH
 35 8 to CSAH 23, Jackson County; thence along CSAH 23 to the
 36 south boundary of the state; thence along the south
 37 boundary of the state to STH 15; thence along STH 15 to STH
 38 60; thence along STH 60 to the point of beginning.

39 Subp. 150. **Registration Block 459.** Deer And Bear

40 Registration Block 459 consists of that portion of the state
 41 lying within the following described boundary:

42 Beginning at the intersection of State Trunk Highway (STH)
 43 30 and STH 15; thence along STH 15 to the south boundary of
 44 the state; thence along the south boundary of the state to
 45 STH 22; thence along STH 22 to County State Aid Highway
 46 (CSAH) 29, Faribault County; thence along CSAH 29 to CSAH
 47 3, Waseca County; thence along CSAH 3 to STH 30; thence
 48 along STH 30 to the point of beginning.

49 Subp. 151. **Registration Block 461.** Deer And Bear

50 Registration Block 461 consists of that portion of the state
 51 lying within the following described boundary:

52 Beginning at the intersection of State Trunk Highway (STH)
 53 19 and County State Aid Highway (CSAH) 11, LeSueur County;
 54 thence along CSAH 11 to STH 99; thence along STH 99 to CSAH
 55 15, LeSueur County; thence along CSAH 15 to CSAH 26, Blue

1 Earth County; thence along CSAH 26 to STH 60; thence along
2 STH 60 to CSAH 16, Rice County; thence along CSAH 16 to
3 CSAH 15, Rice County; thence along CSAH 15 to Interstate
4 Highway 35 (I-35); thence along I-35 to STH 19; thence
5 along STH 19 to the point of beginning.

6 Subp. 152. **Registration Block 462.** Deer And Bear

7 Registration Block 462 consists of that portion of the state
8 lying within the following described boundary:

9 Beginning at the intersection of State Trunk Highway (STH)
10 19 and Interstate Highway 35 (I-35); thence along I-35 to
11 County State Aid Highway (CSAH) 12, Steele County; thence
12 along CSAH 12 to CSAH 24, Dodge County; thence along CSAH
13 24 to STH 57; thence along STH 57 to U.S. Highway 52;
14 thence along U.S. Highway 52 to STH 19; thence along STH 19
15 to the point of beginning.

16 Subp. 153. **Registration Block 463.** Deer And Bear

17 Registration Block 463 consists of that portion of the state
18 lying within the following described boundary:

19 Beginning at the intersection of State Trunk Highway (STH)
20 60 and STH 22; thence along STH 22 to STH 30; thence along
21 STH 30 to STH 13; thence along STH 13 to STH 60; thence
22 along STH 60 to the point of beginning.

23 Subp. 154. **Registration Block 464.** Deer And Bear

24 Registration Block 464 consists of that portion of the state
25 lying within the following described boundary:

26 Beginning at the intersection of State Trunk Highway (STH)
27 60 and STH 13; thence along STH 13 to STH 30; thence along
28 STH 30 to U.S. Highway 218; thence along U.S. Highway 218
29 to Interstate Highway 35 (I-35); thence along I-35 to
30 County State Aid Highway (CSAH) 15, Rice County; thence
31 along CSAH 15 to CSAH 16, Rice County; thence along CSAH 16
32 to STH 60; thence along STH 60 to the point of beginning.

33 Subp. 155. **Registration Block 465.** Deer And Bear

34 Registration Block 465 consists of that portion of the state
35 lying within the following described boundary:

36 Beginning at the intersection of County State Aid Highway
37 (CSAH) 12, Steele County, and Interstate Highway 35 (I-35);
38 thence along I-35 to U.S. Highway 218; thence along U.S.
39 Highway 218 to State Trunk Highway (STH) 30; thence along
40 STH 30 to CSAH 13, Dodge County; thence along CSAH 13 to
41 U.S. Highway 14; thence along U.S. Highway 14 to STH 57;
42 thence along STH 57 to CSAH 24, Dodge County; thence along
43 CSAH 24 to CSAH 12, Steele County; thence along CSAH 12 to
44 the point of beginning.

45 Subp. 156. **Registration Block 466.** Deer And Bear

46 Registration Block 466 consists of that portion of the state
47 lying within the following described boundary:

48 Beginning at the intersection of State Trunk Highway (STH)
49 30 and County State Aid Highway (CSAH) 3, Waseca County;
50 thence along CSAH 3 to CSAH 29, Faribault County; thence
51 along CSAH 29 to STH 22; thence along STH 22 to the south

1 boundary of the state; thence along the south boundary of
 2 the state to STH 105; thence along STH 105 to STH 116 in
 3 Austin; thence along STH 116 to U.S. Highway 218; thence
 4 along U.S. Highway 218 to STH 30; thence along STH 30 to
 5 the point of beginning.

6 Subp. 157. **Registration Block 467. Deer And Bear**

7 Registration Block 467 consists of that portion of the state
 8 lying within the following described boundary:

9 Beginning at the intersection of State Trunk Highway (STH)
 10 30 and U.S. Highway 218; thence along U.S. Highway 218 to
 11 STH 116; thence along STH 116 to STH 105; thence along STH
 12 105 to the south boundary of the state; thence along the
 13 south boundary of the state to U.S. Highway 63; thence
 14 along U.S. Highway 63 to STH 30; thence along STH 30 to the
 15 point of beginning.

16 **SMALL GAME**

17 6234.0100 GENERAL RESTRICTIONS FOR TAKING SMALL GAME.

18 Subpart 1. **Use of handguns.** All species of small game
 19 which may lawfully be taken with a rifle may also be taken with
 20 a handgun, subject to the same caliber restrictions that apply
 21 to rifles.

22 Subp. 2. **Unattended electronic devices prohibited.** A
 23 person may not use an unattended electronic device for the
 24 purpose of taking small game, except game birds.

25 6234.0200 TAKING RUFFED GROUSE AND SPRUCE GROUSE.

26 A person may not take more than an aggregate of five ruffed
 27 grouse and spruce grouse per day or possess an aggregate of more
 28 than ten ruffed grouse and spruce grouse at a time.

29 6234.0300 TAKING SHARP-TAILED GROUSE.

30 Subpart 1. **Bag limits.** A person may not take more than
 31 three sharp-tailed grouse per day or possess more than six
 32 sharp-tailed grouse at a time.

33 Subp. 2. **Open area.** The open area to take sharp-tailed
 34 grouse is statewide except in that portion of the state lying
 35 within the following described boundary:

36 Beginning on U.S. Highway 2 at the west boundary of the
 37 state; thence along U.S. Highway 2 to Cass Lake; thence
 38 along State Trunk Highway (STH) 371 to Little Falls; thence
 39 along STH 27 to the west boundary of the state; thence
 40 along the west boundary of the state to the point of
 41 beginning.

1 6234.0400 TAKING PHEASANTS.

2 A person may not take more than two cock pheasants per day
3 or possess more than six cock pheasants at a time.

4 6234.0600 TAKING JACK RABBITS, COTTONTAIL RABBITS, AND SNOWSHOE
5 HARES.

6 Subpart 1. **Open season.** Jack rabbits, cottontail rabbits,
7 and snowshoe hares may be taken by legal firearm, bow and arrow,
8 and traps from the Saturday nearest September 16 to the last day
9 in February.

10 Subp. 2. **Bag limits.** A person may not take more than ten
11 cottontail rabbits per day or possess more than 20 cottontail
12 rabbits at a time. A person may not take more than 20 jack
13 rabbits and 20 snowshoe hares per day or possess more than 20
14 jack rabbits and 20 snowshoe hares at a time.

15 6234.0700 TAKING GRAY SQUIRRELS AND FOX SQUIRRELS.

16 Subpart 1. **Open season.** Gray squirrels and fox squirrels
17 may be taken by legal firearm, bow and arrow, and traps from the
18 Saturday nearest September 16 to the last day in February.

19 Subp. 2. **Bag limits.** A person may not take more than an
20 aggregate of seven gray squirrels and fox squirrels per day or
21 possess more than an aggregate of 14 gray squirrels and fox
22 squirrels at a time.

23 6234.0800 HUNTING BY FALCONRY.

24 Subpart 1. **Bag limits.** A person may not take more than
25 three small game animals per day in the aggregate or possess
26 more than six small game animals in the aggregate.

27 Subp. 2. **Possession of firearms and bows and arrows**
28 **prohibited.** A person may not hunt by falconry while in
29 possession of, or having under control, any firearm or bow and
30 arrow.

31 Subp. 3. **Open season and hours for nonmigratory small**
32 **game.** Nonmigratory small game may be taken by falconry from
33 September 1 to the last day in February. Falconry hunting hours
34 are from one-half hour before sunrise to sunset, except that

1 pheasants may not be taken before 9:00 a.m.

2 Subp. 4. **Open season and hours for migratory game birds.**

3 Woodcock, sora and Virginia rails, common snipe, ducks, coots,
4 and moorhens (gallinules) may be taken by falconry from
5 September 1 to December 16. Geese may be taken by falconry from
6 the Saturday nearest October 1 to December 16. Crows may be
7 taken by falconry during the open season. Falconry hours are
8 from one-half hour before sunrise to sunset, except during the
9 regular waterfowl season when falconry hours are the same as
10 waterfowl shooting hours.

11 FURBEARERS

12 6234.0900 SCOPE AND DEFINITIONS.

13 Subpart 1. **Scope.** The provisions of parts 6234.0900 to
14 6234.2300 apply to the use of traps or snares capable of taking
15 a wild animal protected under provisions of Minnesota Statutes,
16 sections 97B.601 to 97B.671 or 97B.901 to 97B.945.

17 Subp. 2. **Terms.** The terms used in parts 6234.0900 to
18 6234.3500 have the meanings given them in this part.

19 Subp. 3. **Authorized agent.** "Authorized agent" means a
20 person authorized by a trapper, in writing, who possesses all
21 necessary licenses to check, pick up, or reset traps set by the
22 trapper.

23 Subp. 4. **Bait.** "Bait" means any animal or animal parts,
24 including live or dead fish, except that small aggregates of fur
25 and feathers used for flagging purposes are not bait.

26 Subp. 5. **Waterset.** "Waterset" means any body-gripping
27 trap or snare set in which the body-gripping portion of the jaws
28 or the snare loop, when set, is at least half-submerged in water.
29 A completely submerged waterset is any set in which the
30 body-gripping portions of the jaws or the snare loop, when set,
31 is completely submerged in water.

32 6234.1000 DESCRIPTION OF FURBEARER ZONES.

33 Subpart 1. **Forest Furbearer Zone.** That portion of the
34 state lying within the following described boundary is known as
35 the Forest Furbearer Zone.

1 Beginning on U.S. Highway 59 at the north boundary of the
2 state; thence along U.S. Highway 59 to U.S. Highway 10;
3 thence along U.S. Highway 10 to State Trunk Highway (STH)
4 210; thence along STH 210 to STH 18; thence along STH 18 to
5 U.S. Highway 169; thence along U.S. Highway 169 to STH 23;
6 thence along STH 23 to STH 65; thence along STH 65 to STH
7 70; thence along STH 70 to the east boundary of the state;
8 thence along the east and north boundaries of the state to
9 the point of beginning.

10 Subp. 2. **Farmland Furbearer Zone.** That portion of the
11 state lying outside of the Forest Furbearer Zone is known as the
12 Farmland Furbearer Zone.

13 Subp. 3. **North Mink/Muskrat/Beaver/Otter Zone.** That
14 portion of the state lying within the following described
15 boundary is known as the North Mink/Muskrat/Beaver/Otter Zone.

16 Beginning on State Trunk Highway (STH) 200 at the west
17 boundary of the state; thence along STH 200 to U.S. Highway
18 2; thence along U.S. Highway 2 to STH 73; thence along STH
19 73 to STH 27; thence along STH 27 to Interstate Highway 35
20 (I-35); thence along I-35 to the Carlton-Pine County line;
21 thence east along the Carlton-Pine County line to the east
22 boundary of the state; thence along the east, north, and
23 west boundaries of the state to the point of beginning.

24 Subp. 4. **South Mink/Muskrat/Beaver/Otter Zone.** That
25 portion of the state lying outside of the North
26 Mink/Muskrat/Beaver/Otter Zone is known as the South
27 Mink/Muskrat/Beaver/Otter Zone.

28 6234.1100 TAKING MINK AND MUSKRATS.

29 Subpart 1. **Open season in North Zone.** Mink and muskrats
30 may be taken by trapping from 9:00 a.m. on the Saturday nearest
31 October 26 to December 31 in the North Zone.

32 Subp. 2. **Open season in South Zone.** Mink and muskrats may
33 be taken by trapping from 9:00 a.m. on the Saturday nearest
34 October 30 to December 31 in the South Zone.

35 Subp. 3. **Bag limits.** Mink and muskrats may be taken and
36 possessed without limit.

37 Subp. 4. **Special provisions.** The special provisions in
38 items A to C apply to taking mink and muskrats.

39 A. Taking by the use of dogs or by digging is
40 prohibited.

41 B. Openings may be made in any muskrat house for the
42 purpose of trapping if they are plugged by replacing all
43 materials removed and wetting the materials down to prevent

1 freezing within the structure. Traps may be set at natural
2 entrances to muskrat runways and bank burrows.

3 C. A person may not damage any muskrat house, muskrat
4 runway, or muskrat bank den, except as provided by this part.

5 6234.1200 TAKING RACCOON.

6 Subpart 1. **Open season.** Raccoons may be taken statewide
7 with legal firearms, bow and arrow, and by trapping from 9:00
8 a.m. on the Saturday nearest October 15 to December 31.

9 Subp. 2. **Bag limits.** Residents may take and possess
10 raccoons without limit. Nonresidents may not take more than 20
11 raccoons per season or possess more than 20 raccoons at a time.

12 Subp. 3. **Special provisions.** The special provisions in
13 items A and B apply to taking raccoons.

14 A. A person may use an artificial light to locate,
15 attempt to locate, or shoot a raccoon only if the raccoon has
16 been treed or put at bay by dogs. The use of dogs and lights to
17 take raccoon is regulated as provided by Minnesota Statutes,
18 sections 97B.081, 97B.621, and 97B.931.

19 B. Each raccoon or, if the pelt is removed, the pelt
20 of a raccoon taken by a nonresident must be tagged by the person
21 taking it at the time and place where taken with a locking
22 possession tag furnished with the license. These tags must be
23 fastened to the raccoon or its pelt in the manner as provided by
24 part 6234.2600.

25 6234.1300 TAKING RED FOX AND GRAY FOX.

26 Subpart 1. **Open season.** Red fox and gray fox may be taken
27 statewide with legal firearms, bow and arrow, and by trapping
28 from 9:00 a.m. on the Saturday nearest September 16 to March 15.

29 Subp. 2. **Bag limits.** Residents may take and possess red
30 fox and gray fox without limit. Nonresidents may not take more
31 than an aggregate of five red and gray fox per season, or
32 possess more than an aggregate of five red and gray fox at a
33 time.

34 Subp. 3. **Tagging.** Each red or gray fox or, if the pelt is
35 removed, the pelt of red fox or gray fox taken by a nonresident

1 must be tagged by the person taking it at the time and place
2 where taken with a locking possession tag furnished with the
3 license. These tags must be fastened to the fox or its pelt in
4 the manner as provided by part 6234.2600.

5 Subp. 4. **Special provisions.** The special provisions in
6 items A and B apply to taking red fox and gray fox.

7 A. Fox may be run without being taken by the use of
8 dogs at any time during the year except from March 16 to July 14
9 or under permit.

10 B. Dogs may be used for hunting fox during the open
11 season.

12 6234.1400 TAKING BADGER AND OPOSSUM.

13 Subpart 1. **Open season.** Badgers and opossums may be taken
14 statewide with legal firearms, bow and arrow, and by trapping
15 from 9:00 a.m. on the Friday nearest October 22 to the last day
16 in February.

17 Subp. 2. **Bag limits.** Badgers and opossums may be taken
18 and possessed without limit.

19 6234.1500 TAKING LYNX.

20 Taking lynx is prohibited statewide.

21 6234.1600 TAKING BOBCAT.

22 Subpart 1. **Open season.** Bobcats may be taken with legal
23 firearms, bow and arrow, and by trapping from the Saturday
24 nearest December 1 to the Sunday nearest January 6.

25 Subp. 2. **Open area.** Bobcats may be taken only in that
26 area of the state lying north of U.S. Highway 10.

27 Subp. 3. **Bag limits.** A person may not take more than five
28 bobcats per season by either hunting or trapping or both. A
29 person may not possess more than five bobcats at a time, except
30 that a person may possess additional pelts that the person
31 lawfully took, tagged, and registered during previous seasons.

32 Subp. 4. **Tagging bobcats.** Pelts and skinned carcasses are
33 subject to the provisions of part 6234.2600. Each bobcat or
34 pelt taken by a nonresident must be tagged by the person taking

1 it at the time and place where taken with a locking possession
2 tag furnished with the license. These tags must be fastened to
3 bobcats or pelts in the manner as provided by part 6234.2600.

4 6234.1700 TAKING FISHER.

5 Subpart 1. **Open season and area.** Fisher may be taken only
6 in the Forest Furbearer Zone by trapping from the Saturday
7 nearest December 1 to the Sunday nearest December 16.

8 Subp. 2. **Bag limits.** A person may not take more than one
9 fisher per season or possess more than one fisher at a time,
10 except that a person may possess additional pelts that the
11 person lawfully took, tagged, and registered during previous
12 seasons.

13 Subp. 3. **Tagging.** Each fisher pelt must be tagged by the
14 person taking it at the time and place where taken with a
15 locking possession tag issued by the state. These tags must be
16 obtained prior to the season according to the procedure provided
17 by part 6234.2600. Tags will not be issued to persons under
18 five years of age. Tags must be fastened to fisher pelts in the
19 manner provided by part 6234.2600. Pelts and skinned carcasses
20 are subject to the provisions of part 6234.2600.

21 6234.1800 TAKING PINE MARTEN.

22 Subpart 1. **Open season.** Pine marten may be taken by
23 trapping from the Saturday nearest December 1 to the Sunday
24 nearest December 16.

25 Subp. 2. **Open area.** Pine marten may be taken only in the
26 following described area:

27 Beginning at the north boundary of the state at the point
28 due north of the junction of State Trunk Highway (STH) 11
29 and STH 72; thence due south to said junction; thence south
30 along STH 72 to STH 1; thence east along STH 1 to STH 65;
31 thence south along STH 65 to U.S. Highway 169; thence east
32 along U.S. Highway 169 to STH 37; thence east along STH 37
33 to U.S. Highway 53; thence south along U.S. Highway 53 to
34 the north shore of Lake Superior; thence along the north
35 shore of Lake Superior to the north boundary of the state;
36 thence along the north boundary of the state to the point
37 of beginning.

38 Subp. 3. **Bag limits.** A person may not take more than two
39 pine marten per season or possess more than two pine marten at a
40 time, except that a person may possess additional pelts which

1 the person has lawfully taken, tagged, and registered during
2 previous seasons.

3 Subp. 4. **Tagging pine marten.** Each pine marten or pelt
4 must be tagged by the person taking it at the time and place
5 where taken with a locking possession tag issued by the state.
6 These tags must be obtained prior to the season according to the
7 procedure provided by part 6234.2600. Tags will not be issued
8 to persons under five years of age. Tags must be fastened to
9 the pine marten or their pelts in the manner provided by part
10 6234.2600. Pelts and skinned carcasses are subject to the
11 provisions of part 6234.2600.

12 6234.1900 TAKING BEAVER.

13 Subpart 1. **Open season and bag limits for beaver in North**
14 **Zone.** Beaver may be taken and possessed without limit by
15 trapping from 9:00 a.m. on the Saturday nearest October 26 to
16 April 30.

17 Subp. 2. **Open season and bag limits for beaver in South**
18 **Zone.** Beaver may be taken and possessed without limit by
19 trapping from 9:00 a.m. on the Saturday nearest October 30 to
20 April 30.

21 6234.2000 TAKING OTTER.

22 Subpart 1. **Open season for otter in North Zone.** Otter may
23 be taken by trapping from 9:00 a.m. on the Saturday nearest
24 October 26 to the Sunday nearest January 6.

25 Subp. 2. **Open season and area for otter in South Zone.**
26 Otter may be taken only in that portion of the zone lying north
27 of U.S. Highway 10 by trapping from 9:00 a.m. on the Saturday
28 nearest October 30 to the Sunday nearest January 6.

29 Subp. 3. **Bag limits.** A person may not take more than four
30 otter per season, or possess more than four otter at a time,
31 except that a person may possess additional pelts that the
32 person lawfully took, tagged, and registered during previous
33 seasons.

34 Subp. 4. **Tagging otter.** Each otter or pelt must be tagged
35 by the person taking it at the time and place where taken with a

1 locking possession tag issued by the state. These tags must be
2 obtained according to the procedure provided by part 6234.2600.
3 Tags will not be issued to a person under five years of age.
4 Tags must be fastened to otter or their pelts in the manner
5 provided by part 6234.2600. Pelts are subject to the provisions
6 of part 6234.2600.

7 6234.2100 SPECIAL PROVISIONS FOR TAKING BEAVER AND OTTER.

8 Subpart 1. **Setting of traps.** Traps of any kind may not be
9 set inside a beaver house or above the water line on the outside
10 of a beaver house.

11 Subp. 2. **Damage to beaver house or dam.** A person may not
12 damage a beaver house or dam.

13 Subp. 3. **Use of snowmobiles and all-terrain vehicles.**
14 Snowmobiles and all-terrain vehicles may be used statewide to
15 transport or check beaver or otter traps and to transport beaver
16 or otter carcasses.

17 Subp. 4. **Taking in wildlife management areas.** Beaver and
18 otter may be taken by licensed trappers in wildlife management
19 areas by permit issued by the appropriate state wildlife manager.

20 Subp. 5. **Taking in federal waterfowl production areas.**
21 Waterfowl production areas are open to the trapping of beaver
22 and otter during established seasons.

23 Subp. 6. **Taking in national wildlife refuges.** Within the
24 Agassiz, Minnesota Valley, Rice Lake, Sherburne, Tamarac, and
25 Upper Mississippi National Wildlife Refuges, beaver may be taken
26 by licensed trappers by permit issued by the appropriate refuge
27 manager. All other national wildlife refuges are closed to
28 beaver trapping. All national wildlife refuges are closed to
29 otter trapping.

30 USE OF TRAPS

31 6234.2200 USE OF TRAPS.

32 Subpart 1. **Trap-tending hours and use of lights.**
33 Trap-tending hours and use of lights are regulated as provided
34 by Minnesota Statutes, section 97B.931.

35 Subp. 2. **Trap-tending interval; nondrowning sets.** Any

1 trap capable of capturing a protected wild animal and not
2 capable of drowning the animal must be tended at least once each
3 calendar day and any animal captured must be removed from the
4 trap.

5 Subp. 3. **Trap-tending interval; drowning sets.** Except for
6 traps set under the ice, any trap capable of drowning the
7 captured animal must be tended at least once each third calendar
8 day and any animal captured must be removed from the trap.

9 Subp. 4. **Exposed bait.** A person may not set or maintain
10 any leghold trap within 20 feet of bait located in such a manner
11 that it may be seen by soaring birds.

12 Subp. 5. **Size restriction on body-gripping traps.** A
13 person may not set, place, or operate, except as a waterset, any
14 body-gripping or "conibear" type trap that has a maximum jaw
15 opening, when set, of greater than 7-1/2 inches measured from
16 the inside edges of the body-gripping portions of the jaws.

17 Subp. 6. **Size restriction on leghold traps.** A person may
18 not set, place, or operate any leghold trap that has a maximum
19 jaw opening, when set, of greater than 8-3/4 inches measured
20 from the inside edges of the jaws.

21 Subp. 7. **Placement of body-gripping traps.** A person may
22 not set, place, or operate in or within three feet of a culvert,
23 except as a completely submerged waterset, any body-gripping or
24 "conibear" type trap that has a maximum jaw opening, when set,
25 of greater than 6-1/2 inches measured from the inside edges of
26 the body-gripping portions of the jaws.

27 Subp. 8. **Multiple-catch traps.** A trap capable of taking
28 more than one animal at a time may not be used.

29 Subp. 9. **Preemption of trapping site.** Prior to the
30 opening of the trapping season for any protected species of wild
31 animal, no trap, either set or unset, may be placed or staked
32 and no flag, stake, or other device may be placed for the
33 purpose of marking or preempting a trapping site.

34 Subp. 10. **Removal of traps.** A trap placed for a protected
35 wild animal may not be left in place, either set or unset, after
36 the close of the applicable trapping season.

1 Subp. 11. **Use of dogs while setting or tending traps.** A
2 person may not be accompanied by a dog while engaged in tending
3 or setting traps for protected wild animals, unless the dog is
4 harnessed and attached to a sled or securely tethered to a tree
5 or other stationary object with a leash of no more than 15 feet
6 in length.

7 Subp. 12. **Authorized agent.** A trapper may authorize, in
8 writing, an agent who possesses all necessary licenses to check,
9 pick up, and reset, at the same site, traps set by the trapper.
10 Authorized agents may remove trapped animals and, if the animal
11 removed from the trap is required to be tagged as provided by
12 part 6234.2600, must affix their own tag to the animal as
13 prescribed.

14 USE OF SNARES

15 6234.2300 GENERAL RESTRICTIONS ON USE OF SNARES.

16 Subpart 1. **Regulation of snares as traps.** Unless
17 otherwise specified, snares may be used for taking all species
18 of protected wild animals that may be taken by the use of
19 traps. The use of snares is subject to all rules for the use of
20 traps that are consistent with parts 6234.2300 to 6234.2500.

21 Subp. 2. **Snaring fox.** Snares may not be used for taking
22 fox in the Farmland Furbearer Zone. Snares may be used for
23 taking fox in the Forest Furbearer Zone by permit issued by a
24 conservation officer. Permits are effective during the regular
25 fox trapping season and are valid until revoked.

26 Subp. 3. **Snaring bobcat and lynx.** Bobcat and lynx may not
27 be taken by the use of snares.

28 6234.2400 SPECIAL RESTRICTIONS ON USE OF SNARES.

29 Subpart 1. **Scope.** The provisions of parts 6234.2300 to
30 6234.2500 apply to the use of snares capable of taking a wild
31 animal protected under provisions of Minnesota Statutes,
32 sections 97B.601 to 97B.671 or 97B.901 to 97B.945.

33 Subp. 2. **Watersets in Farmland Zone.** In the Farmland
34 Furbearer Zone, a person may not set, place, or operate any
35 snare except as a waterset.

1 Subp. 3. Snaring in culverts. A person may not set,
2 place, or operate a snare in a culvert, except as a completely
3 submerged waterset.

4 Subp. 4. Removal of snares. A snare set for a protected
5 mammal may not be left in place after the close of the
6 applicable trapping season.

7 Subp. 5. Prohibition on snares placed in deer trails.
8 Snares may not be set in deer trails.

9 Subp. 6. Use of spring poles. Snares may not be used with
10 spring poles or other devices where an animal caught in the
11 snare will be wholly or partly lifted from the ground.

12 Subp. 7. Snare height. A snare may not be set so that the
13 top of the loop is more than 16 inches above the ground or, when
14 the ground is snow-covered, more than 16 inches above the bottom
15 of a person's footprint made in the snow beneath the snare with
16 full body weight on the foot.

17 Subp. 8. Snare loop diameter. The diameter of a snare
18 loop may not exceed ten inches.

19 Subp. 9. Snare cable diameter. Snare cable or wire may
20 not exceed one-eighth inch in diameter.

21 Subp. 10. Tending snares. All snares not capable of
22 drowning the captured animal must be tended at least once each
23 calendar day and any animal captured must be removed from the
24 snare.

25 6234.2500 USE OF SNARES BY PREDATOR CONTROLLERS.

26 Certified predator controllers may use snares statewide at
27 any time while conducting predator control authorized by the
28 commissioner as provided by this chapter.

29 TAGGING AND REGISTRATION OF PELTS

30 6234.2600 PELT TAGGING AND REGISTRATION.

31 Subpart 1. Possession tag application. Possession tags
32 may be obtained as provided in items A to E.

33 A. Application for fisher, otter, or pine marten
34 possession tags must be made on forms provided by the
35 commissioner. Persons who have reached their 13th birthday by

1 the Friday nearest October 29 may not apply for possession tags
2 without first purchasing a valid trapping license. Persons who
3 have not yet reached their 13th birthday by the Friday nearest
4 October 29 may apply for possession tags by supplying their
5 birth date in place of trapping license number, except that no
6 possession tags will be issued to persons born less than five
7 years prior to the application deadline.

8 B. A person may not submit more than one application
9 for a legal allotment of fisher, otter, and pine marten
10 possession tags. Any application that is not completed in
11 accordance with the instructions on the application will be
12 rejected.

13 C. Completed applications must be either mailed or
14 delivered to the License Bureau.

15 D. The application deadline is the Friday nearest
16 October 29.

17 E. The applicant's portion of the possession tag
18 application will be completed by the department and returned to
19 the applicant. This portion is a part of the trapper's license
20 to take fisher, otter, and pine marten and must be in the
21 trapper's possession while taking or transporting these species.

22 Subp. 2. **Possession tagging.** Any possession tag or seal
23 required to be affixed to a pelt at the time and place where
24 taken must be fastened through the mouth and one eye opening in
25 such a way that it cannot be removed without breaking the lock.
26 Furbearer tags are not transferable.

27 Subp. 3. **Registration of pelts.** The pelt of each bobcat,
28 fisher, pine marten, and otter and the whole carcass of each
29 bobcat and pine marten must be presented, by the person taking
30 it, to a conservation officer for registration before the pelt
31 is sold and before the pelt is transported out of the state, but
32 in no event more than 48 hours after the season closes. The
33 entire carcass of bobcat and pine marten and the lower jaw or
34 head of fisher must be surrendered to the conservation officer.
35 The pelt of bobcat, fisher, and pine marten must have been
36 removed from the carcass.

1 Subp. 4. Prohibition on tagging animals not personally
2 taken. A person may not affix any tag or seal to the pelt or
3 carcass of any animal that the person did not take or is not
4 authorized to take.

5 Subp. 5. Requirement for tags and seals to remain affixed.
6 Possession and registration tags or seals must remain affixed to
7 the raw pelt until the pelt is tanned or mounted.

8 SPECIAL FURBEARER RESTRICTIONS

9 6234.2700 SPECIAL RESTRICTIONS ON TAKING AND POSSESSION OF
10 FURBEARERS.

11 The restrictions in items A and B apply to the possession
12 and transportation of accidental captures.

13 A. A person may not possess or transport a fisher,
14 otter, pine marten, fox, bobcat, lynx, or timber wolf that was
15 accidentally killed or was lawfully killed while causing or
16 threatening injury or damage until the person notifies the local
17 conservation officer, other authorized department employee, or
18 regional enforcement office, of the killing and receives
19 authorization to possess, transport, or skin the animal.

20 B. A person may possess or transport mink, muskrat,
21 beaver, badger, opossum, or raccoon accidentally killed or
22 lawfully killed while causing or threatening injury or damage,
23 only if the local conservation officer or other authorized
24 employee of the department is notified within 24 hours of such
25 killing and before any skinning has begun.

26 TAKE A KID HUNTING

27 6234.3500 TAKE A KID HUNTING.

28 Take A Kid Hunting Weekend, as provided by Minnesota
29 Statutes, section 97A.445, is the weekend beginning on the
30 Saturday nearest September 23.

31 TURKEYS

32 TURKEY HUNTING

33 6236.0100 DEFINITIONS.

34 Subpart 1. Scope. The terms used in this chapter have the

1 meanings given them in this part.

2 Subp. 2. **Agricultural or grazing land.** "Agricultural
3 land" or "grazing land" has the meaning given "agricultural
4 land" under Minnesota Statutes, section 97B.001.

5 Subp. 3. **Bearded turkey.** "Bearded turkey" means a turkey
6 with a visible beard. A beard is a feathered appendage
7 protruding from the breast and generally found only on males.

8 Subp. 4. **Landowner or tenant.** "Landowner" or "tenant"
9 means a person who is an owner or tenant of and who lives on at
10 least 40 acres of agricultural or grazing land within the zone
11 being applied for.

12 6236.0200 TURKEY LICENSE ELIGIBILITY.

13 To be eligible for a turkey license, a person must not have
14 any small game hunting privileges revoked within one year prior
15 to purchasing a turkey license.

16 6236.0300 TURKEY HUNT DRAWING.

17 Subpart 1. **License application drawings.** Drawings will be
18 conducted by the department to determine persons who will be
19 eligible to purchase licenses for each season. The drawings
20 will be subject to the quotas established by the commissioner.
21 Preference in the respective drawings is given to applicants
22 based upon the number of times they have correctly applied for a
23 license for that hunt but have been unsuccessful. A person
24 selected by the drawings is eligible to purchase a license to
25 hunt turkey. Upon issuance of a turkey license for the spring
26 or fall season, all accumulated preference for that season is
27 lost.

28 Subp. 2. **Participation in application drawings.**

29 Applicants may complete an application form for either the
30 spring or fall turkey hunt or both. Qualifying individuals may
31 apply for the resident landowner-tenant turkey drawing. All of
32 the following information must be supplied on the application
33 forms:

34 A. A resident applicant 18 years or older must
35 provide the applicant's individual Minnesota driver's license

1 number of 13 characters, a 13-character firearms safety number,
2 or an official state of Minnesota identification number of 13
3 characters issued by the Department of Public Safety.

4 B. A nonresident 18 years or older must provide a
5 driver's license number or other identification number.

6 C. A resident or nonresident applicant age 12 to 15
7 by the opening day of the season may provide one of the above
8 numbers or may participate in the drawing without a number by
9 providing the applicant's full first, middle, and last name and
10 date of birth. Youthful applicants who do not provide a number
11 will be placed into the drawing using a number generated by the
12 department.

13 D. An applicant must choose one of the zones and one
14 of the time periods.

15 E. Up to four persons desiring to hunt together as a
16 group may apply by submitting their drawing applications in one
17 envelope. Applications by a group must all be for the same zone
18 and time period. The person within a group with the lowest
19 preference rating will determine the preference rating of the
20 group. Properly completed applications which are submitted in
21 one envelope will either all be selected or none selected.
22 Mixing landowner-tenant applications with general applications
23 will not be permitted for purposes of applying as a group.

24 F. A person who makes a faulty application or who
25 applies as a landowner or tenant but does not meet the
26 definition as provided by this part will be ineligible for that
27 season's drawings.

28 G. Application deadlines are as follows:

29 (1) spring season: the first Friday in December;
30 and

31 (2) fall season: the Friday nearest June 29.

32 Subp. 3. Landowner-tenant drawing. A landowner-tenant
33 license application drawing will be held subject to the
34 following restrictions:

35 A. An applicant must meet all eligibility
36 requirements and must provide a complete and accurate

1 description of the qualifying land.

2 B. An applicant must be a landowner, tenant, or a
3 member of the landowner's or tenant's immediate family.

4 C. For each zone and time period, no more than 20
5 percent of the successful participants will be drawn from the
6 special landowner-tenant applications.

7 D. An individual participant in the landowner-tenant
8 drawing may submit only one application and only for the turkey
9 zone in which the participant resides.

10 E. Applicants unsuccessful in the landowner-tenant
11 drawing will be included in the general drawing.

12 F. Landowner-tenant licensees must allow turkey
13 hunting as provided by Minnesota Statutes, section 97A.435, and
14 the commissioner will provide descriptions of these lands to
15 licensed turkey hunters.

16 Subp. 4. **Modification of quota numbers for group**
17 **applications.** The quota of licenses or permits for a drawing
18 may be increased to accommodate group members if the last
19 applicant to be selected is a member of a group.

20 Subp. 5. **Drawing application fee.** An applicant must
21 submit, along with the application, a cashier's check, money
22 order, or personal check payable to the Minnesota Department of
23 Natural Resources. Any check that is returned to the department
24 for nonpayment will invalidate the application and the check
25 will be destroyed. Refunds of application fees will not be made
26 for any reason.

27 Subp. 6. **Undersubscribed zones.** A second preference
28 drawing may be held for undersubscribed time periods. All
29 unsuccessful applicants for the zone that includes the
30 undersubscribed time period will be eligible for the second
31 drawing.

32 6236.0400 OBTAINING LICENSE.

33 The following provisions apply to persons who have applied
34 for a turkey license:

35 A. Only successful applicants will be notified.

1 B. Successful applicants will receive a license
2 application with instructions for obtaining their licenses.
3 Persons who do not return the license application and the fee
4 according to the provisions specified on the license application
5 or who do not provide all the requested information will be
6 disqualified.

7 6236.0500 TURKEY HUNT LICENSE RESTRICTIONS.

8 Turkey hunters licensed for the same zone and time period
9 may assist other licensed turkey hunters but each hunter may not
10 shoot or tag a turkey for another hunter.

11 6236.0600 SPRING TURKEY SEASON.

12 Subpart 1. **Open dates.** The spring turkey season opens the
13 Wednesday nearest April 15 and consists of seven consecutive
14 five-day periods.

15 Subp. 2. **Shooting hours.** Shooting hours for turkeys
16 during the spring season are from one-half hour before sunrise
17 to 12 noon.

18 Subp. 3. **Bag limit.** The bag limit for the spring season
19 is one bearded turkey.

20 Subp. 4. **Open areas.** Eleven turkey zones, numbered
21 between 1 and 21, are open during the spring turkey season.

22 6236.0700 FALL TURKEY SEASON.

23 Subpart 1. **Open dates.** The fall turkey season consists of
24 two five-day periods, the first period beginning the Wednesday
25 nearest October 15 and the second beginning the Wednesday
26 nearest October 22.

27 Subp. 2. **Shooting hours.** Shooting hours for turkeys
28 during the fall season are one-half hour before sunrise to
29 sunset.

30 Subp. 3. **Bag limit.** The bag limit for the fall season is
31 one turkey of either sex or any age.

32 Subp. 4. **Open areas.** Turkey Zones 1 through 4 are open
33 for the fall turkey season.

34 6236.0800 TURKEY ZONE DESCRIPTIONS.

1 Subpart 1. **Turkey Zone 1.** Turkey Zone 1 consists of that
2 portion of the state lying within the following described
3 boundary:

4 Beginning at the intersection of State Trunk Highway (STH)
5 16 and the east boundary of the state; thence along STH 16
6 to STH 44; thence along STH 44 to County State Aid Highway
7 (CSAH) 4, Houston County; thence along CSAH 4 to the south
8 boundary of the state; thence along the south boundary of
9 the state to the east boundary of the state; thence along
10 the east boundary of the state to the point of beginning.

11 Subp. 2. **Turkey Zone 2.** Turkey Zone 2 consists of that
12 portion of the state lying within the following described
13 boundary:

14 Beginning at the intersection of State Trunk Highway (STH)
15 16 and the east boundary of the state; thence along STH 16
16 to STH 44; thence along STH 44 to County State Aid Highway
17 (CSAH) 4, Houston County; thence along CSAH 4 to the south
18 boundary of the state; thence along the south boundary of
19 the state to CSAH 28, Fillmore County; thence along CSAH 28
20 to STH 43; thence along STH 43 to Interstate (I) 90; thence
21 along I 90 to CSAH 33, Winona County; thence along CSAH 33
22 to STH 248; thence along STH 248 to CSAH 31, Winona County;
23 thence along CSAH 31 to CSAH 28, Winona County; thence
24 along CSAH 28 to CSAH 25, Winona County; thence along CSAH
25 25 to the intersection of CSAH 25 and U.S. Highway 61;
26 thence due east to the east boundary of the state; thence
27 along the east boundary of the state to the point of
28 beginning.

29 Subp. 3. **Turkey Zone 3.** Turkey Zone 3 consists of that
30 portion of the state lying within the following described
31 boundary:

32 Beginning at the intersection of U.S. Highway 52 and
33 Interstate (I) 90; thence along I 90 to State Trunk Highway
34 (STH) 43, Winona County; thence along STH 43 to County
35 State Aid Highway (CSAH) 28, Fillmore County; thence along
36 CSAH 28 to the south boundary of the state to CSAH 12,
37 Mower County; thence along STH 56 to CSAH 8; thence along
38 CSAH 8 to I 90; thence along I 90 to the point of beginning.

39 Subp. 4. **Turkey Zone 4.** Turkey Zone 4 consists of that
40 portion of the state lying within the following described
41 boundary:

42 Beginning at the intersection of Interstate (I) 90 at
43 County State Aid Highway (CSAH) 7, Olmsted County; thence
44 along CSAH 7 to State Trunk Highway (STH) 42; thence along
45 STH 42 to the intersection of STH 42 and U.S. Highway 61;
46 thence along U.S. Highway 61 to the Zumbro River; thence
47 along the Zumbro River to the Mississippi River; thence due
48 east to the east boundary of the state; thence along the
49 east boundary of the state to a point lying directly east
50 of the intersection of U.S. Highway 61 and CSAH 25, Winona
51 County; thence due west to the intersection of CSAH 25 and
52 U.S. Highway 61; thence along CSAH 25 to CSAH 28, Winona
53 County; thence along CSAH 28 to CSAH 31, Winona County;
54 thence along CSAH 31 to STH 248; thence along STH 248 to
55 CSAH 33, Winona County; thence along CSAH 33 to I 90;
56 thence along I 90 to the point of beginning.

1 Subp. 5. **Turkey Zone 5.** Turkey Zone 5 consists of that
2 portion of the state lying within the following described
3 boundary:

4 Beginning at the intersection of U.S. Highway 61 and County
5 State Aid Highway (CSAH) 19, Goodhue County; thence along
6 CSAH 19 to the intersection of U.S. Lock and Dam No. 3
7 access road located at the north quarter corner of Section
8 5, Township 113 North, Range 15 West, Goodhue County;
9 thence due east to the east boundary of the state; thence
10 along the east boundary of the state to a point due east of
11 the intersection of the Zumbro River and the Mississippi
12 River; thence due west to the Zumbro River; thence along
13 the Zumbro River to U.S. Highway 61; thence along U.S.
14 Highway 61 to State Trunk Highway (STH) 42; thence along
15 STH 42 to CSAH 7, thence along CSAH 7 to Interstate (I) 90;
16 thence along I 90 to U.S. Highway 52; thence along U.S.
17 Highway 52 to U.S. Highway 14; thence along U.S. Highway 14
18 to STH 57; thence along STH 57 to CSAH 60 to Interstate (I)
19 35, Rice County; thence along I 35 to STH 19; thence along
20 STH 19 to STH 20; thence along STH 20 to U.S. Highway 61;
21 thence along U.S. Highway 61 to the point of beginning.

22 Subp. 6. **Turkey Zone 10.** Turkey Zone 10 consists of that
23 portion of the state lying within the following described
24 boundary:

25 Beginning at the intersection of State Trunk Highway (STH)
26 25 and County State Aid Highway (CSAH) 14, Sibley County;
27 thence along CSAH 14 to CSAH 53, Carver County; thence
28 along CSAH 53 to U.S. Highway 212; thence along U.S.
29 Highway 212 to STH 101; thence along STH 101 to CSAH 17,
30 Scott County; thence along CSAH 17 to STH 13; thence along
31 STH 13 to STH 19; thence along STH 19 to CSAH 3, Scott
32 County; thence along CSAH 3 to STH 25; thence along STH 25
33 to the point of beginning.

34 Subp. 7. **Turkey Zone 11.** Turkey Zone 11 consists of that
35 portion of the state lying within the following described
36 boundary:

37 Beginning at the intersection of County State Aid Highway
38 (CSAH) 8, Sibley County and the midpoint of the Minnesota
39 River; thence along CSAH 8 to CSAH 9, Sibley County; thence
40 along CSAH 9 to State Trunk Highway (STH) 5; thence along
41 STH 5 to STH 25; thence along STH 25 to CSAH 3, Scott
42 County; thence along CSAH 3 to STH 19; thence along STH 19
43 to U.S. Highway 169; thence along U.S. Highway 169 to the
44 midpoint of the Minnesota River; thence along the midpoint
45 of the Minnesota River to the point of beginning.

46 Subp. 8. **Turkey Zone 12.** Turkey Zone 12 consists of that
47 portion of the state lying within the following described
48 boundary:

49 Beginning at the intersection of U.S. Highway 169 and State
50 Trunk Highway (STH) 68; thence along STH 68 to County State
51 Aid Highway (CSAH) 45, Blue Earth County; thence along CSAH
52 45 to CSAH 24, Nicollet County; thence along CSAH 24 to
53 U.S. Highway 14; thence along U.S. Highway 14 to CSAH 12,
54 Nicollet County; thence along CSAH 12 to CSAH 5, Nicollet
55 County; thence along CSAH 5 to CSAH 2, Nicollet County;
56 thence along CSAH 2 to CSAH 3, Nicollet County; thence

1 along CSAH 3 to CSAH 9, Sibley County; thence along CSAH 9
 2 to CSAH 8, Sibley County; thence along CSAH 8 to the
 3 midpoint of the Minnesota River; thence along the midpoint
 4 of the Minnesota River to U.S. Highway 14; thence along
 5 U.S. Highway 14 to U.S. Highway 169; thence along U.S.
 6 Highway 169 to the point of beginning.

7 Subp. 9. **Turkey Zone 13.** Turkey Zone 13 consists of that
 8 portion of the state lying within the following described
 9 boundary:

10 Beginning at the intersection of State Trunk Highway (STH)
 11 30 and U.S. Highway 169; thence along STH 30 to STH 22;
 12 thence along STH 22 to U.S. Highway 14; thence along U.S.
 13 Highway 14 to U.S. Highway 169; thence along U.S. Highway
 14 169 to the point of beginning.

15 Subp. 10. **Turkey Zone 20.** Turkey Zone 20 consists of that
 16 portion of the state lying within the following described
 17 boundary:

18 Beginning at the intersection of State Trunk Highway (STH)
 19 98 and U.S. Highway 61; thence along U.S. Highway 61 to
 20 County State Aid Highway (CSAH) 30, Chisago County; thence
 21 along CSAH 30 to STH 95; thence along STH 95 to CSAH 9,
 22 Chisago County; thence along CSAH 9 to U.S. Highway 8;
 23 thence along U.S. Highway 8 to STH 98; thence along STH 98
 24 to the point of beginning.

25 Subp. 11. **Turkey Zone 21.** Turkey Zone 21 consists of that
 26 portion of the state lying within the following described
 27 boundary:

28 All of Washington County.

29 6236.0900 SPECIAL PROVISIONS FOR TAKING TURKEYS.

30 Subpart 1. **Use of dogs.** A person may not be accompanied
 31 by a dog or dogs while taking turkeys.

32 Subp. 2. **Electronic devices.** Turkeys may not be taken
 33 with the aid of any electronic device.

34 Subp. 3. **Live decoys.** The use of live decoys is
 35 prohibited while taking turkeys.

36 TURKEY HUNTING GUIDES

37 6236.1100 LICENSE REQUIREMENTS FOR GUIDES.

38 A person is qualified to obtain a turkey hunting guide
 39 license only in the zone and during the dates that their turkey
 40 hunting license is valid.

41 6236.1300 GUIDE LICENSE PURCHASE DEADLINE.

42 A turkey hunting guide license must be obtained before the

1 individual season for which the guide has a valid turkey hunting
2 license.

3 FALCONRY

4 6238.0100 DEFINITIONS.

5 Subpart 1. **Scope.** The terms used in this chapter have the
6 meanings given them in this part.

7 Subp. 2. **Bred in captivity or captive-bred.** "Bred in
8 captivity" or "captive-bred" means raptors, including eggs,
9 hatched or produced in captivity from parents that mated or
10 otherwise transferred gametes in captivity.

11 Subp. 3. **Eyases.** "Eyases" means young raptors not yet
12 capable of sustained flight.

13 Subp. 4. **Falconry.** "Falconry" means the taking of quarry
14 by means of a trained raptor.

15 Subp. 5. **Passage raptor.** "Passage raptor" means a
16 juvenile raptor capable of flight.

17 Subp. 6. **Permit.** "Permit" means a falconry permit issued
18 by the commissioner under part 6238.0200, unless otherwise
19 specified.

20 Subp. 7. **Raptor.** "Raptor" means a live bird of the family
21 Falconidae, or the great horned owl (*Bubo virginianus*), or of
22 the family Accipitridae, other than the bald eagle (*Haliaeetus*
23 *leucocephalus*) and the golden eagle (*Aquila chrysaetos*).

24 Subp. 8. **Take.** "Take" means to trap, capture, or attempt
25 to trap or capture for falconry purposes.

26 6238.0200 FALCONRY PERMIT.

27 Subpart 1. **Permit requirements for residents.** Unless a
28 falconry permit has been obtained from the commissioner, a
29 resident of this state may not take, possess, transport,
30 transfer, use, sell, purchase, barter, or offer to sell,
31 purchase, or barter raptors or their eggs.

32 Subp. 2. **Permit requirements for nonresidents.**
33 Nonresidents who have a valid falconry permit in the country,
34 state, province, or territory of their residence or who are
35 lawfully entitled or permitted to practice falconry may

1 transport, possess, and use raptors for falconry purposes in
2 this state on a temporary basis for periods of up to 30
3 consecutive days without obtaining written permission from the
4 commissioner. Nonresidents may acquire captive bred raptors or
5 their eggs for falconry purposes in this state. While in this
6 state, nonresidents must comply with all applicable provisions
7 of this chapter.

8 Subp. 3. **Permit application.** An applicant for a permit
9 must be a resident of this state and must submit a fully
10 completed application form to the commissioner.

11 Subp. 4. **Examination for permit.** A permit may not be
12 issued until the applicant has obtained a score of at least 80
13 percent on a supervised examination provided by the
14 commissioner. An applicant who fails the examination must wait
15 a minimum of two weeks before retaking the examination.

16 Subp. 5. **Inspection.** Before a falconry permit is issued,
17 the raptor housing facilities and falconry equipment must be
18 inspected and approved by the commissioner. If necessary, an
19 inspection may be conducted prior to permit renewal.

20 Subp. 6. **Facility standards.** Applicants must possess the
21 minimum facilities in items A and B.

22 A. Indoor facilities (mews) must be large enough to
23 allow easy access for care of the raptors housed in the
24 facility. If more than one raptor is to be kept in the mews,
25 raptors must be tethered or separated by partitions and the area
26 for each bird must be large enough to allow the bird to fully
27 extend its wings. There must be a secure door that can be
28 easily closed, and at least one window, protected on the inside
29 by vertical bars, spaced narrower than the width of the bird's
30 body. The floor of the mews must permit easy cleaning and must
31 be well drained. Adequate perches must be provided. If tethers
32 are used, they must be at least long enough to allow the birds
33 to reach the floor.

34 B. Outdoor facilities (weathering area) must be
35 fenced and covered with netting or wire, or roofed to protect
36 the birds from disturbance and attack by predators except that

1 perches more than 6-1/2 feet high need not be covered or
2 roofed. The enclosed area must be large enough to ensure the
3 birds cannot strike the fence when flying from the perch.
4 Protection from excessive sun, wind, and inclement weather must
5 be provided for each bird. Adequate perches must be provided.
6 If tethers are used, they must be at least long enough to allow
7 the birds to reach the ground.

8 Subp. 7. **Equipment standards.** An applicant must possess
9 the following minimum equipment:

10 A. at least one pair of Alymeri jesses or similar
11 type constructed of pliable, high-quality leather or suitable
12 synthetic material, to be used when any raptor is flown free
13 (traditional one-piece jesses may be used on raptors when not
14 being flown);

15 B. at least one flexible, weather-resistant leash and
16 one strong swivel of acceptable falconry design as specified in
17 information provided by the department;

18 C. at least one suitable drinking and bathing
19 container for each raptor, two to six inches deep and of a width
20 and length each greater than the length of the raptor;

21 D. at least one weathering area perch of an
22 acceptable design, as specified in information provided by the
23 department, for each raptor; and

24 E. a reliable scale or balance suitable for weighing
25 a raptor, graduated to increments of not more than one-half
26 ounce (15 grams).

27 Subp. 8. **Maintenance.** Facilities and equipment must meet
28 the standards provided by this part at all times.

29 6238.0300 FALCONRY PERMIT CLASSES.

30 Specifications for the three classes of falconry permits
31 are contained in items A to C.

32 A. A Class III (apprentice) permittee:

33 (1) must be at least 14 years old;

34 (2) must be sponsored during the first two years
35 in which an apprentice permit is held, regardless of the age of

1 the permittee. The sponsor must be the holder of a Class II
2 (general) or Class I (master) falconry permit. A sponsor may
3 not have more than three apprentices at any one time;

4 (3) may not possess more than one raptor and may
5 not obtain more than one raptor for replacement during any
6 12-month period;

7 (4) may possess only the following raptors, which
8 must be taken from the wild: an American kestrel (*Falco*
9 *sparverius*), or a red-tailed hawk (*Buteo jamaicensis*); and

10 (5) may only take an adult or passage kestrel or
11 a passage red-tailed hawk from the wild.

12 B. A Class II (general) permittee:

13 (1) must be at least 18 years old;

14 (2) must have at least two years' experience in
15 the practice of falconry at the Class III level or its
16 equivalent;

17 (3) may not possess more than two raptors and may
18 not obtain more than two raptors for replacement birds during
19 any 12-month period; and

20 (4) may not take, transport, or possess any owls
21 or any species listed as threatened or endangered under state or
22 federal law.

23 C. A Class I (master) permittee:

24 (1) must have at least five years' experience in
25 the practice of falconry at the Class II level or its
26 equivalent;

27 (2) may not possess more than three raptors and
28 may not obtain more than two raptors taken from the wild for
29 replacement birds during any 12-month period;

30 (3) may not take any species listed as endangered
31 in state or federal regulations, but may transport or possess
32 such species in accordance with applicable rules;

33 (4) may not take, transport, or possess any
34 golden eagle for falconry purposes unless authorized in writing
35 in accordance with appropriate federal regulations and approved
36 by the commissioner; and

1 (5) may not take in any 12-month period, as a
2 part of the three bird limitation, more than one raptor listed
3 as threatened in state or federal regulations, and then only in
4 accordance with applicable rules.

5 6238.0400 RESTRICTIONS ON TAKING RAPTORS.

6 Subpart 1. **Eyases.** Eyases may be taken from the wild only
7 by a Class II or Class I falconer during the period of May 27
8 through July 14. No more than two eyases may be taken by the
9 same permittee during the calendar year. In all cases at least
10 one eyas must be left in a given nest.

11 Subp. 2. **Passage raptors.** Passage raptors may be taken
12 from the wild only during the period of August 21 through
13 December 29.

14 Subp. 3. **Escaped raptors.** An escaped, marked raptor may
15 be retrapped at any time.

16 Subp. 4. **American kestrels and great horned owls.** Only
17 American kestrels and great horned owls may be taken when over
18 one year old, except that any raptor, other than state or
19 federally listed endangered or threatened species, taken under a
20 depredation or special purpose permit may be used for falconry
21 by Class II or Class I falconers.

22 Subp. 5. **Raptors taken in Minnesota.** Raptors taken from
23 the wild for falconry purposes in this state are subject to the
24 restrictions in items A to D.

25 A. Raptors must be registered.

26 B. Title to raptors remains in the state of Minnesota.

27 C. Raptors may not be sold, bartered, transferred, or
28 transported out of the state except with prior authorization
29 from the commissioner.

30 D. Raptors may be transferred as gifts between
31 holders of Minnesota permits, but the transfer must be reported
32 by the recipient within five working days to the department
33 regional headquarters where the bird was registered.

34 Subp. 6. **Raptors taken outside Minnesota.** Residents who
35 obtain raptors lawfully taken outside this state may possess and

1 use them for falconry purposes in this state only with proof of
2 lawful possession. Raptors must be registered by submitting a
3 Federal Form 3-186A (Migratory Bird Acquisition/Disposition
4 Report) as provided by part 6238.0800.

5 Subp. 7. **Areas closed to taking raptors.** Raptors to be
6 used for falconry may not be taken under any circumstances
7 within state parks or scientific and natural areas, state
8 wildlife management areas without a permit from the regional
9 wildlife manager, state game refuges without a permit from the
10 regional enforcement officer, or private property without
11 permission from the owner.

12 Subp. 8. **Use of traps.** Traps used to capture raptors must
13 be attended.

14 6238.0500 INTENTIONAL RELEASE OF RAPTORS.

15 Permittees must obtain written authorization from the
16 commissioner before any species not indigenous to this state is
17 intentionally released to the wild. The band from the released
18 bird must be removed and surrendered to the department regional
19 office within five working days of release. Whenever possible,
20 a standard federal bird band must be attached to released birds.

21 6238.0600 TEMPORARY HOLDING OF RAPTORS.

22 Subpart 1. **Federal form required.** A raptor possessed
23 under authority of a Minnesota falconry permit may be
24 temporarily held by a person other than the permittee only if
25 that person is otherwise authorized to possess raptors, and only
26 if the person possessing the raptor is in possession at all
27 times of a copy of a properly completed Federal Form 3-186A
28 (Migratory Bird Acquisition/Disposition Report) designating the
29 permittee as the possessor of record and by a signed, dated
30 statement from the permittee authorizing the temporary
31 possession. If the period of care will exceed 30 days, the
32 permittee must inform the department regional office, in
33 writing, within five days of the transfer, specifying where the
34 birds are being held, the reason for the transfer, who is caring
35 for them, and approximately how many days they will be in the

1 care of the second person.

2 Subp. 2. **Temporary facilities.** A raptor may be
3 transported or held in temporary facilities which must be
4 provided with an adequate perch and protected from extreme
5 temperatures and excessive disturbance, for a period not to
6 exceed 30 days, unless written authorization to extend the
7 period is obtained from the department regional office where the
8 falconry permit is issued.

9 6238.0700 RETENTION AND EXCHANGE OF FEATHERS.

10 Feathers that are molted or feathers from birds lawfully
11 held in captivity that have died may be retained and exchanged
12 only for imping purposes. Such feathers may not be sold or
13 bartered.

14 6238.0800 REPORTING AND MARKING OF FALCONS.

15 Subpart 1. **Banding requirement.** All raptors taken,
16 possessed, or transported for falconry purposes must be banded.
17 Captive-bred raptors must be banded with a numbered, seamless
18 band provided by the department regional office where the
19 permittee's permit is issued, or by the United States Fish and
20 Wildlife Service. Raptors taken from the wild must be banded
21 with a permanent, nonreusable band.

22 Subp. 2. **Reporting of raptor acquisition or loss or**
23 **removal of bands.** All acquisitions of raptors or loss or
24 removal of any band must be reported within five working days by
25 submitting a Federal Form 3-186A in accordance with the
26 instructions on the form. The blue copy must be submitted to
27 the department regional office where the permittee's permit is
28 issued.

29 Subp. 3. **United States Fish and Wildlife Service band.** If
30 the United States Fish and Wildlife Service band affixed to a
31 raptor becomes illegible, the owner must notify the department
32 regional office where the permit is issued.

33 6238.0900 REPORTING REQUIREMENTS.

34 Subpart 1. **Required reporting for each bird.** A permittee

1 may not take, purchase, receive, otherwise acquire, buy, sell,
2 barter, transfer, or dispose of any raptor, including death of
3 the raptor, unless the permittee submits, within five working
4 days, Federal Form 3-186A completed, in accordance with the
5 instructions on the form, for each bird. The blue copy must be
6 submitted to the department regional office where the permit is
7 issued.

8 Subp. 2. **Change of address.** Changes of address must be
9 reported in writing to the department office where the falconry
10 permit is issued within ten days following the move if the
11 change of address will exceed 30 days. Facilities at the new
12 address must be certified during the 30-day temporary holding
13 period following a move to a new location.

14 Subp. 3. **Reports by permit holders.** Holders of permits
15 issued for the taking, transportation, transfer, possession, and
16 use of raptors for falconry purposes must report to the
17 commissioner, as requested, listing:

18 A. all raptors in possession, by species, marker
19 numbers, sex (if known), age (if known), date and where or from
20 whom acquired;

21 B. all raptors possessed or acquired at any time
22 during the specified period, but no longer possessed, by
23 species, marker numbers, sex (if known), age (if known), date
24 and where or from whom acquired, date and to whom given, if
25 applicable, or whether escaped, died, or released, and when the
26 event occurred; and

27 C. all unused markers in possession.

28 6238.1000 FALCONRY PERMIT DURATION AND RENEWAL.

29 Subpart 1. **Duration of permits.** Falconry permits may not
30 exceed three years in duration and expire on September 30 of the
31 year of expiration. Permits are not transferable.

32 Subp. 2. **Renewal of permits.** Falconry permits are
33 renewable. Request for renewal must be made at least 30 days
34 prior to the permit expiration date.

35 6238.1100 FALCONRY PERMIT REVOCATION.

1 A permittee violating the provisions of this chapter may be
2 subject to permit revocation, and all raptors held may be
3 subject to seizure and confiscation in the manner provided by
4 law.

5 MIGRATORY BIRDS

6 6240.0100 DEFINITIONS.

7 Subpart 1. **Scope.** The terms used in this chapter have the
8 meanings given them in this part.

9 Subp. 2. **In the field.** "In the field" means at or between
10 the place where taken and either:

11 A. the person's automobile or principal means of land
12 transportation;

13 B. the person's abode or temporary or transient place
14 of lodging;

15 C. a migratory bird preservation facility;

16 D. a post office; or

17 E. a common carrier facility.

18 Subp. 3. **Migratory game birds.** "Migratory game birds"
19 means coots, gallinules, sora and Virginia rails, American
20 woodcock, common snipe, and migratory waterfowl.

21 6240.0200 GENERAL RESTRICTIONS FOR TAKING AND POSSESSION OF
22 MIGRATORY GAME BIRDS.

23 Subpart 1. **Shooting hours.** Shooting hours for migratory
24 game birds are one-half hour before sunrise to sunset, except as
25 follows:

26 A. on the opening day of the duck season, shooting
27 hours for all migratory game birds, except woodcock, are 12:00
28 noon to 4:00 p.m.; and

29 B. from the opening day of the migratory waterfowl
30 season to the Friday nearest October 19, shooting hours end at
31 4:00 p.m.

32 Subp. 2. **Possession limits.** The possession limit is twice
33 the daily limit, except for rails where the daily and possession
34 limits are the same. All restrictions specific to a species or
35 gender apply.

1 MIGRATORY GAME BIRDS

2 6240.0300 TAKING OF WOODCOCK.

3 Subpart 1. Open season. Woodcock may be taken from
4 September 1 to November 4.

5 Subp. 2. Daily limit. A person may not take more than
6 five woodcock per day during the open season.

7 6240.0400 TAKING OF RAILS.

8 Subpart 1. Open season. Sora and Virginia rails may be
9 taken from September 1 to November 4. King rails may not be
10 taken or possessed.

11 Subp. 2. Daily and possession limit. A person may not
12 take more than 25 rails in aggregate per day or possess more
13 than 25 rails in aggregate.

14 6240.0500 TAKING OF WILSON'S SNIPE.

15 Subpart 1. Open season. Wilson's snipe (Jacksnipe) may be
16 taken from September 1 to November 4.

17 Subp. 2. Daily limit. A person may not take more than
18 eight Wilson's snipe per day during the open season.

19 REGULAR GOOSE SEASON

20 6240.0700 TAKING GEESE IN WEST CENTRAL GOOSE ZONE.

21 The West Central Goose Zone is the area lying within the
22 following boundary:

23 Beginning at the intersection of State Trunk Highway (STH)
24 29 and U.S. Highway 212; thence West along U.S. Highway 212
25 to U.S. Highway 59; thence South along U.S. Highway 59 to
26 STH 67; thence West along STH 67 to U.S. Highway 75; thence
27 North along U.S. Highway 75 to County State Aid Highway
28 (CSAH) 30, Lac qui Parle County; thence West along CSAH 30
29 to County Road 70, Lac qui Parle County; thence West along
30 County Road 70 to the west boundary of the state; thence
31 North along the west boundary of the state to the point due
32 south of the intersection of STH 7 and CSAH 7, Big Stone
33 County; thence due North to said intersection; thence North
34 along CSAH 7 to CSAH 6, Big Stone County; thence East along
35 CSAH 6 to CSAH 21, Big Stone County; thence South along
36 CSAH 21 to CSAH 10, Big Stone County; thence East along
37 CSAH 10 to CSAH 22, Swift County; thence East along CSAH 22
38 to CSAH 5, Swift County; thence South along CSAH 5 to U.S.
39 Highway 12; thence East along U.S. Highway 12 to CSAH 17,
40 Swift County; thence South along CSAH 17 to CSAH 9,
41 Chippewa County; thence South along CSAH 9 to STH 40;
42 thence East along STH 40 to STH 29; thence South along STH
43 29 to the point of beginning.

1 6240.0800 WEST CENTRAL GOOSE ZONE PERMIT PROCEDURES.

2 Subpart 1. **Permit requirement.** A person must have a valid
3 permit issued by the commissioner to take geese in the West
4 Central Goose Zone or to possess or transport geese taken in
5 those zones.

6 Subp. 2. **Application process and fee.** Application for the
7 permit must be made by mailing or delivering a West Central
8 Special Goose Hunt application to Lac qui Parle WMA. During the
9 season, permits can also be purchased at the Lac qui Parle
10 Wildlife Management Area headquarters and at selected license
11 agents in the West Central Goose Zone. A \$3 application fee
12 must accompany each application.

13 6240.0900 TAKING GEESE IN LAC QUI PARLE GOOSE ZONE.

14 The Lac qui Parle Goose Zone is the area lying within the
15 following boundary:

16 Beginning at the intersection of U.S. Highway 212 and
17 County State Aid Highway (CSAH) 27, Lac qui Parle County;
18 thence along CSAH 27 to CSAH 20, Lac qui Parle County;
19 thence along CSAH 20 to State Trunk Highway (STH) 40;
20 thence along STH 40 to STH 119; thence along STH 119 to
21 CSAH 34, Lac qui Parle County; thence along CSAH 34 to CSAH
22 19, Lac qui Parle County; thence along CSAH 19 to CSAH 38,
23 Lac qui Parle County; thence along CSAH 38 to U.S. Highway
24 75; thence along U.S. Highway 75 to STH 7; thence along STH
25 7 to CSAH 6, Swift County; thence along CSAH 6 to County
26 Road 65, Swift County; thence along County Road 65 to
27 County Road 34, Chippewa County; thence along County Road
28 34 to CSAH 12, Chippewa County; thence along CSAH 12 to
29 CSAH 9, Chippewa County; thence along CSAH 9 to STH 7;
30 thence along STH 7 to Montevideo; thence along the
31 municipal boundary of Montevideo to U.S. Highway 212;
32 thence along U.S. Highway 212 to the point of beginning.

33 6240.1000 TAKING GEESE IN SOUTHEAST GOOSE ZONE.

34 The Southeast Goose Zone is comprised of Isanti, Chisago,
35 Washington, Anoka, Hennepin, Carver, Scott, Ramsey, Dakota,
36 Rice, Goodhue, Wabasha, Winona, Olmsted, Dodge, Steele,
37 Freeborn, Mower, Fillmore, and Houston counties.

38 EARLY GOOSE SEASONS

39 6240.1200 SPECIAL PROVISIONS ON TAKING GEESE DURING EARLY
40 SEASONS.

41 Subpart 1. **Taking near water.** Taking Canada geese during
42 the early seasons is prohibited on or within 100 yards of all

1 surface waters, except on those described or shown on a map
2 provided by the commissioner.

3 Subp. 2. **Taking on public roads and rights-of-way.** Taking
4 Canada geese on public roads and their rights-of-way is
5 prohibited during the early seasons, except in the Southwest
6 Border Canada Goose Zone.

7 6240.1500 TAKING GEESE IN TWIN CITIES METROPOLITAN CANADA GOOSE
8 ZONE.

9 Subpart 1. **Open season.** Canada geese may be taken in the
10 Twin Cities Metropolitan Canada Goose Zone during the ten-day
11 period beginning September 1.

12 Subp. 2. **Daily limits.** A person may not take more than
13 four Canada geese per day during the early season.

14 Subp. 3. **Zone description.** The Twin Cities Metropolitan
15 Canada Goose Zone is described as follows:

16 A. All of Hennepin and Ramsey Counties.

17 B. In Anoka County, all of Columbus Township lying
18 south of County State Aid Highway (CSAH) 18, Anoka County; all
19 of the cities of Ramsey, Andover, Anoka, Coon Rapids, Spring
20 Lake Park, Fridley, Hilltop, Columbia Heights, Blaine,
21 Lexington, Circle Pines, Lino Lakes, and Centerville; and all of
22 the city of Ham Lake except that portion described as follows:

23 Beginning at the intersection of CSAH 18, Anoka County, and
24 U.S. Highway 65, thence east along CSAH 18 to the eastern
25 boundary of Ham Lake, thence north along said boundary to
26 the north boundary of Ham Lake, thence west along said
27 boundary to U.S. Highway 65, thence south along U.S.
28 Highway 65 to the point of beginning.

29 C. In Carver County, all of the cities of Victoria,
30 Chaska, Chanhassen, and Carver and the Townships of Chaska and
31 Laketown, and portions of the cities of Cologne, Waconia, Mayer,
32 and Watertown, and the Townships of Dahlgren, Benton, Waconia,
33 and Watertown lying north and east of the following described
34 line:

35 Beginning on U.S. Highway 212 at the southwest corner of
36 the city of Chaska, thence west to State Trunk Highway
37 (STH) 284, thence north on STH 284 to County State Aid
38 Highway (CSAH) 10, thence north and west on CSAH 10 to CSAH
39 30, thence north and west on CSAH 30 to STH 25, thence east
40 and north on STH 25 to CSAH 10, thence north on CSAH 10 to
41 the Carver County line, thence east to the Hennepin County

1 line.

2 D. In Scott County, all of the cities of Shakopee,
3 Savage, Prior Lake, and Jordan, and all of the Townships of
4 Jackson, Louisville, St. Lawrence, Sand Creek, Spring Lake, and
5 Credit River.

6 E. In Dakota County, all of the cities of Burnsville,
7 Eagan, Mendota Heights, Mendota, Sunfish Lake, Inver Grove
8 Heights, Apple Valley, Lakeville, Rosemount, Farmington,
9 Hastings, Lilydale, West St. Paul, and South St. Paul, and all
10 of the Township of Nininger.

11 F. In Washington County, all of the cities of Cottage
12 Grove, St. Paul Park, Newport, Woodbury, White Bear Lake,
13 Oakdale, Landfall, Lake Elmo, Pine Springs, Willernie,
14 Birchwood, Mahtomedi, Dellwood, Forest Lake, Marine, Stillwater,
15 Oak Park Heights, Bayport, Hugo, Lakeland, Lakeland Shores, St.
16 Croix Beach, St. Mary's Point, Afton, and Hastings; all of the
17 Townships of Gray Cloud Island, May, Grant, Stillwater, Baytown,
18 Denmark, and West Lakeland, and that portion of Forest Lake
19 Township lying south of State Trunk Highway (STH) 97 and CSAH 2,
20 Washington County, and those portions of New Scandia Township
21 lying south of STH 97, and of a line drawn due east from the
22 intersection of STH 97 and STH 95 to the east boundary of the
23 state.

24 6240.1600 TAKING GEESE IN SOUTHWEST BORDER GOOSE ZONE.

25 Subpart 1. **Open season.** Canada geese may be taken in the
26 Southwest Border Canada Goose Zone during the ten-day period
27 beginning September 1.

28 Subp. 2. **Daily limits.** A person may not take more than
29 two Canada geese per day during the early season.

30 Subp. 3. **Zone description.** The Southwest Border Canada
31 Goose Zone is all of Martin County and that portion of Jackson
32 County south and east of U.S. Highway 60.

33 6240.1700 TAKING GEESE IN FERGUS FALLS/ALEXANDRIA CANADA GOOSE
34 ZONE.

35 Subpart 1. **Open season.** Canada geese may be taken in the

1 Fergus Falls/Alexandria Canada Goose Zone during the ten-day
2 period beginning September 1.

3 Subp. 2. **Daily limit.** A person may not take more than two
4 Canada geese per day during the early season.

5 Subp. 3. **Zone description.** The Fergus Falls/Alexandria
6 Canada Goose Zone is described as follows:

7 Beginning at the intersection of State Trunk Highway (STH)
8 55 and STH 28; thence east on STH 28 to County State Aid
9 Highway (CSAH) 33, Pope County; thence north along CSAH 33
10 to CSAH 3, Douglas County; thence north along CSAH 3 to
11 CSAH 69, Otter Tail County; thence north along CSAH 69 to
12 CSAH 46, Otter Tail County; thence east along CSAH 46 to
13 the eastern boundary of Otter Tail County; thence north
14 along the east boundary of Otter Tail County to CSAH 40,
15 Otter Tail County; thence west along CSAH 40 to CSAH 75,
16 Otter Tail County; thence north along CSAH 75 to STH 210;
17 thence west along STH 210 to STH 108; thence north along
18 STH 108 to CSAH 1, Otter Tail County; thence west along
19 CSAH 1 to CSAH 14, Otter Tail County; thence north along
20 CSAH 14 to CSAH 44, Otter Tail County; thence along CSAH 44
21 to CSAH 35, Otter Tail County; thence along CSAH 35 to STH
22 108; thence along STH 108 to CSAH 19, Wilkin County; thence
23 along CSAH 19 to STH 55; thence along STH 55 to the point
24 of beginning.

25 6240.1800 EARLY GOOSE HUNT APPLICATION AND PERMIT.

26 Subpart 1. **Application process.** Permits are required to
27 take Canada geese during the early seasons. A person may obtain
28 a permit by submitting an application, provided by the
29 commissioner, to the address indicated on the form. The
30 application deadline is August 1.

31 Subp. 2. **Application fee.** An applicant must submit a \$3
32 fee for each application. A separate application and fee is
33 required for each hunt.

34 Subp. 3. **Possession of permit required.** A person
35 participating in the early Canada goose hunting season must
36 possess a permit validated for the zone in which they are
37 hunting.

38 LATE GOOSE SEASON

39 6240.1900 LATE SEASON FOR TAKING GEESE.

40 Subpart 1. **Daily limit.** A person may not take more than
41 two Canada geese per day during the late season.

42 Subp. 2. **Public roads.** Taking Canada geese from public
43 roads and their rights-of-way is prohibited in the Twin Cities

1 Metropolitan Canada Goose Zone during the late season
2 established by this part.

3 MIGRATORY WATERFOWL FEEDING AND RESTING AREAS

4 6240.2000 MIGRATORY WATERFOWL FEEDING AND RESTING AREA
5 RESTRICTIONS.

6 Subpart 1. **Entry restrictions.** A person may not enter a
7 posted migratory waterfowl feeding and resting area during the
8 open migratory waterfowl season with watercraft or aircraft
9 propelled by a motor, except as provided in subparts 2 to 4.

10 Subp. 2. **Department employees in performance of their**
11 **duties.** The restriction in subpart 1 does not apply to
12 uniformed employees of the department and other agents of the
13 commissioner while in the performance of their official
14 department duties.

15 Subp. 3. **Disabled or handicapped persons.** A disabled or
16 handicapped person, under permit from the commissioner, may use
17 an electric motor of less than 30 pounds thrust. A permit is
18 not required for the lakes listed in subpart 4.

19 Subp. 4. **Use of electric motors.** On the lakes listed in
20 items A to I, a person may use an electric motor of less than 30
21 pounds thrust within the designated migratory waterfowl feeding
22 and resting area during the open waterfowl season:

23 A. Beltrami county: Puposky Lake, Little Puposky
24 Lake;

25 B. Carver county: Tiger Lake;

26 C. Jackson county: South Heron Lake, North Heron
27 Lake;

28 D. Kandiyohi county: Wagonga Lake, Lake Lillian;

29 E. McLeod county: Bakers Lake, Unnamed Lake, in T.
30 114 N., R. 29W, S. 28;

31 F. Polk county: Turtle Lake; and

32 G. Traverse county: Mud Lake.

33 6240.2100 DESIGNATED MIGRATORY WATERFOWL FEEDING AND RESTING
34 AREAS.

35 Subpart 1. **Designation of entire lakes.** The following

1 lakes are designated as migratory waterfowl feeding and resting
2 areas:

3	Name	Location	County
4			
5	A. Bakers Lake	T.114N; R.29W	McLeod
6	B. Bear Lake	T.101N; R.22W	Freeborn
7	C. Big Rice Lake	T.140, 141N; R.26W	Cass
8	D. Cottonwood Lake	T.106N; R.25W	Blue Earth
9	E. Diamond Lake	T.110N; R.23W	Le Sueur
10	F. Dora Lake	T.110N; R.23W	Le Sueur
11	G. Lake Johanna	T.123N; R.36W	Pope
12	H. Lake Lillian	T.117N; R.33, 34W	Kandiyohi
13	I. Little Puposky Lake	T.149N; R.33, 34W	Beltrami
14	J. Mud Lake	T.131N; R.43W	Otter Tail
15	K. Mud Lake	T.114N; R.26W	Sibley
16	L. Nelson Lake	T.124N; R.38W	Pope
17	M. Oakleaf Lake	T.110N; R.26W	Nicollet
18	N. Pleasant Lake	T.113N; R.23W	Scott
19	O. Puposky Lake	T.149N; R.33, 34W	Beltrami
20	P. Rice Lake	T.148, 149N; R.27W	Itasca
21	Q. Sanborn Lake	T.112N; R.23W	Le Sueur
22	R. Scotch Lake	T.110N; R.25W	Le Sueur
23	S. Squaw Lake	T.148, 149N; R.27W	Itasca
24	T. Tiger Lake	T.115N; R.26W	Carver
25	U. Turtle Lake	T.148N; R.39W	Polk
26	V. Unnamed Lake	T.114N; R.29W; S.28	McLeod
27	W. Upper Rice Lake	T.145N; R.36, 37W	Clearwater
28	X. Wagonga Lake	T.118, 119N; R.34, 35W	Kandiyohi
29	Y. Washington Lake	T.114N; R.26W	Sibley

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31 Subp. 2. Marsh Lake, Big Stone, Lac qui Parle, and Swift

32 counties. The following portion of Marsh Lake in Big Stone, Lac
33 qui Parle, and Swift counties is designated as a migratory
34 waterfowl feeding and resting area:

35 That portion of the lake lying east and southeast of a line
36 beginning at the point where the west section line of
37 Section 10, Township 120 North, Range 44 West, meets the
38 lake water line; thence running southeast approximately 370
39 rods to the southwest corner of Egret Island located in
40 Section 15, Township 120 North, Range 44 West; thence
41 running southeast approximately 340 rods to a point where
42 the east section line of Section 22, Township 120 North,
43 Range 44 West, intersects the water line of the south shore
44 of the lake.

45 Subp. 3. Lake Lizzie, Otter Tail county. All that portion
46 of Lake Lizzie in Otter Tail county in Sections 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8
47 and 9, Township 136 North, Range 42 West is designated as a
48 migratory waterfowl feeding and resting area.

49 Subp. 4. Pelican Lake, St. Louis county. All that portion
50 of Pelican Lake in St. Louis county within the following
51 described area is designated as a migratory waterfowl feeding
52 and resting area:

53 From the iron pipe located at the northeast corner of
54 Section 27, Township 65 North, Range 20 West, 2000 feet
55 south 34 degrees west to starting point; thence proceed
56 5600 feet south 52 degrees east; thence 6200 feet south 37

1 degrees west; thence 7360 feet north 9 degrees east; thence
 2 6840 feet north 62 degrees east closing at starting point
 3 encompassing an area of 1160 acres.

4 Subp. 5. **South Heron Lake, Jackson county.** That part of
 5 Heron Lake known as South Heron Lake in Jackson county except
 6 those portions described as follows is designated as a migratory
 7 waterfowl feeding and resting area except during the early
 8 Canada goose season:

9 That part of the lake lying northwest of a straight line
 10 beginning at the state-owned access on the west shore in
 11 Section 15, Township 103 North, Range 37 West; thence
 12 running northeast to the point of the peninsula on the east
 13 side of the inlet to Okabena and Division Creeks located in
 14 Section 10, Township 103 North, Range 37 West; also that
 15 part lying South of a straight line beginning at
 16 Burmeisters Point in Section 13, Township 103 North, Range
 17 37 West; thence running west to Sandy Point in Section 24,
 18 Township 103 North, Range 37 West.

19 Subp. 6. **North Heron Lake, Jackson county.** That part of
 20 Heron Lake known as North Heron Lake in Jackson county except
 21 those areas known as Winzer Bay and North Marsh is designated as
 22 a migratory waterfowl feeding and resting area.

23 Subp. 7. **Lake Christina, Grant and Douglas counties.** All
 24 of Lake Christina in Grant and Douglas counties except that part
 25 lying south of a straight line beginning at the east terminus of
 26 the north line of Government Lot 3, Section 12, Township 130
 27 North, Range 41 West, at the water's edge of Lake Christina;
 28 thence running east to the water's edge at the northwest point
 29 of the peninsula of Government Lot 1, Section 8, Township 130
 30 North, Range 40 West, that projects into said lake is designated
 31 as a migratory waterfowl feeding and resting area.

32 Subp. 8. **Mud Lake, Traverse county.** All that portion of
 33 Mud Lake in Traverse county within the following described area
 34 is designated as a migratory waterfowl feeding and resting area:

35 Beginning at the point where the Bois de Sioux River enters
 36 the bed of Mud Lake north of Reservation Dam; thence
 37 northeast along the west boundary of Minnesota to a point
 38 due west of the farthest north portion of Lewis Point;
 39 thence east to said point on Lewis Point; thence southeast
 40 along the shoreline of Mud Lake defined by the prevailing
 41 water level to the point of beginning.

42 COMMON CROW

43 6240.2300 COMMON CROW SEASON.

44 Subpart 1. **Open dates.** Common crows may be taken from

1 July 1 through November 1.

2 Subp. 2. **Bag limits.** Common crows may be taken and
3 possessed without limit during the open season. Common crows
4 taken must be retrieved and removed from the field.

5 Subp. 3. **Eligibility to take common crows.** Residents and
6 nonresidents may take common crows with legal firearms, bow and
7 arrow, and by falconry without a license.

8 Subp. 4. **Open zone to take common crows.** Common crows may
9 be taken statewide during the prescribed dates and hours.

10 6240.2400 METHODS OF TAKING COMMON CROW.

11 Subpart 1. **Taking common crows by firearms.** A person may
12 take common crows with a shotgun not larger than ten gauge or
13 with a handgun or rifle of any caliber.

14 Subp. 2. **Use of electronic calls and radios.** Common crows
15 may be taken by the use or aid of recorded or electronically
16 amplified calls or sounds. Electronic devices may not be left
17 unattended.

18 6240.2500 TAKING COMMON CROWS IN DEPREDATION SITUATIONS.

19 Subpart 1. **Taking common crows when causing damage.**
20 Persons may take common crows statewide at any time of year when
21 found committing or about to commit depredations upon ornamental
22 or shade trees, agricultural crops, livestock or wildlife, or
23 when concentrated in such numbers and manner as to constitute
24 health problems or other nuisances.

25 Subp. 2. **Disturbance of nests and eggs.** Common crows'
26 nests and eggs may not be disturbed at any time.

27 6240.2600 TAKING COMMON CROWS IN WATERFOWL PRODUCTION AREAS,
28 GAME REFUGES, AND WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT AREAS.

29 Common crows may be taken on federal waterfowl production
30 areas that are open to hunting. Common crows may also be taken
31 within state game refuges open to small game hunting, except
32 those refuges closed to waterfowl hunting. Common crows may be
33 taken during the open season between September 1 and the last
34 day of February within wildlife management areas, unless

1 otherwise closed to hunting.

2 SHOOTING PRESERVES

3 6242.0100 DEFINITION OF SHOOTING PRESERVE.

4 A shooting preserve is a privately operated facility where
5 protected wild animals are released for shooting outside
6 regularly established seasons and regulations. Only species
7 authorized on the shooting preserve license may be released and
8 taken. A person, corporation, or partnership may not operate a
9 shooting preserve without a valid license. There are two
10 classes of shooting preserve, private and commercial, as
11 provided by Minnesota Statutes, sections 97A.115 and 97A.121.

12 6242.0200 GENERAL PROVISIONS FOR SHOOTING PRESERVES.

13 Subpart 1. License requirement and application procedure
14 for shooting preserves. Application for a shooting preserve
15 license must be made on forms provided by the commissioner.
16 Additional information may be required when renewing a license
17 or changing an area or species.

18 Subp. 2. Tagging requirements. Harvested game, except
19 ducks that are marked according to regulations of the United
20 States Fish and Wildlife Service, must be tagged with a
21 self-sealing tag, purchased from the commissioner, identifying
22 the private shooting preserve. Birds dressed and packaged in a
23 nonreusable sealed bag identified by the shooting preserve's
24 name or license number need not be tagged. The tag or package
25 labeling must remain attached while the bird is transported.

26 Subp. 3. Posting requirements. The boundaries of shooting
27 preserves must be posted with signs with letters at least two
28 inches high. The sign must include the language "Licensed
29 Shooting Preserve" and "No Trespassing," must be signed by the
30 owner or manager, and must be posted at intervals of not more
31 than 500 feet around the entire boundary of the shooting
32 preserve.

33 Subp. 4. Marking of released birds. Released ring-necked
34 pheasants must be identifiable by a clipped outer toe of the
35 right foot, evidence of wearing blinders, or debeaking.

1 Released ducks must be identifiable by having had the hind toe
2 (Hallux) of the right foot removed before the age of four
3 weeks. Marking is not required on other species released for
4 hunting.

5 Subp. 5. **Required records.** Records must be kept current
6 within 48 hours and maintained for three years following the
7 year of creation.

8 Subp. 6. **Required annual report.** An annual report must be
9 submitted by each shooting preserve on a form provided by the
10 commissioner. This report is due by March 15 of each year for
11 the preceding calendar year.

12 6242.0300 OPERATION OF PRIVATE SHOOTING PRESERVES.

13 Private shooting preserves are authorized in counties
14 outside the pheasant range including Norman, Becker, Wadena,
15 Cass, Crow Wing, Aitkin, and Carlton counties and counties to
16 the north of those counties.

17 6242.0400 OPERATION OF COMMERCIAL SHOOTING PRESERVES.

18 A person hunting waterfowl on a commercial shooting
19 preserve is required to have federal and state waterfowl stamps
20 and a small game license, except when taking only pen-reared and
21 marked mallards.

22 6242.0900 RESTRICTIONS ON SALE OF GAME FARM ANIMALS.

23 Subpart 1. **Sales receipt requirement.** For every sale of
24 animal parts, or products, the game farm licensee must complete
25 a sales receipt, provided by the commissioner, containing the
26 following information:

27 A. name, address, and game farm license number of
28 licensee;

29 B. name and address of purchaser or person to whom
30 sale is made;

31 C. species, number, and kinds of animals, parts, or
32 products sold; and

33 D. identification numbers, if the animals sold are
34 marked with numbered tags, bands, or tattoos.

1 Subp. 2. **Department receives original of sales receipt.**
2 The original copy of the sales receipt of a game farm animal
3 must be mailed to the Division of Enforcement within 48 hours of
4 completion of the transaction. A second copy must be given to
5 the purchaser at the time the transaction is made. A third copy
6 must be retained by the licensee and be subject to inspection by
7 the commissioner. A fourth copy must be submitted to the local
8 conservation officer.

9 Subp. 3. **Shipping animals by common carrier.** When
10 animals, parts, or products are shipped by common carrier or are
11 transported other than by the purchaser or receiver, a second
12 copy of the receipt must be attached to the outside of the box,
13 crate, or container, or to one of the containers if a single
14 shipment is made in several containers.

15 PRIVATE FISH HATCHERIES

16 6250.0100 DEFINITIONS.

17 Subpart 1. **Scope.** The terms used in this chapter have the
18 meanings given them in this part.

19 Subp. 2. **Approved laboratory methods.** "Approved
20 laboratory methods" means methods described in the latest
21 edition of the Procedures for the Detection and Identification
22 of Certain Fish Pathogens published by the American Fisheries
23 Society Fish Health Section, also known as the Fish Health Blue
24 Book.

25 Subp. 3. **Aquatic life.** "Aquatic life" has the meaning
26 given to "private aquatic life" as defined by Minnesota
27 Statutes, section 17.47, and for purposes of commercial
28 transactions, aquatic life is livestock.

29 Subp. 4. **Certifiable diseases.** "Certifiable diseases"
30 include channel catfish virus, bacterial kidney disease,
31 bacterial furunculosis, enteric redmouth disease, enteric
32 septicemia of catfish, infectious hematopoietic necrosis virus,
33 infectious pancreatic necrosis virus, whirling disease,
34 proliferative kidney disease, viral hemorrhagic septicemia
35 virus, ceratomyxosis, epizootic epitheliotropic virus, and any

1 emergency disease.

2 **Subp. 5. Containment facility.** "Containment facility"
3 means a licensed facility for salmonids or catfish that complies
4 with items A, C, and D, or B, C, and D:

5 A. disinfects its effluent to the standards provided
6 by part 6250.0800 before the effluent is discharged to public
7 waters;

8 B. does not discharge into public waters or into
9 waters of the state directly connected to public waters;

10 C. raises aquatic life for food consumption only;

11 D. contains aquatic life requiring a fish health
12 inspection prior to transportation.

13 **Subp. 6. Emergency fish disease.** "Emergency fish disease"
14 means a designated disease not already present in this state
15 that could impact populations of aquatic life if inadvertently
16 released by infected aquatic life including, but not limited to,
17 viral hemorrhagic septicemia virus, infectious hematopoietic
18 necrosis virus, infectious pancreatic necrosis virus, whirling
19 disease, ceratomyxosis, proliferative kidney disease, channel
20 catfish virus, epizootic epitheliotropic virus disease, or any
21 other disease listed in a rule or published by the commissioner
22 in the State Register on an emergency basis to be effective for
23 not more than 240 days.

24 **Subp. 7. Enzootic.** "Enzootic" means a disease that is
25 known to occur within well-defined geographic boundaries.

26 **Subp. 8. Fish health inspection.** "Fish health inspection"
27 means an on-site statistically based sampling in accordance with
28 procedures set forth in the Fish Health Blue Book for all lots
29 of fish on the facility.

30 **Subp. 9. Fish health inspector.** "Fish health inspector"
31 means an individual certified as a fish health inspector by the
32 American Fisheries Society or a state, federal, or provincial
33 resource management agency, except that a certification may not
34 be made by an inspector who has a conflict of interest in
35 connection with the outcome of the certification.

36 **Subp. 10. Game fish.** "Game fish" is defined by Minnesota

1 Statutes, section 97A.015, except that green or orange spotted
2 sunfish are not considered game fish for purposes of determining
3 fish of significant public value.

4 Subp. 11. **Intensive culture.** "Intensive culture" means
5 the rearing of fish at densities greater than can be supported
6 in the natural environment.

7 Subp. 12. **Licensed facility.** "Licensed facility" means a
8 licensed private fish hatchery including all licensed waters.

9 Subp. 13. **Lot.** "Lot" means a group of fish of the same
10 species and age that originated from the same discrete spawning
11 population and that always have shared a common water supply.
12 Various age groups of adult brood stock of the same species may
13 comprise the same lot if they have shared the same containers
14 for one brood cycle.

15 Subp. 14. **Minnows.** "Minnows" is defined by Minnesota
16 Statutes, section 97A.015, except the 12-inch restriction on
17 sucker minnows does not apply.

18 Subp. 15. **Public waters.** "Public waters" is defined by
19 Minnesota Statutes, section 103G.005.

20 Subp. 16. **Quarantine facility.** "Quarantine facility"
21 means a culture system that is enclosed in a building and is
22 separated from other fish culture facilities where fish can be
23 isolated and maintained while preventing their introduction or
24 pathogen introduction into the environment.

25 Subp. 17. **Standard facility.** "Standard facility" means a
26 licensed facility with a continual or intermittent discharge of
27 effluent to public waters.

28 Subp. 18. **Waters of the state.** "Waters of the state" is
29 defined by Minnesota Statutes, section 103G.005.

30 6250.0200 FISH HATCHERY OPERATIONS.

31 Subpart 1. **Acquisition and sale of private aquatic life.**
32 Aquatic life legally possessed may be bought, acquired, and sold
33 by licensed facilities as provided by this chapter.

34 Subp. 2. **Acquisition from state.** The commissioner may
35 sell aquatic life to licensed facilities at fair market value.

1 Fair market value must be determined by the average market price
2 charged in this state and contiguous states and provinces for
3 similar quantities.

4 Subp. 3. **Methods to harvest aquatic life.** Licensed
5 facilities may use all reasonable methods to operate and harvest
6 aquatic life from licensed facilities, including nets.

7 Subp. 4. **Discharge may require permit.** The discharge from
8 a private fish hatchery must comply with discharge permits
9 required by the Minnesota Pollution Control Agency.

10 Subp. 5. **Ownership of aquatic life.** The following
11 provisions apply to the ownership of aquatic life:

12 A. Notwithstanding other provisions of law, aquatic
13 life lawfully acquired and possessed by a licensed facility is
14 private aquatic life and property of the owner of the licensed
15 facility.

16 B. Private aquatic life in public waters may become
17 property of the state if the waters are not part of a licensed
18 facility. The commissioner will notify the licensee that the
19 aquatic life in a facility that is no longer licensed will
20 become property of the state if the aquatic life is not
21 removed. If the licensee does not respond in writing within 30
22 days after receiving the notice and make alternative
23 arrangements, or does not remove the aquatic life by 60 ice-free
24 days after receiving the notice, the private aquatic life
25 becomes property of the state.

26 C. Private aquatic life that is transferred to the
27 state or released into public waters that are not part of a
28 licensed facility is owned by the state and may be considered
29 wildlife.

30 Subp. 6. **Control of licensed waters.** The following
31 provisions apply to the use of licensed waters by the public:

32 A. If the public cannot legally access waters of the
33 state that are part of a licensed private fish hatchery except
34 by permission of the licensee, the use of the waters by the
35 public is subject to restriction by the licensee.

36 B. Waters of the state may not be licensed for

1 aquaculture use to more than one licensee.

2 Subp. 7. **Angling in licensed waters.** A person may not
3 take fish by angling from waters subject to subpart 6, unless
4 the person has written permission from the licensee and:

5 A. has an invoice when in possession of fish; or

6 B. takes fish under an angling license, subject to
7 the limits and conditions in the game and fish laws.

8 6250.0300 FISH HATCHERY LICENSE.

9 Subpart 1. **License required.** The following provisions
10 apply to the licensing of a private fish hatchery:

11 A. A person or entity may not operate a private fish
12 hatchery without first obtaining a private fish hatchery license
13 from the commissioner.

14 B. An application for a private fish hatchery license
15 must be made on a form provided by the commissioner.

16 C. A license issued by the commissioner is not a
17 determination of private property rights, but is only based on a
18 determination that the private fish hatchery does not have a
19 significant detrimental impact on the public resource.

20 Subp. 2. **Listed waters.** The following provisions apply to
21 the listing of waters for private fish hatcheries:

22 A. A private fish hatchery license must list:

23 (1) the specific waters of the state that may be
24 used in connection with the licensed private fish hatchery and
25 whether the hatchery is a standard, containment, or quarantine
26 facility as defined by part 6250.0100;

27 (2) whether aeration requiring a permit is
28 approved;

29 (3) whether piscicide use is approved; and

30 (4) those waters where nonindigenous species will
31 be kept.

32 B. The right to use waters licensed for private fish
33 hatchery or aquatic farm purposes may be transferred between
34 licensees with prior approval by the commissioner if
35 requirements for species to be raised are met. Waters that are

1 continually connected by a permanent watercourse to other waters
2 must not be approved for private fish hatchery use, except that
3 connected waters that are isolated from other waters may be
4 licensed as a single body of water. Waters that are
5 intermittently connected or may become connected with other
6 waters may be denied, or screening or other measures may be
7 required to prevent passage of aquatic life. Listed waters may
8 be changed on approval by the commissioner.

9 C. The commissioner will conduct an inspection of
10 waters to be licensed prior to approving or denying initial
11 licensing of the waters.

12 D. Waters containing game fish of significant public
13 value may be denied licensing unless the applicant can
14 demonstrate exclusive riparian control.

15 E. Waters containing game fish of significant public
16 value may be denied licensing unless the game fish of
17 significant public value are sold to the licensee, removed for
18 other state use by the department, or disposed of as provided in
19 writing by the commissioner.

20 F. Waters licensed under a private fish hatchery
21 license may be aerated during open water periods without a
22 separate aeration permit.

23 Subp. 3. **Listed species.** The following provisions apply
24 to the listing of species for licensed waters:

25 A. A private fish hatchery license must list the
26 species of aquatic life approved for each licensed water.
27 Listed species of aquatic life may be changed on written request
28 to and approval by the commissioner. Species of aquatic life
29 regulated by Minnesota Statutes, chapters 97A, 97B, and 97C, may
30 not be cultured unless listed on the license.

31 B. All waters licensed before July 1, 1992, under a
32 private fish hatchery license must be approved for species
33 listed under current licenses if other conditions for licensing
34 are met.

35 C. If licensed waters are located within a 25-year
36 floodplain and are not enclosed within a building, species of

1 aquatic life may be licensed at the discretion of the
2 commissioner.

3 D. Licensed waters located outside of a 25-year
4 floodplain or enclosed within a building may be licensed for any
5 species, except that the commissioner may deny licensing for
6 species not present in the state.

7 Subp. 4. **Inspections and enforcement.** The premises,
8 property, vehicles, private aquatic life, and equipment where
9 private fish hatchery operations are being conducted are subject
10 to inspection as provided by Minnesota Statutes, section 97A.215.

11 Subp. 5. **Records.** The following provisions apply to the
12 maintenance and retention of records:

13 A. Licensees must keep complete, up-to-date records
14 of the operation of the private fish hatchery. The records must
15 be kept for at least three years.

16 B. The records must include the following information:

17 (1) for each species acquired, the number and
18 pounds of fish or eggs acquired, the names and addresses of the
19 sources from which acquired, and the dates of receipt;

20 (2) for each species sold or disposed of, the
21 number and pounds of fish sold or disposed of, the names and
22 addresses of the purchasers or persons to whom the conveyances
23 are made, and the dates of sale; and

24 (3) for fish sperm or viable eggs, the amount
25 acquired or sold, the names and addresses of the sources from
26 which acquired, the purchasers to whom conveyed, and the dates
27 of purchase or sale.

28 C. On or before March 1 of each year, the licensee
29 must submit a complete annual report, on a form provided by the
30 commissioner, covering the quantity of all species sold or
31 purchased in the preceding license year.

32 D. Records are subject to inspection by the
33 commissioner during reasonable hours.

34 6250.0400 TRANSPORTATION OF AQUATIC LIFE.

35 Subpart 1. **Requirements for importation, transportation**

1 within the state, or stocking of fish. Except as provided in
2 subpart 3, an operator of a private fish hatchery may not import
3 aquatic life into the state, transport aquatic life within the
4 state, or stock waters of the state with aquatic life without
5 first obtaining a bill of lading or transportation permit from
6 the commissioner, with disease certification, if applicable.

7 Subp. 2. Bill of lading. The following provisions apply
8 to the use of a bill of lading:

9 A. A person may transport aquatic life except
10 salmonids or catfish with a completed bill of lading for:

11 (1) intrastate transportation of aquatic life
12 between licensed private fish hatcheries, aquatic farms, or
13 aquarium facilities licensed for the same species and of the
14 proper classification for the aquatic life; and

15 (2) stocking of waters other than public waters.

16 B. When aquatic life is transported between licensed
17 private fish hatcheries, aquatic farms, or aquarium facilities,
18 a copy of the bill of lading must be submitted to the regional
19 fisheries manager:

20 (1) at least 72 hours before the transportation,
21 if species transported into a watershed are not found in it or
22 have their original source outside this state and contiguous
23 states; or

24 (2) within 30 days in cases not covered by
25 subitem (1).

26 C. A bill of lading is also required at least 72
27 hours before any transportation between licensed waters of the
28 same licensee, if species transported into a watershed are not
29 found in it or have their original source outside this state and
30 contiguous states.

31 D. For transportation and stocking of waters that are
32 not public waters:

33 (1) a bill of lading must be submitted to the
34 regional fisheries manager 72 hours before transporting fish for
35 stocking;

36 (2) a bill of lading must be submitted to the

1 regional fisheries manager within five days after stocking if
2 the waters to be stocked are confirmed not to be public waters
3 by telecopy or telephone prior to stocking by the regional
4 fisheries office; or

5 (3) a completed bill of lading may be submitted
6 to the regional fisheries office by telecopy prior to
7 transporting fish for stocking. Confirmation that the waters to
8 be stocked are not public waters may be made by returning the
9 bill of lading by telecopy or in writing, in which cases
10 additional copies need not be submitted to the department.

11 E. Bill of lading forms may only be issued by the
12 Department of Natural Resources office located in St. Paul, and
13 new bill of lading forms may not be issued until all previously
14 issued forms have been returned.

15 Subp. 3. Exemptions for transportation permits and bills
16 of lading. The following provisions apply to exemptions for
17 transportation permits and bills of lading:

18 A. A bill of lading or transportation permit is not
19 required by a private fish hatchery licensee for importation,
20 transportation, or export for the following:

21 (1) minnows taken under a private fish hatchery
22 license in this state and transported intrastate;

23 (2) aquarium or ornamental fish including
24 tropical, subtropical, and saltwater species that cannot survive
25 in the waters of the state, which may be imported or transported
26 if accompanied by shipping documents;

27 (3) fish or fish eggs that have been processed
28 for use as food, bait, or other purposes unrelated to fish
29 propagation;

30 (4) live fish, except salmonids and catfish, from
31 a licensed private fish hatchery, which are transported directly
32 to an outlet for processing or for other food purposes if
33 accompanied by shipping documents;

34 (5) fish being exported if accompanied by
35 shipping documents;

36 (6) sucker eggs, sucker fry, or fathead minnows

1 transported intrastate for bait propagation or feeding of
2 cultured aquatic life;

3 (7) species of fish that are found within the
4 state used in connection with public shows, exhibits,
5 demonstrations, or fishing pools for periods not exceeding 14
6 days; or

7 (8) transfer of aquatic life between licensed
8 waters of the same licensee, except when required in subpart 2.

9 B. Shipping documents required under this subpart
10 must show the place of origin, owner or consignee, destination,
11 number, and species.

12 Subp. 4. **Transportation permit requirements.** A
13 transportation permit is required for all importation,
14 transportation, or stocking of private aquatic life not covered
15 by subpart 2 or exempted in subpart 3. A transportation permit
16 may be used for multiple shipments within the 30-day term for
17 the permit if the source and the destination remain the same.
18 Transportation permits, which may authorize importation or
19 stocking of public waters, may be issued through department
20 regional offices or the St. Paul office, and must be obtained
21 prior to shipment.

22 Subp. 5. **Permit application.** An application for a
23 transportation permit must be made on forms provided by the
24 commissioner. An application for a transportation permit for
25 salmonids and catfish, their eggs, or sperm must be accompanied
26 by certification that the source of the eggs or sperm are free
27 of certifiable diseases, except that eggs with enteric redmouth,
28 whirling disease, or furunculosis may be imported, transported,
29 or stocked following treatment approved by the commissioner, and
30 fish with bacterial kidney disease may be imported, transported,
31 or stocked into areas where the disease has been previously
32 introduced. A copy of the transportation permit showing the
33 date of certification inspection must accompany the shipment of
34 fish while in transit and must be available for inspection by
35 the commissioner. By 14 days after a completed application is
36 received, the commissioner will approve or deny the importation

1 permits as provided in this part.

2 Subp. 6. **Vehicle identification.** The following provisions
3 apply to the identification of vehicles used in the operation of
4 a private fish hatchery:

5 A. A vehicle used by a licensee for transporting
6 aquatic life must be identified with the licensee's name and
7 town of residence as it appears on the license and the license
8 number.

9 B. A vehicle used by a licensee must have
10 identification displayed so that it is readily visible from
11 either side of the vehicle in letters and numbers not less than
12 2-1/2 inches high and with a three-eighths inch wide stroke.
13 Identification may be permanently affixed to vehicles or
14 displayed on removable plates or placards placed on opposite
15 doors of the vehicle or on the tanks carried on the vehicle.

16 6250.0500 IMPORTATION OF AQUATIC LIFE.

17 Subpart 1. **Licensed facilities.** The following provisions
18 apply to the importation of aquatic life:

19 A. The commissioner may issue transportation permits
20 to import:

21 (1) indigenous and naturalized species except
22 trout, salmon, and catfish from any source to a standard
23 facility;

24 (2) trout, salmon, and catfish from a
25 nonemergency disease area to a containment facility if the fish
26 are certified within the previous year to be free of certifiable
27 diseases, except that eggs with enteric redmouth, whirling
28 disease, or furunculosis may be imported following treatment
29 approved by the commissioner, and fish with bacterial kidney
30 disease may be imported into areas where the disease has been
31 previously introduced; and

32 (3) trout, salmon, and catfish from a facility in
33 a nonemergency disease area with a disease-free history of three
34 years or more to a standard facility, except that eggs with
35 enteric redmouth, whirling disease, or furunculosis may be

1 imported following treatment approved by the commissioner, and
2 fish with bacterial kidney disease may be imported into areas
3 where the disease has been previously introduced.

4 B. If a source facility in a nonemergency disease
5 area cannot demonstrate a history free from disease, aquatic
6 life may only be imported into a quarantine facility.

7 Subp. 2. **Enzootic disease area.** The following provisions
8 apply to the importation of aquatic life in enzootic disease
9 areas:

10 A. Except as otherwise provided and except that eggs
11 with enteric redmouth, whirling disease, or furunculosis may be
12 imported following treatment approved by the commissioner, and
13 fish with bacterial kidney disease may be imported into areas
14 where the disease has been previously introduced, fish may be
15 imported from emergency disease enzootic areas only as
16 fertilized eggs under the following conditions:

17 (1) to be imported into a standard facility,
18 fertilized eggs must have a disease-free history for at least
19 five years;

20 (2) to be imported into a containment facility,
21 fertilized eggs must have a disease-free history for at least
22 three years; or

23 (3) to be imported into a quarantine facility,
24 fertilized eggs may have a disease-free history of less than
25 three years.

26 B. A hatchery inspection must occur at least once a
27 year and fish must have been tested for all certifiable
28 diseases. The inspection must include at least viral testing of
29 ovarian fluids at the 95 percent confidence level of detecting
30 two percent incidence of disease (ovarian fluids must be sampled
31 for certification of viral hemorrhagic septicemia and infectious
32 hematopoietic necrosis). Bacterial diseases must be sampled at
33 the 95 percent confidence level with a five percent incidence of
34 disease. The inspection must be performed by a fish health
35 inspector in cooperation with the producer with subsequent
36 examination of the collected tissues and fluids for the

1 detection of certifiable diseases.

2 6250.0600 STOCKING PRIVATE AQUATIC LIFE.

3 A person may not release private aquatic life into public
4 waters that are not licensed as part of a private fish hatchery
5 without first obtaining a transportation permit from the
6 commissioner. The commissioner may deny issuance of a permit if
7 releasing the private aquatic life is not consistent with the
8 management plan for the public waters.

9 6250.0700 LICENSE AND INSPECTION FEES.

10 Subpart 1. **Private fish hatchery.** The private fish
11 hatchery license must contain endorsements for the rights and
12 privileges of the following licenses under the game and fish
13 laws. The endorsements must be made upon payment of the license
14 fee provided by Minnesota Statutes, section 97A.475, for the
15 following licenses:

- 16 A. minnow dealer license;
- 17 B. minnow retailer license for sale of minnows as
18 bait;
- 19 C. minnow exporting license;
- 20 D. minnow dealer helper license;
- 21 E. private fish hatchery vehicle endorsement, which
22 includes a minnow dealer vehicle license, a minnow retailer
23 vehicle license, an exporting minnow hauler vehicle license, and
24 a fish vendor vehicle license;
- 25 F. sucker egg taking license; and
- 26 G. game fish packers license.

27 Subp. 2. **Inspection fees.** The fees for the following
28 inspections are:

- 29 A. initial inspection of each water to be licensed,
30 \$50;
- 31 B. fish health inspection and certification, \$20 plus
32 \$80 per lot thereafter; and
- 33 C. initial inspection for containment and quarantine
34 facility inspections, \$50.

1 6250.0800 DISEASE TRANSMISSION.

2 Subpart 1. Facility designation. The following provisions
3 apply to the designation of facilities to prevent disease
4 transmission:

5 A. The licensee may apply to the commissioner for
6 designation of all or a portion of a facility as a standard,
7 containment, or quarantine facility on forms provided by the
8 commissioner either as part of the license application or
9 separately.

10 B. By 15 business days after an application is
11 received, the commissioner must notify the applicant if there
12 are any deficiencies in the application. By 30 business days
13 after a complete application is received, the commissioner will
14 approve or deny the designation requested.

15 Subp. 2. Disinfection. The following provisions apply to
16 disinfection of effluent from containment facilities:

17 A. Containment facilities must disinfect effluent
18 prior to discharge to public waters. The effluent required to
19 be disinfected includes water used by a containment facility in
20 the production of the aquatic life of concern, waste or
21 mortalities from the aquatic life of concern, and live forage or
22 commercial feed discarded from the containment facility. Runoff
23 from precipitation and excess water from natural springs, wells,
24 or other sources that is not used in the production of aquatic
25 life is not effluent to be disinfected.

26 B. Disinfection treatment may include chlorination or
27 other processes. If chlorine disinfection is utilized, a
28 measurable residual level of 1.0 part per million of active
29 chlorine in the effluent must be maintained for one hour of
30 retention time. The effluent must comply with chapter 7050.

31 C. A disinfection treatment process must ensure
32 uninterrupted effluent treatment in the event of electrical
33 power failure, a primary system failure, or other similar events
34 that would cause treatment interruptions.

35 D. The effluent disinfection process must be sited,
36 designed, and operated in a manner that allows inspection by the

1 commissioner at all times to determine whether adequate effluent
2 disinfection is maintained.

3 E. The commissioner may prescribe reasonable
4 documentation of daily monitoring of treatment system
5 performance to be included in the licensee's annual report. The
6 records must be available for daily inspection by the
7 commissioner during normal business hours and maintained for
8 three years.

9 Subp. 3. **Fish health inspection.** The following provisions
10 apply to fish health inspections:

11 A. A private fish hatchery propagating trout, salmon,
12 or catfish and having an effluent discharge from the private
13 fish hatchery into public waters must have an annual fish health
14 inspection conducted by a certified fish health inspector.
15 Testing must be conducted according to approved laboratory
16 methods.

17 B. A fish health inspection fee must be charged based
18 on each lot of fish sampled. The fee, by check or money order
19 payable to the department, must be prepaid or paid at the time a
20 bill or notice is received from the commissioner that the
21 inspection and processing of samples is completed.

22 C. Upon receipt of payment and completion of
23 inspection, the commissioner will notify the operator and issue
24 a fish health certificate. The certification must be made
25 according to the Fish Health Blue Book by a person certified as
26 a fish health inspector.

27 D. All aquatic life in transit or held at transfer
28 stations within the state may be inspected by the commissioner.
29 This inspection may include the collection of stock for purposes
30 of pathological analysis. Sample size necessary for analysis
31 will follow guidelines listed in the Fish Health Blue Book.

32 Subp. 4. **Emergency disease determination.** If an emergency
33 disease exists, the commissioner may order the fish in the
34 facility to be impounded, confiscated, sold, or destroyed and
35 the facility disinfected. The commissioner will make every
36 effort to allow disposed fish to be sold for market if there is

1 no imminent danger of a significant adverse impact on natural
2 fish populations or human health or of escape of the pathogen to
3 public waters.

4 6250.0900 GAME FISH.

5 Subpart 1. **Acquisition and purchase.** Game fish sperm,
6 viable game fish eggs, or live game fish may not be taken from
7 public waters for aquaculture purposes but may be purchased from
8 the state or acquired from licensed aquatic farms or private
9 fish hatcheries.

10 Subp. 2. **Restriction on sale of game fish.** Species of the
11 family salmonidae or ictaluridae, except bullheads, must be free
12 of certifiable diseases if sold for stocking or transfer to
13 another private fish hatchery or aquatic farm, except that eggs
14 with enteric redmouth, whirling disease, or furunculosis may be
15 transferred or stocked following treatment approved by the
16 commissioner, and fish with bacterial kidney disease may be
17 transferred or stocked to areas where the disease has been
18 previously introduced.

19 Subp. 3. **Acquisition of fish for brood stock.** Game fish
20 brood stock may be sold to private fish hatcheries by the state
21 at fair market value. As a one-time purchase for brood stock
22 development, up to 20 pairs of adults may be provided, if
23 available, by the state through normal operations.

24 Subp. 4. **Sale of eggs by state.** The commissioner may
25 offer for sale as eggs or fry up to two percent of the
26 department's annual game fish egg harvest. Additional eggs or
27 fry may be sold if they are surplus to this state's program
28 needs.

29 Subp. 5. **Purchase of eggs dependent upon facility.** A
30 licensee may purchase game fish eggs or fry from the state at a
31 rate based on the capacity of the facility to hatch and rear
32 fish. A licensee may purchase walleye at a rate of no more than
33 one-half quart of eggs or 5,000 fry for each acre of licensed
34 surface water. This limitation may be waived if a private fish
35 hatchery is an intensive facility. The allowable purchase of

1 trout or salmon eggs must be based on the capacity of rearing
2 tanks and flow of water through the private fish hatchery.

3 Subp. 6. Stocking walleye north of marked state Highway
4 210. Walleye from outside of the area of the state north of
5 marked state Highway 210 may not be stocked in waters of the
6 state north of marked state Highway 210 without approval by the
7 commissioner.

8 6250.1000 MINNOWS.

9 Subpart 1. Taking from public waters. A licensee may take
10 minnow sperm, minnow eggs, and live minnows from public waters
11 for private fish hatchery purposes under a private fish hatchery
12 license.

13 Subp. 2. Importation of live minnows. Minnows from
14 outside of this state may not be imported live except as
15 provided by Minnesota Statutes, section 97C.515.

16 6250.1100 SUCKER EGGS.

17 Sucker eggs may be taken from public waters with a sucker
18 egg license endorsement, which authorizes sucker eggs to be
19 taken at a rate of one quart of eggs for each 1-1/2 acres of
20 licensed surface waters, except that for intensive culture
21 systems, sucker eggs may be taken at a rate of two quarts per
22 1,000 muskellunge fry being reared.

23 6250.1200 WHITE EARTH INDIAN RESERVATION.

24 Until the commissioner reaches an agreement with the White
25 Earth Indian Reservation regarding the acquisition and sale of
26 aquatic life from public waters, a private fish hatchery
27 licensee may acquire and transport rough fish, as defined by
28 Minnesota Statutes, section 97A.015, and yellow perch lawfully
29 acquired and possessed by a tribal member for sale under tribal
30 laws and regulations on the White Earth Indian Reservation.
31 Transportation of rough fish and yellow perch off the
32 reservation must be accompanied by documentation showing the
33 source and number of the yellow perch.

34 FISHING METHODS

1 ROUGH FISH

2 6252.0100 SEASONS AND METHODS FOR TAKING ROUGH FISH.

3 Rough fish may be taken by resident licensed individuals,
4 in accordance with Minnesota Statutes, sections 97C.371 and
5 97C.373, by the following methods during the period May 1 to,
6 but not including, the third Monday in February. Rough fish may
7 be taken by these methods between sunrise and sunset in all
8 inland waters, except where the taking of fish is otherwise
9 prohibited by law or rule:

10 A. Harpooning equipment may not be used within 1,000
11 feet of an established swimming beach. Harpooning equipment may
12 be discharged only when both the equipment and operator are
13 entirely beneath the surface of the water and may not be carried
14 in a cocked position while out of the water.

15 B. Rough fish may be taken by archery provided that
16 the arrows used are tethered or controlled by an attached line.
17 The use of crossbows is prohibited.

18 6252.0200 DAILY AND POSSESSION LIMIT OF ROUGH FISH TAKEN BY
19 SPEARING.

20 Daily and possession limits of rough fish taken by spearing
21 are:

- 22 A. suckers, 50;
- 23 B. redhorse, 50;
- 24 C. bullheads, 100; and
- 25 D. other species, no limit.

26 6252.0300 RESTRICTIONS ON TAKING ROUGH FISH.

27 Except as provided by Minnesota Statutes, section 97C.345,
28 rough fish may not be taken by spearing, harpooning, and archery
29 in any designated trout stream or lake, posted spawning area, or
30 any water where spawning, trapping, or hatchery operations are
31 being carried on.

32 6252.0350 PROHIBITION ON RETURNING ROUGH FISH TO WATERS.

33 Rough fish taken by spearing, harpooning, and archery may
34 not be returned to the water and rough fish may not be left on

1 the banks of any water of the state.

2 POSSESSION AND MARKING OF FISH NETS

3 6252.0400 REQUIRED MARKING OF FISH NETS.

4 Fish nets, including minnow seines used by minnow dealers,
5 must be marked, as provided by Minnesota Statutes, section
6 97C.351, as follows:

7 A. pound nets must be marked on the top rope of the
8 back side of the pound or crib;

9 B. fyke nets must be marked on the top side of the
10 end hoop opposite the lead;

11 C. hoop nets must be marked on the top side of an end
12 hoop;

13 D. seines must be marked on one end of the float line
14 near the first float; and

15 E. gill nets must be marked on one end of the float
16 line near the first float. One end of the gill net must have a
17 pole, stake, or buoy projecting at least two feet above the
18 surface of the water or ice.

19 Tags for marking nets must be of a minimum size of 2-1/2
20 inches by five-eighths inch and must be provided by the owner or
21 operator of the nets.

22 WHITEFISH AND CISCOES

23 6252.0500 OPEN SEASONS FOR TAKING WHITEFISH AND CISCOES.

24 Subpart 1. **Schedules designating open seasons for certain**
25 **waters.** The waters listed in each of the following schedules
26 will be open during the designated seasons to the netting of
27 whitefish and ciscoes. Unless otherwise indicated, the names of
28 the bodies of water refer to lakes.

29 Subp. 2. **Schedule I.** All bodies of water listed in this
30 schedule, known as Schedule I, are to be opened and closed on a
31 48-hour notice posted at lake accesses and other public places,
32 provided that a gill net or any part of a gill net may not be
33 set in any water deeper than six feet, measured from the lake
34 bottom to the top surface of the water or ice.

35

1		County
2		
3	Balsam, Big, T.58, 59, R.24,	Itasca
4	S.5 + Various	
5	Basswood, T.64, 65, R.9,	Lake
6	10, 11, S. Var.	
7	Bear Island, T.61, R.13,	St. Louis
8	S. Var.	
9	Deer, T.56, R.26, 27; T.57,	Itasca
10	R.26, 27, S. Var.	
11	Ely, T.57, 58, R.17,	St. Louis
12	S. Var.	Lake
13	Fall, T.63, R.11, 12,	
14	S. Var.; T.64, R.11,	St. Louis
15	S. Var.	Cook
16	Flour, T.64, R.1E, 1W	Kandiyohi
17	Green, T.120, R.33, 34;	
18	T.121, R.33, 34	Douglas
19	Ida, T.129, 130, R.38	Aitkin
20	Mille Lacs	Crow Wing
21		Mille Lacs
22		Itasca
23	Nashwauk, T.57, R.23, 24,	
24	S.7 + Var.	Lake
25	Newton, T.63, 64, R.11,	
26	S. Var.	Lake
27	Ojibway, T.63, R.9, 10,	
28	S. Var.	Cook
29	Poplar, T.64, R.1W, 2W	Douglas
30	Rachel, T.127, R.39	Itasca
31	Reilley (O'Reilly), T.56,	
32	R.24, S.5, 6	St. Louis
33	Shagawa, T.63, R.12, S. Var.	Becker
34	Straight, T.140, R.36,	
35	S.6 + Var.	St. Louis
36	Vermillion, T.61, R.16; T.62,	
37	R.14, 15, 16, 17;	
38	T.63, R.15, 16, 17,	
39	18 - all except	
40	Pike Bay, south and	
41	west of a north-	
42	south line at	
43	narrowest portion	
44	between Echo Point	
45	and Punchers Point,	
46	T.62, R.15, S.19 +	
47	Var.	
48		

49 Subp. 3. Schedule II. All bodies of water listed in this
50 schedule, known as Schedule II, are open during the dates
51 indicated by one of the following symbols:

52 A = Second Friday of October to first Sunday of December;

53 B = First Friday of November to second Sunday of December;

54 or

55 C = Second Friday of November to second Sunday of December.

56		Open
57		dates
58	County	
59		
60	Ball Club, T.144, R.25, 26;	Itasca
61	T.145, R.26	B
62	Bass, T.137, R.28	Crow Wing
63	Bass, north basin and Snyder	Itasca
64	Bay to the narrows, T.56,	

1	R.26		B
2	Bass, Big, T.140, R.26,	Cass	
3	S.27 + Various		B
4	Beltrami, T.148, R.32, 33	Beltrami	B
5	Bemidji, Little, T.142,	Becker	
6	R.39, S.23 + Var.		B
7	Benedict, T.142, R.32	Hubbard	B
8	Black Bear, T.46, R.29, 30;	Crow Wing	
9	T.47, R.29, 30		B
10	Blackduck, T.149, R.31	Beltrami	B
11	Blackwater, T.140, R.29,	Cass	
12	S.25 + Var.		B
13	Bowstring, T.146, R.25, 26;	Itasca	
14	T.147, R.25, 26		B
15	Bowstring, Little, T.58,	Itasca	
16	R.27, S.23 + Var.		B
17	Boy, T.142, R.27, 28	Cass	B
18	Buffalo, T.140, R.40, 41;	Becker	
19	T.141, R.40		C
20	Burgen, T.127, 128, R.37	Douglas	B
21	Buzzle, Big, T.148, R.35	Beltrami	B
22	Caribou, T.65, R.1E	Cook	A
23	Carr, T.146, R.33	Beltrami	B
24	Cass, T.145, 146, R.30, 31	Beltrami	
25		Cass	B
26	Clear, T.137, R.28	Crow Wing	B
27	Clearwater, T.149, R.35, 36	Beltrami	
28		Clearwater	B
29	Cotton, T.139, 140, R.40	Becker	B
30	Crane, T.67, R.16, 17	St. Louis	A
31	Crooked, T.144, R.31	Cass	B
32	Crooked, T.45, R.28, S.16	Crow Wing	
33	+ Var.		B
34	Crow Wing, Fifth and Sixth	Hubbard	
35	Lakes (channel between),		
36	T.140, R.33, S.20		B
37	Crow Wing, Seventh and	Hubbard	
38	Eighth Lakes (channel		
39	between), T.140, R.33,		
40	S.12 + Var.		B
41	Crow Wing, Ninth, T.140,	Hubbard	
42	141, R.32		B
43	Crystal, T.136, R.42	Otter Tail	C
44	Curfman, T.138, R.41	Becker	B
45	Cut Foot Sioux, T.146, 147,	Itasca	
46	R.27		B
47	Deer, T.148, R.34	Beltrami	B
48	Deer, T.64, R.1E, S.4 + Var.;	Cook	
49	T.65, R.1E, S.32 + Var.		A
50	Deer, T.62, R.24, S. Var.	Itasca	B
51	Detroit, T.138, 139, R.41	Becker	B
52	Eagle, T.45, R.29	Crow Wing	B
53	Elbow, Big, T.142, R.38, 39	Becker	C
54	Eunice, T.138, R.42, S.26	Becker	
55	+ Var.		B
56	Fish, T.137, R.42	Otter Tail	C
57	Fish Hook, T.140, R.34, 35	Hubbard	B
58	Floyd, Big, T.139, R.41	Becker	B
59	Fox, East, T.138, R.27	Crow Wing	B
60	Fox, West, T.138, R.27	Crow Wing	B
61	Franklin, T.136, 137, R.42	Otter Tail	C
62	Gilstad, T.148, 149, R.30	Beltrami	B
63	Graham, T.137, 138, R.40	Becker	
64		Otter Tail	B
65	Grant, T.146, 147, R.34	Beltrami	B
66	Graves, T.58, R.26	Itasca	B
67	Gull, T.134, R.29, 30;	Cass	
68	T.135, R.29	Crow Wing	B
69	Gull, Upper, T.135, R.29	Cass	B
70	Hanging Horn, Big, T.46, R.19	Carlton	B
71	Howard, T.141, R.31	Cass	B

1	Ice Cracking, T.141, R.38, 39	Becker	C
2	Isabella, T.61, R.8; T.62,	Lake	
3	R.7, 8		A
4	Island, T.141, R.35	Hubbard	B
5	Island, T.150, R.28	Itasca	B
6	Jack, T.141, 142, R.30	Cass	B
7	Jessie, T.147, 148, R.25	Itasca	B
8	Jessie, Little, T.147, R.25	Itasca	B
9	Jewett, T.134, R.43	Otter Tail	C
10	Kabekona, T.142, R.32;	Hubbard	
11	T.143, R.32, 33		B
12	Kabetogama, T.69, 70,	Koochiching	
13	R.19-22	St. Louis	A
14	Kimble, T.137, R.28	Crow Wing	B
15	Kitchie, T.146, 147, R.30	Beltrami	B
16	Lake of the Woods	Lake of the	
17		Woods	
18		Roseau	A
19	Latoka, T.128, R.38	Douglas	B
20	Leaf, East, T.134, R.37, 38	Otter Tail	C
21	Leaf, Middle, T.134, R.38	Otter Tail	C
22	Leaf, West, T.134, R.38	Otter Tail	C
23	Leavitt, T.139, R.25, 26	Cass	B
24	Leech, including Kabekona	Cass	
25	Bay and all other bays,	Hubbard	
26	T.141, R.29, 31; T.142,		
27	R.28, 29, 30, 31, 32;		
28	T.143, R.28, 29, 30, 31;		
29	T.144, R.28, 29, 30		A
30	Lida, T.135, 136, R.42	Otter Tail	C
31	Lizzie, T.136, 137, R.42	Otter Tail	C
32	Long, T.138, 139, R.41	Becker	B
33	Long, T.139, 140, R.34	Hubbard	B
34	Long, T.134, R.42, 43	Otter Tail	C
35	Long, Lower South, T.44,	Crow Wing	
36	R.29, 30		B
37	McCraney, T.143, R.40, S.25	Mahnomen	
38	+ Var.		B
39	Many Point, T.141,	Becker	
40	R.38; T.142, R.38, 39		B
41	Maple, T.60, R.27	Itasca	B
42	Margaret (Kilpatrick),		
43	T.135, R.29	Cass	B
44	Marquette, T.146, R.33	Beltrami	B
45	Maud, T.138, R.42	Becker	B
46	Melissa, T.138, R.41	Becker	B
47	Mitchell, T.138, R.27	Crow Wing	B
48	Moore, T.142, R.38, S.5;	Becker	
49	T.143, R.38, S.32	Clearwater	B
50	Movil, T.147, 148, R.33	Beltrami	B
51	Murphy, T.137, R.39, S.6;	Becker	
52	T.138, R.39, S.31	Otter Tail	B
53	Namakan, T.68, R.17, 18;	St. Louis	
54	T.69, R.17, 18, 19,		
55	except the narrows		
56	between Namakan and		
57	Sand Point Lakes		A
58	Net (Burnett), T.142, R.40,	Becker	
59	S.17 + Var.		B
60	Nisswa, T.135, R.29	Crow Wing	B
61	Oak (Mud), T.143, R.32, S.27	Hubbard	B
62	Osakis, T.128, R.35, 36;	Douglas	
63	T.129, R.35	Todd	B
64	Ossawinamakee (Long), T.136,	Crow Wing	
65	137, R.28		B
66	Pelican, T.135, R.27, 28;	Crow Wing	
67	T.136, R.27, 28		B
68	Pelican, Big, T.137, R.42, 43	Otter Tail	C
69	Pike, T.142, R.38	Becker	B
70	Pike, East, T.65, R.2E, 3E	Cook	A
71	Pike Bay, T.145, R.30, 31	Cass	B

1	Pillager, T.133, 134, R.30	Cass	B
2	Pimushe, T.147, 148, R.30, 31	Beltrami	B
3	Pine, Big, T.136, 137, R.38	Otter Tail	C
4	Pine, Little, T.136, R.39;	Otter Tail	
5	T.137, R.38, 39		C
6	Pine Mountain, T.138, R.30;	Cass	
7	T.139, R.30, 31		B
8	Plantaganette, T.145, R.33,	Beltrami	
9	34; T.146, R.33	Hubbard	B
10	Pokegama, T.54, R.25, 26;	Itasca	
11	T.55, R.25, 26		B
12	Portage, T.141, R.31	Cass	B
13	Portage, T.45, R.28, S.29	Crow Wing	
14	+ Var.		B
15	Potato and Eagle Lakes	Hubbard	
16	(channel between), T.141,		
17	R.35, S.22		B
18	Prairie, T.50, R.20	St. Louis	B
19	Pug Hole Lake, T.140, R.26,	Cass	
20	S.2 + Var.		B
21	Rainy, T.69-71, R.17-24	Koochiching	
22		St. Louis	A
23	Round, T.141, R.38, 39	Becker	B
24	Round, T.134, R.28, 29;	Crow Wing	
25	T.135, R.28, 29		B
26	Round, T.148, R.27, 28	Itasca	B
27	Roy, T.135, R.29	Cass	
28		Crow Wing	B
29	Rush Island, T.148, R.26,	Itasca	
30	S.15 + Var.		B
31	Sand, Big, T.147, 148, R.26	Itasca	B
32	Sand Point, T.67, R.16, 17;	St. Louis	
33	T.68, R.16, 17,		
34	except the narrows		
35	between Sand Point		
36	and Namakan Lakes		
37	and Sand Point and		
38	Little Vermillion		
39	Lakes		A
40	Sandy, T.149, R.35	Beltrami	B
41	Sandy, Big, T.49, R.23, 24;	Aitkin	
42	T.50, R.23, 24		B
43	Sauk, Big, T.126, 127, R.34	Stearns	
44		Todd	B
45	Serpent, T.46, R.28, 29	Crow Wing	B
46	Silver Island, T.60, R.6;	Lake	
47	T.61, R.6, 7		A
48	Snyder (Snider), T.143,	Mahnomen	
49	R.39, 40		B
50	Stalker, T.132, R.41	Otter Tail	C
51	Star, T.137, R.28	Crow Wing	B
52	Star, T.135, R.40, 41;	Otter Tail	
53	T.136, R.41		C
54	Steamboat, T.144, R.31, 32	Cass	
55		Hubbard	B
56	Strawberry, T.141, 142, R.40	Becker	B
57	Sucker, Lower (Big Sucker),	Cass	
58	T.144, R.30;		
59	T.145, R.29, 30		B
60	Swan, T.55, 56, R.22, 23,	Itasca	
61	S. Var.		B
62	Ten Mile, T.140, R.30, 31;	Cass	
63	T.141, R.30, 31		C
64	Thunder, Big, T.140, R.26	Cass	B
65	Tulaby, T.142, 143, R.39	Becker	
66		Mahnomen	B
67	Turtle, Big, T.148, R.33	Beltrami	B
68	Turtle, Big, T.59, R.26, 27;	Itasca	
69	T.60, R.26, 27		B
70	Turtle, Little, T.148, R.31,	Beltrami	
71	32		B

1	Turtle River Lake, T.147,	Beltrami	
2	148, R.32		B
3	Twin Lakes, T.56, R.23, 24	Itasca	B
4	Victoria, T.128, R.37	Douglas	B
5	Wabedo, T.140, R.28	Cass	B
6	Washburn, T.139, 140, R.26	Cass	B
7	White Earth, T.142, 143, R.40	Becker	
8		Mahnomen	B
9	Wilson Bay, T.134, R.29, 30	Cass	B
10	Wimer, T.137, R.40	Otter Tail	C
11	Winnibigoshish, T.145, R.27,	Cass	
12	28, 29; T.146, R.27, 28,	Itasca	
13	29; T.147, R.27; 28		B
14	Winnibigoshish, Little,	Cass	
15	T.145, R.26, 27;	Itasca	
16	T.146, R.26, 27,		
17	except those		
18	portions within		
19	one-fourth mile of		
20	river channels		B
21	Wolf, Big, T.145, 146,	Beltrami	
22	R.32, S. Var.	Hubbard	B
23	Woman, T.140, R.28, 29;	Cass	
24	T.141, R.28, 29		B

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26 Subp. 4. Schedule III. That part of Upper Red Lake
27 located in Beltrami county (T.153, R.31, 32, 33, 34; T.154,
28 R.31, 32, 33, 34; T.155, R.30, 31, 32) and outside the Red Lake
29 Indian Reservation, known as Schedule III, is open from the
30 second Friday of October through the third Sunday of November
31 and it is permissible to set portions of gill nets in water
32 deeper than six feet, provided that one end of the gill net is
33 set in water no deeper than six feet, measured from the lake
34 bottom to the top surface of the water or ice. The minimum
35 allowable mesh size for these nets is 3-1/2 inches.

36 MINNOWS

37 6254.0300 WATERS CLOSED TO COMMERCIAL TAKING OF MINNOWS.

38 The waters described in this part are closed to commercial
39 taking of minnows:

40	Lake	Location	County
41			
42	A. Amber	T.102, R.30	Martin
43	B. Armstrong	T.108, R.29, S.17,18,19,20	Blue Earth
44	C. Budd	T.102, R.30	Martin
45	D. Eagle	T.108, R.25, S.6,7; T.108, R.26,	
46		S.1,12; T.109, R.25, S.31;	
47		T.109, R.26, S.35,36	Blue Earth
48	E. Elysian	T.108, R.24; T.109, R.24	Le Sueur, Waseca
49	F. Fox	T.102, R.32; T.103, R.32	Martin
50	G. George	T.102, R.30	Martin
51	H. Hall	T.102, R.30	Martin
52	I. Lydia	T.121, R.32, S.33	Meeker
53	J. Lieberg	T.108, R.29, S.15,16,21	Blue Earth
54	K. Martha	T.33, R.20, S.6; T.33, R.21, S.1	Chisago
55	L. Okabena	T.102, R.40	Nobles
56	M. Sandshore	T.34, R.24, S.25,26	Anoka

1	N. Scotch	T.110, R.25, S.22,23,24,26,27	Le Sueur
2	O. Silver, So.	T.101, R.30	Martin
3	P. Sisseton	T.102, R.30	Martin
4	Q. Warren	T.105, R.36, Area--Lake and	
5		100 feet below dam	Cottonwood
6			

7 6254.0700 PRIVATE HATCHERY LICENSE EXEMPTIONS.

8 Minnow dealers are not required to obtain an aquatic farm,
 9 as defined by Minnesota Statutes, section 17.4982, subdivision
 10 4, or private fish hatchery license when holding minnows in
 11 ponds for bait purposes, provided that no more than three ponds
 12 are used and no pond exceeds one acre.

13 6254.0800 TAKING MINNOWS ON LEECH LAKE INDIAN RESERVATION.

14 A person may not take minnows for commercial purposes
 15 within the boundaries of the Leech Lake Indian Reservation
 16 without having obtained the prior permission of the Leech Lake
 17 Band of Chippewa Indians in a manner and form the band requires.

18 TURTLES

19 6256.0500 COMMERCIAL TAKING OF TURTLES.

20 Subpart 1. **Scope.** The language of this part applies to
 21 individuals possessing turtle seller licenses.

22 Subp. 2. **Equipment.** Turtles may be taken by a person
 23 possessing a turtle seller's license by means of turtle traps,
 24 turtle hooks, and other authorized commercial fishing gear.

25 Flexible webbing turtle traps must be of mesh size not less
 26 than 3-1/2 inches bar measure or seven inches stretch measure.

27 Wire turtle traps must be of mesh size not less than 3-1/2
 28 inches bar measure and must have at least one square opening in
 29 the top panel measuring at least four inches on a side and one
 30 of the same dimension near the bottom in each of the side panels.

31 Subp. 3. **Prohibited methods of taking turtles.** A person
 32 possessing a turtle seller's license may take turtles in any
 33 manner except by the use of explosives, drugs, poisons, lime,
 34 and other harmful substances or firearms.

35 Subp. 4. **Operation of turtle trap.** A turtle trap must be
 36 set in water shallow enough to place the top no deeper than one
 37 inch below the water surface. Each trap must be checked and

1 serviced at intervals not exceeding 48 hours. A licensee may
2 not operate more than 40 traps.

3 Subp. 5. **Required marking of turtle trap.** When in use,
4 each turtle trap must have affixed on it a tag of permanent
5 material visible from above, legibly bearing the name, address,
6 and license number of the operator. This information must be
7 recorded in an indelible manner on the tag. The tag must be of
8 dimensions not less than 2-1/2 inches in length by five-eighths
9 inch in width.

10 Subp. 6. **Turtles taken incidental to other operations.**
11 Turtles taken incidental to other commercial fishing operations
12 may be possessed, transported, and sold, provided the operator
13 is a holder of a turtle seller's license.

14 Subp. 7. **Required reporting by turtle seller.** Reports
15 must be submitted, on forms provided by the commissioner, by a
16 holder of a turtle seller's license at the time of license
17 renewal or March 1, whichever comes first. The forms must
18 record the numbers and pounds of turtles taken, species of
19 turtles taken, and other information as specified.

20 Subp. 8. **Report on buying turtles for resale.** A licensee
21 who buys turtles for resale or for processing and resale must
22 keep a correct and complete book record of all transactions and
23 activities covered in the license, not inconsistent with
24 Minnesota Statutes, section 97A.425.

25 **MUSSELS**

26 **6258.0100 SEASON FOR HARVESTING MUSSELS FOR PERSONAL USE.**

27 During the open season, a person possessing a valid
28 resident or nonresident angling license or a person exempt from
29 licensing may take and possess at any time, for personal use
30 only, not more than 24 live whole or 48 shell halves of
31 freshwater mussels. Mussels may be harvested in waters of the
32 state where fish may be taken by angling. Mussels must be
33 harvested by hand picking only and may not be purchased or sold.

34 **6258.0200 SEASON TO COMMERCIALY HARVEST MUSSELS BY PERMIT.**

35 Subpart 1. **Open season for commercially harvesting**

1 **mussels.** The open season for taking mussels is May 16 through
2 August 31.

3 Subp. 2. **Allowed times for harvesting.** Mussels may be
4 harvested from sunrise to sunset only.

5 6258.0300 PERMITS FOR COMMERCIAL HARVEST OF MUSSELS.

6 Subpart 1. **Harvest permit required.** A person may not take
7 or possess more than 24 live whole or 48 shell halves of
8 freshwater mussels without first obtaining a written permit,
9 from the commissioner, to commercially harvest mussels.

10 Subp. 2. **Harvest permit issuance.** Commercial harvest
11 permits may be issued subject to the following criteria:

12 A. Applications must be submitted to the local area
13 or regional fisheries office on forms provided by the
14 commissioner.

15 B. Approved permits will be issued only to Minnesota
16 residents who possess a valid Minnesota resident angling license
17 or who are exempt from licensing.

18 C. Application forms must be signed by the
19 applicant. All requested information must be provided. Failure
20 to properly and fully complete an application form will result
21 in its rejection.

22 Subp. 3. **Harvest permit duration.** A permit to harvest
23 mussels may be issued annually and may be issued for periods
24 shorter than one season, at the discretion of the commissioner.

25 Subp. 4. **Harvest permit termination to protect resource.**
26 The commissioner may terminate a permit to harvest mussels upon
27 48 hours written notice to protect aquatic resources.

28 6258.0400 SPECIES FOR COMMERCIAL HARVEST.

29 Only three ridge (*Amblema plicata*) mussels may be harvested
30 under a commercial harvest permit. Additional species may be
31 requested for harvest from specific sites by special permit.
32 Three ridge mussels may lawfully be harvested, as live whole
33 mussels or shell halves, provided that they cannot pass through
34 a 2-3/4 inch diameter hole.

1 6258.0500 HARVEST SITES FOR PERMITTEES.

2 Subpart 1. Identification of mussel harvest sites. Mussel
3 harvest sites must be identified in the application and permit
4 by legal description or in other defining terms as needed to
5 accurately locate the area.

6 Subp. 2. Harvesting restricted outside of permitted site.
7 The taking of mussels by a permittee or crew member from a place
8 outside the permitted harvest site is prohibited.

9 6258.0600 HARVEST GEAR FOR PERMITTEES.

10 Mussels may be taken only by hand picking with or without
11 aid of breathing apparatus.

12 6258.0700 PERMITTEE HARVEST OPERATIONS.

13 Subpart 1. Notice of harvest operations. The permittee
14 must inform the local area fisheries office and conservation
15 officer 24 hours in advance of any intended mussel harvest
16 operations. Changes in location or dates will require an
17 additional notification.

18 Subp. 2. Required attendance of permittee. The permittee
19 must be in attendance at all mussel harvest operations.

20 Subp. 3. Limitation on size of a harvesting crew. A
21 mussel harvesting crew is limited to four persons, including the
22 permittee. Helpers' names must be listed on the permit and the
23 helpers must be Minnesota residents possessing a license to take
24 fish by angling or be exempted from licensing.

25 Subp. 4. Return of undersized mussels or shells.
26 Undersized three ridge mussels or unlawful mussel shells, live
27 or dead, must be returned immediately to the water at the site
28 where taken.

29 Subp. 5. Restriction on harvesting mussels near dams.
30 Harvesting of mussels may not occur within 1,000 feet downstream
31 of a dam.

32 6258.0800 PERMITTEE REPORTS, RECORDS, AND INSPECTIONS.

33 Subpart 1. Required records. A permittee must keep
34 records of each mussel sales transaction. The records must be

1 verifiable with supporting sales slips and include:

- 2 A. pounds of mussels sold;
- 3 B. name and address of the buyer; and
- 4 C. date of transaction.

5 Records must be kept current within 48 hours of each
6 transaction. Failure to keep complete and current records may
7 result in immediate revocation of the permit and may render the
8 permittee ineligible for permits for one year. All records must
9 be maintained and available for inspection, at the permittee's
10 address, for three years.

11 Subp. 2. **Required reports.** A permittee must submit
12 reports monthly while the permit is valid on forms provided by
13 the commissioner. Reports must be submitted by the 15th of each
14 month even if no harvest activity took place. All information
15 requested on the report must be provided. Failure to submit
16 required reports may result in revocation of the existing permit
17 and may render the permittee ineligible for permits for one year.

18 Subp. 3. **Inspections.** Records required in this part,
19 business and operation premises, and boats, vehicles, and gear
20 used in the mussel harvesting operations may be inspected at all
21 reasonable times by the commissioner.

22 6258.0900 SPECIAL RESTRICTIONS ON TAKING MUSSELS.

23 Subpart 1. **Restriction on returning processed mussels to**
24 **the water.** Meats resulting from the processing of live whole
25 mussels may not be returned to the water or deposited on a
26 shoreline or adjacent land. The meat of mussels lawfully
27 obtained may be used as bait for angling purposes.

28 Subp. 2. **Restriction on harvest of certain species of**
29 **mussels.** The Higgins' eye (*Lampsilis higginsii*), elephant ear
30 (*Elliptio crassidens*), ebony shell (*Fusconaia ebena*), winged
31 mapleleaf (*Quadrula fragosa*), fat pocketbook (*Proptera capax*)
32 mussels, or any mussel listed as endangered or threatened in
33 this state may not be harvested or intentionally disturbed. If
34 these species are located within the harvest site, all harvest
35 operations must immediately stop and the permittee or personal

1 use harvester must notify the area fisheries office within 24
2 hours.

3 Subp. 3. **Transfer of mussels prohibited.** Live mussels may
4 not be transferred within or between bodies of water, except
5 under permit issued by the commissioner.

6 COMMERCIAL FISHING OPERATIONS

7 COMMERCIAL FISHING GENERAL RESTRICTIONS

8 6260.0100 DEFINITIONS.

9 Subpart 1. **Scope.** The terms used in this chapter have the
10 meanings given them in this part.

11 Subp. 2. **Net bar measurement.** "Net bar measurement" means
12 the interior distance between adjacent angles of a single mesh
13 of a net when extended. An entire net or lot of netting is
14 considered to be of the same mesh size as the majority of ten or
15 more meshes in any part of the net or lot at least three meshes
16 removed from the selvage or side lines selected at random.

17 Subp. 3. **Net stretch measurement.** "Net stretch
18 measurement" means the interior distance between opposite knots
19 or corners of a single mesh of a net, taken between the thumb
20 and forefingers and applying enough pressure laterally to allow
21 the opposite side of the mesh to meet. An entire net or lot of
22 netting is considered to be of the same mesh size as the
23 majority of ten or more meshes in any part of the net or lot of
24 netting at least three meshes removed from the selvage or side
25 lines selected at random.

26 6260.0200 COMMERCIAL FISHING CONDITIONS AND PROHIBITIONS.

27 Subpart 1. **License, permit, or contract required.** A
28 person may not conduct a commercial fishing operation on any
29 waters of the state except under license, permit, or contract
30 and in conformance with the requirements of the license, permit,
31 contract, parts 6260.0100 to 6260.2400, and other applicable
32 law. The commissioner may require any commercial operator to
33 cease fishing operations when the commissioner finds that the
34 operations are destructive to game fish or for any other
35 reasonable cause.

1 Subp. 2. **Angling license requirements.** Permittees,
2 contractors, licensed commercial operators, or their helpers may
3 not engage in any commercial fish removal operations without
4 first being in possession of a valid Minnesota angling license
5 or be otherwise permitted by law to take fish by angling.

6 6260.0300 COMMERCIAL FISHING PERMIT ISSUANCE.

7 Subpart 1. **Issuance of permits for designated species.**

8 The commissioner may issue the permits listed in subparts 2 to 4
9 for the taking of designated species of fish by means and
10 conditions and in such waters and times as may be necessary for
11 the removal of the designated species.

12 Subp. 2. **Class A permits.** Class A permits may be issued
13 for the use of a hand-held implement or device used by a single
14 operator. Class A permits may also be issued for the taking of
15 turtles at night with the aid of an artificial light, subject to
16 the provisions of all applicable laws and part 6256.0500.

17 Subp. 3. **Class B permits.** Class B permits may be issued
18 for:

19 A. permanently or temporarily installed traps in
20 waters of the state with fish migrations;

21 B. the use of seines by persons other than licensed
22 inland commercial operators;

23 C. licensed inland commercial operators to fish
24 waters other than the core waters of their assigned area;

25 D. licensed inland commercial operators to fish
26 unassigned waters; or

27 E. licensed inland commercial operators to crib fish
28 in waters other than where taken.

29 Subp. 4. **Class C permits.** Class C permits may be issued
30 for:

31 A. licensed inland commercial operators to fish
32 waters assigned to other inland commercial operators;

33 B. licensed inland commercial operators to use gear
34 other than seines or hoopnets; or

35 C. experimental, research, or special projects.

1 6260.0400 COMMERCIAL FISHING REPORTS.

2 All commercial fishing operators must submit reports, on
3 forms provided by the commissioner, on their commercial fishing
4 activities containing all information as required by the
5 commissioner. Issuance of licenses, contracts, or permits may
6 be delayed until all reports have been received. The
7 commissioner may revoke a commercial fishing license, contract,
8 or permit of a person who fails to submit reports.

9 6260.0500 REQUIRED NOTIFICATION OF OPERATIONS.

10 Licensed commercial operators must notify the area
11 fisheries supervisor of each operation prior to the start of any
12 fishing activity. If contact with the area fisheries supervisor
13 cannot be made, the local conservation officer must be notified.

14 6260.0600 INSPECTION BY COMMISSIONER.

15 Inland commercial fish operators, their helpers, records,
16 premises, and operating sites, are subject to and must be
17 available for supervision and inspection by the commissioner
18 with respect to all commercial fishing activities and
19 transactions, including the disposition of fish removed.

20 6260.0700 ENTRY UPON OR USE OF LAND.

21 The licensee, permittee, or contractor must obtain any
22 permission necessary for entry upon or use of land in connection
23 with the fishing operations. Issuance of the license, permit,
24 or contract is not a guarantee by the state of access to or use
25 of land, nor does the state have any obligation to obtain
26 permission for access or use.

27 6260.0800 DISPOSITION OF NONLICENSED SPECIES.

28 Licensed commercial operators must use all reasonable means
29 to avoid taking, killing, or injuring fish other than those
30 which may be lawfully taken under their license. Fish of any
31 kind not permitted to be lawfully taken in licensed commercial
32 fishing operations must be immediately returned to the water.

33 6260.0900 SPORT ANGLING EQUIPMENT RESTRICTIONS.

1 Licensed commercial operators, crew members, or any person
2 associated with the commercial taking of fish may not possess
3 any game fish or sport angling equipment while operating
4 licensed commercial fishing gear or while traveling to or from
5 the place of operation of the gear.

6 6260.1000 DISCOVERY OF A FISH KILL.

7 Upon the discovery of a fish kill, an operator must notify
8 the area fisheries supervisor as soon as possible.

9 6260.1100 MARKING UNCOVERED HOLES IN ICE.

10 Uncovered holes through the ice must be marked in
11 accordance with Minnesota Statutes, chapter 86B. Marking signs
12 must be obtained and placed by the operator.

13 6260.1200 PROPER MAINTENANCE AND OPERATION OF FISHING GEAR.

14 Commercial fish operators must perform all measures
15 necessary to ensure proper maintenance and operation of their
16 fishing gear, including webbing repair of nets and daily
17 cleaning of stationary fish trap panels.

18 6260.1300 PREVENTION OF INTERFERENCE WITH PUBLIC USE OF WATERS.

19 Commercial fish operators must make every effort to prevent
20 interference with navigation, recreational activities, other
21 authorized commercial fishing operations, game fish spawning
22 areas, or other public use of the public waters in which they
23 are operating. They may not, in their operations, materially
24 impede or obstruct the flow of water or cause any overflow upon
25 public or private property.

26 GEAR FOR TAKING ROUGH FISH

27 6260.1400 GEAR SPECIFICATIONS FOR TAKING ROUGH FISH.

28 Subpart 1. Seine specifications. The mesh of seines may
29 not be more than the following specifications:

30 A. Seine bag: three inches, stretch measure.

31 B. The first 300 feet of seine on each side of the
32 bag: three inches, stretch measure.

33 C. The mesh in the balance of the seine: five

1 inches, stretch measure.

2 Subp. 2. **Hoop net specifications.** Hoop nets may not have
3 center leads over 25 feet long nor hoops that exceed four feet
4 in diameter. The mesh in all hoop nets, including leads, may
5 not be over two inches stretch measure. Twine used in hoop
6 nets, including leads, may not be smaller than size 18.

7 **COMMERCIAL FISHING IN INTERNATIONAL WATERS**

8 6260.1500 **COMMERCIAL FISHING ON NAMAKAN AND SAND POINT LAKES.**

9 Subpart 1. **Species, seasons, and limits.** Whitefish and
10 rough fish may be taken by licensed commercial operators in
11 Namakan Lake and Sand Point Lake only from January 1 through
12 March 15 and from May 16 through December 31.

13 The minimum size limit for whitefish taken by commercial
14 fishing operations is 18 inches total length.

15 Subp. 2. **Use of gill nets.** Gill net sections of 500 feet
16 in length or less in Namakan Lake are considered a single net.
17 Gill nets may not extend more than 50 meshes in depth when in
18 operation. Gill nets may be set in connected strings of any
19 number.

20 Subp. 3. **Use of pound and fyke nets.** The mesh of the
21 pound in pound and fyke nets may not exceed four inches, stretch
22 measure.

23 Subp. 4. **Use of submerged trap nets.** The mesh of the
24 pound or crib of submerged trap nets may not exceed three
25 inches, stretch measure.

26 Subp. 5. **Restrictions on gear.** The provisions of this
27 subpart apply to commercial gear restrictions on Namakan and
28 Sand Point Lakes:

29 A. Gill nets and submerged trap nets must contain a
30 buoy at each end of each net or string of nets and each buoy
31 must be marked with a white flag extending not less than three
32 feet above the water. The flag must not be less than one foot
33 square.

34 B. Pound, fyke, and submerged trap nets may be set in
35 connected strings of not more than two.

1 C. Licensees may not operate more than 3,500 feet of
2 gill nets on Namakan Lake.

3 D. All nets must be lifted and emptied of fish at
4 least once in every 48-hour period when set in open water and at
5 least once in every 96-hour period, weather permitting, when set
6 under the ice.

7 6260.1600 COMMERCIAL FISHING ON RAINY LAKE.

8 Subpart 1. **Species, seasons, and limits.** Whitefish and
9 rough fish may be taken by licensed commercial operators in
10 Rainy Lake from June 1 through December 31 subject to the
11 specified length limits. The minimum length for whitefish taken
12 by commercial fishing operations is 18 inches.

13 Subp. 2. **Use of pound nets.** Pound net leads may not
14 exceed 825 feet in length. Pound nets may be not set in
15 connected strings of more than two.

16 Subp. 3. **Net locations.** Nets may not be set within 500
17 feet of the mouth of any stream nor within that portion of Rainy
18 Lake, including Black Bay, within the boundaries of Koochiching
19 county under the jurisdiction of this state. Under special
20 permit, pound, trap, or fyke nets may be set at any place within
21 any closed area of Rainy Lake which is approved by the
22 commissioner during the period from June 15 through April 15 for
23 the sole purpose of taking rough fish and whitefish. Nets may
24 not be lifted except during daylight hours.

25 Subp. 4. **Lifting of nets.** All nets in Rainy Lake must be
26 lifted and emptied of fish at least once in every 48-hour
27 period, unless a longer period is granted by the commissioner.

28 Subp. 5. **Special provisions for commercial fishing on**
29 **Rainy Lake.** The provisions in this subpart apply to commercial
30 fishing operations on Rainy Lake:

31 A. Monthly reports must be submitted by the tenth day
32 of the month following the month reported to Area Fisheries
33 Headquarters.

34 B. In case of the death of a licensed commercial
35 operator during the fishing season, the operator's legal

1 representative or successor in interest succeeds to the rights
2 of the deceased license holder and may continue operations under
3 the license until its expiration.

4 6260.1700 COMMERCIAL FISHING ON LAKE OF THE WOODS.

5 Subpart 1. **Species, seasons, and limits.** The commercial
6 fishing season on Lake of the Woods is January 1 through
7 December 31.

8 Subp. 2. **Use of fyke nets.** Fyke nets may be used as
9 provided by Minnesota Statutes, section 97C.825, except that a
10 lead may not exceed 300 feet in length. The size of the mesh in
11 the crib may not be less than 2-1/2 inches nor more than four
12 inches, stretch measure. The wings may not exceed 100 feet in
13 length and the lead may not exceed 300 feet in length. The
14 hoops may not exceed six feet in height.

15 Subp. 3. **Use of staked trap nets.** The crib of staked trap
16 nets in Lake of the Woods may not exceed 22 feet on any side
17 with the top open and breaching the water surface. The lead may
18 not exceed 400 feet in length.

19 Subp. 4. **Use of pound nets.** There is no limit on the size
20 of the crib of pound nets in Lake of the Woods. The crib must
21 have an opening at the top breaching the water surface. The
22 lead may not exceed 825 feet in length.

23 Subp. 5. **Use of submerged trap nets.** Submerged trap nets
24 in Lake of the Woods must contain a buoy at each end of each net
25 and each buoy must be marked with a yellow or blaze orange flag
26 displaying not less than one square foot of surface and rising
27 not less than three feet above the water. Attached to the staff
28 of each buoy must be an identification tag. The minimum size of
29 the tag must be 2-1/2 inches by five-eighths inch. Each tag
30 must have the operator's name and license number engraved upon
31 it.

32 Subp. 6. **Restrictions on gear used in Lake of the Woods.**
33 The provisions in this subpart apply to commercial gear
34 restrictions on Lake of the Woods:

35 A. Fyke, staked trap, and pound nets have no depth

1 limitation, but may be set only in areas specified in the
2 license, and may be set in strings of not more than two.

3 B. Commercial fishing in Lake of the Woods is
4 prohibited within 500 feet of the mouth of any stream, within
5 two miles of the lakeside shoreline of Pine Island, or in Four
6 Mile Bay and Zippel Bay.

7 In Muskeg Bay from June 20 through October 14, no portion
8 of a net may be in water less than 15 feet deep. Along the
9 southern shoreline of Big Traverse Bay from June 1 through
10 October 14, no portion of a net may be in water less than 15
11 feet deep. Submerged trap nets may be set in strings of not
12 more than two. Submerged trap nets may not be placed in the
13 Northwest Angle Inlet west of a line from a point on the
14 international boundary midway between Buckets Island and
15 Magnuson Island; thence southeasterly to the easterly shore of
16 Magnuson Island; thence southerly and westerly along said shore
17 to the line between Twp. 168 N., Rge. 34 W., Sec. 23 and Sec.
18 24; thence south to the shore of the mainland in Twp. 168 N.,
19 Rge. 34 W, Sec. 26.

20 C. All nets must be lifted and emptied of fish at
21 least once every 48-hour period in Lake of the Woods, unless a
22 longer period is granted by the commissioner.

23 Subp. 7. **Required reporting.** Commercial operators
24 licensed to fish Lake of the Woods must submit monthly reports
25 by the tenth day of the month following the month reported to
26 the area fisheries headquarters.

27 Subp. 8. **Helper's license restrictions.** A person may not
28 be issued more than one helper's license for Lake of the Woods
29 unless they are the holder of a commercial master license.

30 Subp. 9. **Operation under two licenses.** A person may not
31 operate under a master and a helper commercial fishing license
32 during the same license year on Lake of the Woods.

33 Subp. 10. **Death of commercial operator.** In case of the
34 death of a licensed commercial operator licensed to fish Lake of
35 the Woods, the operator's legal representative or successor in
36 interest succeeds to the rights of the deceased license holder,

1 and may continue operations under the license until its
2 expiration.

3 Subp. 11. **Required stake removal.** Within ten days after
4 removing nets, commercial operators must remove from the lake
5 bed all net stakes used in their operations.

6 COMMERCIAL FISHING ON LAKE SUPERIOR

7 6260.1800 COMMERCIAL FISHING ON LAKE SUPERIOR.

8 Subpart 1. **Species, seasons, and limits.** The species of
9 fish in this subpart may be taken in Lake Superior by licensed
10 commercial operators in accordance with this subpart:

11 A. Ciscoes, chubs, alewives, whitefish, menominee
12 whitefish, smelt, and rough fish may be taken at any time,
13 except that lake herring may be taken from December 1 through
14 October 31.

15 B. Whitefish may be taken in pound or trap nets at
16 any time but no whitefish less than 20 inches total length may
17 be possessed, bought, or sold. Whitefish less than 20 inches in
18 length must be returned to the water immediately.

19 C. Lake trout may not be taken by commercial fishing
20 except by permit and no lake trout less than 17 inches in length
21 may be possessed, bought, or sold. Lake trout legally taken
22 under permit must be sealed with a tag, provided by the
23 commissioner, affixed through the mouth and out the gill. The
24 tag must be affixed immediately upon removal from the water and
25 before the boat is brought to shore. No untagged lake trout may
26 be possessed, bought, or sold by licensed commercial operators.
27 Lake trout of lawful size incidentally taken to commercial
28 operations and dead when removed from the water may be possessed
29 only if sealed with a tag, provided by the commissioner, affixed
30 through the mouth and out the gill. Untagged incidentally taken
31 lake trout may not be possessed, bought, or sold by licensed
32 commercial operators. All incidentally taken live lake trout
33 and all untagged dead lake trout must be returned to the water
34 immediately.

35 Subp. 2. **Use of gill nets.** While used on Lake Superior, a

1 tag which is not smaller than 2-1/2 inches by five-eighths inch
2 permanently bearing the owner's name and address must be
3 attached to one end of the gill net float line near the first
4 float.

5 While used on Lake Superior, herring nets are considered
6 gill nets which are weighted to fish in a floating or suspended
7 position off the bottom, and cisco or chub nets are gill nets
8 which are weighted to fish on the bottom.

9 Subp. 3. **Use of pound or trap nets.** Pound or trap nets
10 used on Lake Superior may be of any dimensions or mesh size.
11 Pound or trap nets must be marked with a tag which is at least
12 2-1/2 inches by five-eighths inch permanently bearing the
13 owner's name and address and attached to the top rope of the
14 back side of the pound or crib. Trap nets set with anchors must
15 have attached to the end farthest from shore one fluorescent
16 orange or fluorescent red marker buoy constructed so that a
17 minimum of 18 inches of buoy surface is visible above water in
18 the absence of current or under the weight of nets and line.
19 The number of the owner's Lake Superior commercial fishing
20 license must be plainly marked, in black, on the marker buoy.
21 The marker buoy must be marked with a fluorescent orange or
22 fluorescent red flag, at least one foot square, attached to the
23 top of a flag staff at least five feet long, and the buoy
24 constructed so that the flag staff is supported in a vertical
25 position. All buoys and floats used in pound or trap net sets
26 must be constructed of styrofoam, plastic, rubber, or other
27 materials nonhazardous to navigation.

28 Subp. 4. **Required net markings.** Gill nets, when set in
29 Lake Superior, must be attached at each end to fluorescent
30 orange or fluorescent red marker buoys constructed such that a
31 minimum of 18 inches of buoy surface is visible above water in
32 the absence of current or under the weight of nets and lines.
33 The number of the owner's Lake Superior commercial fishing
34 license must be plainly marked, in black, on each end marker
35 buoy. Each end marker buoy must be marked with a fluorescent
36 orange or fluorescent red flag, at least one foot square,

1 attached to the top of a flag staff at least five feet long, and
2 the buoy must be constructed so that the flag staff is supported
3 in a vertical position. In addition, the marker buoy attached
4 to the shoreward (or westerly) end of each set must have a one
5 foot square white flag positioned immediately below the
6 fluorescent orange or fluorescent red flag. No other buoys
7 employed in gill net sets may be marked with fluorescent orange
8 or fluorescent red flags. All buoys and floats used in gill net
9 sets must be constructed of styrofoam, plastic, rubber, or other
10 materials nonhazardous to navigation.

11 Subp. 5. **Net limits for individual operators.** No more
12 than 100,000 feet of herring net may be licensed in Minnesota
13 waters of Lake Superior and no more than 2,000 feet of herring
14 net may be allocated to an individual licensee, except as
15 provided by Minnesota Statutes, section 97C.835.

16 No more than 120,000 feet of cisco or chub net may be
17 licensed in Minnesota waters of Lake Superior and no more than
18 12,000 feet of cisco or chub net may be allocated to an
19 individual licensee, except as provided by Minnesota Statutes,
20 section 97C.835.

21 Subp. 6. **Net locations.** Gill nets may not be set within
22 one-quarter mile of the shore in the area extending from the
23 Superior entrance to Pigeon River, except under permit issued by
24 the commissioner. Gill nets set on the bottom may not be in
25 water shallower than 40 fathoms except under permit.

26 Subp. 7. **Required reporting.** Commercial fishing operators
27 must submit a record of their commercial fishing operations for
28 each month of the calendar year. These reports must be
29 submitted within ten days after the end of the month for which
30 the report is made. Reports must be made regardless of whether
31 fish are taken and regardless of whether any fishing operations
32 have taken place.

33 **COMMERCIAL FISHING ON INLAND MISSISSIPPI RIVER**

34 6260.1900 **COMMERCIAL FISHING ON INLAND MISSISSIPPI RIVER.**

35 Subpart 1. **Species, seasons, and limits.** Rough fish may

1 be taken in the Mississippi River from the St. Croix River
 2 junction to St. Anthony Falls, including the following waters:

3 Waters	County	Description
4 A. River Lake	Dakota	T. 27 N.; R. 22 W.; S. 23, 26, 27
5 B. Spring Lake	Dakota	T. 115 N.; R. 18 W.; S. 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 21, 22, 23
9 C. Pickerel Lake	Dakota and 10 Ramsey	T. 28 N.; R. 23 W.; S. 12, 13
11 D. Pig Eye Lake	Ramsey	T. 28 N.; R. 22 W.; S. 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 23
14 E. Baldwin Lake	Washington	T. 26 N.; R. 22 W.; S. 1; T. 27 N.; R. 22 W.; S. 25, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36
18 F. Connelly's Lake (Conley)	Washington	T. 26 N.; R. 20 W.; S. 7, 8
20 G. Grey Cloud Slough	Washington	T. 27 N.; R. 21 W.; S. 30, 31, 32, 33; T. 27 N.; R. 22 W.; S. 24, 25
24 H. Moore Lake	Washington	T. 27 N.; R. 21 W.; S. 30; T. 27 N.; R. 22 W.; S. 25, 26

28 Subp. 2. Restrictions on use of bait for set lines. A
 29 person using set lines may not use any frogs, bullheads, or
 30 perch of any size for bait on the Inland Mississippi River.

31 Subp. 3. Set line markings. All set lines on the Inland
 32 Mississippi River must be equipped with a tag furnished by the
 33 commissioner. At one end of every set line there must be a
 34 white flag at least 16 inches square, the upper end of which
 35 must extend at least two feet above the water and which must be
 36 numbered with figures at least three inches in height
 37 corresponding with the number of the license authorizing the use
 38 of the set line.

39 Subp. 4. Lifting and set times. Set lines must be lifted
 40 and all fish removed at least once every 48 hours and may be set
 41 or lifted only between sunrise and sunset. Commercial fishing
 42 regulations for boundary waters are found in chapter 6266 under
 43 the listing for each state.

44 COMMERCIAL FISHING ON INLAND WATERS

45 6260.2000 COMMERCIAL FISHING ON INLAND WATERS.

46 Subpart 1. Release of commercial fish. Commercial fish
 47 species may not be released into any waters, unless necessary to
 48 prevent injury to game fish. Fish placed in a holding crib must

1 not be returned to the water under any circumstances.

2 Subp. 2. **Assignment of fishing areas.** Licensees will be
3 assigned an inland commercial fishing area at the time the
4 license is issued. When it is determined that the issuance of a
5 class B or C permit is desirable for waters which are included
6 within the boundaries of an existing licensee's specified
7 fishing area, that licensee will be given the first opportunity
8 to apply for the permit, and will be considered before other
9 applicants. When it is determined that the issuance of a
10 contract is desirable for waters which are included within the
11 boundaries of an existing licensee's specified fishing area,
12 that licensee must be given first opportunity to apply for the
13 contract, and must be considered before other applicants.

14 Subp. 3. **Use of seines.** The mesh in the seine bag and
15 first 300 feet of each side of the bag used in inland waters may
16 not be larger than three inches, stretch measure. The balance
17 of the seine may not be of mesh size larger than five inches,
18 stretch measure. There is no limit on the depth of the seine
19 measured perpendicularly from cork line to lead line or in the
20 twine size or strength.

21 Subp. 4. **Use of hoop nets.** Center leads of hoop nets used
22 in inland waters may not exceed 25 feet in length and hoops may
23 not exceed four feet in diameter. The webbing for the entire
24 net may not exceed two inches, stretch measure, or be of twine
25 size less than 18 gauge or 150 pound strength.

26 Subp. 5. **Use of crib nets.** Crib net design for inland
27 waters is at the discretion of the operator, except that mesh
28 size in cribs may not be larger than two inches, stretch
29 measure, or be of twine size smaller than 18 gauge or 150 pound
30 strength. Wooden cribs must be constructed so that the sides
31 and bottoms have no openings larger than one inch.

32 Subp. 6. **Restrictions on seines and hoop nets.** Seines and
33 hoop nets used in inland commercial fishing operations must be
34 of a design which will allow the release of nontarget species
35 unharmed.

36 Subp. 7. **Marking of hoop nets.** A tag having a minimum

1 size of 2-1/2 inches by five-eighths inch and permanently
2 bearing the name and residence address of the operator must be
3 attached to the top side of the end hoop and near the top of a
4 hoop net stake of hoop nets used in inland waters. Hoop net
5 stakes must also be marked with an orange or yellow flag, at
6 least one foot square, the upper end of which extends at least
7 three feet above the surface of the water or ice. Hoop nets
8 that are set in open water with anchors must be marked with
9 white buoys of at least one gallon displacement bearing the name
10 and residence of the operator in contrasting color.

11 Subp. 8. **Marking of seines.** A tag having a minimum size
12 of 2-1/2 inches by five-eighths inch and permanently bearing the
13 name and residence address of the operator must be placed near
14 the first float on one end of the float line of seines used in
15 inland waters.

16 Subp. 9. **Lifting of hoop nets.** Hoop nets must be checked
17 not less than two times in each seven-day period during open
18 water fishing in inland waters and not less than one time in
19 each seven-day period when fishing under ice.

20 All commercial fish removal operations must be conducted
21 during daylight hours, when feasible. The area fisheries
22 supervisor must be notified immediately in the instance of an
23 exception.

24 Subp. 10. **Removal of gear.** All commercial fishing gear
25 and equipment must be removed from inland waters at the time a
26 license, permit, or contract becomes void. Hoop nets must be
27 removed from the water during the period between freeze-up in
28 the fall and ice-out in the spring.

29 **GENERAL PROVISIONS FOR COMMERCIAL FISHING OPERATIONS**

30 **6260.2100 INTENSITY AND TIMING OF FISHING EFFORTS.**

31 Licensees, permittees, or contractors must make an effort
32 to take fish in the specified area which effort is satisfactory
33 by the commissioner. Failure to make a satisfactory effort may
34 be grounds for nonrenewal of the license, permit, or contract.

35 **6260.2200 LICENSE REVOCATION.**

1 Upon revocation of the license, permit, or contract,
2 operators may not be eligible for another license, permit, or
3 contract until one year from the date of the revocation.

4 INLAND COMMERCIAL FISHING AREAS

5 6260.2300 COMMERCIAL FISHING AREAS WITHIN INDIAN RESERVATIONS.

6 Those portions of the inland commercial fishing areas and
7 core waters established by part 6260.2400 that lie within the
8 established boundaries of Indian reservations are not subject to
9 the provisions of parts 6260.0100 to 6260.2400.

10 6260.2400 DESCRIPTION OF INLAND COMMERCIAL FISHING AREAS.

11 Subpart 1. Identification of inland commercial fishing
12 areas. The areas described in this part are established as
13 inland commercial fishing areas. Within each area, the
14 specified waters are hereby designated as core waters. Core
15 waters are identified by name and county, Division of Waters
16 identification number (Id. No.), (Township (Twp.)), (Range
17 (Rge.)), and (Section (Sec.) number).

18 Subp. 2. Inland Commercial Fishing Area No. 1. Inland
19 Commercial Fishing Area No. 1 consists of all of Lincoln and
20 Lyon counties lying south of State Highway No. 19 and all of
21 Murray county lying north of State Highway No. 30.

22	Core Waters	Id. No.	Twp.	Rge.	Sec.
23	Bloody Lake				
24	Murray Co.	51-40	108	40	20, 28, 29
25	Fox Lake				
26	Murray Co.	51-43	108	40	21, 22, 27, 28
27	Shetek Lake				
28	Murray Co.	51-46	107, 108	40-41	Various
29	Sarah Lake				
30	Murray Co.	51-63	108	41	9, 15, 16, 17, 21, 22
31					
32	Currant Lake				
33	Murray Co.	51-82	108	42, 43	7, 18; 12, 13
34					

35 Subp. 3. Inland Commercial Fishing Area No. 2. Inland
36 Commercial Fishing Area No. 2 consists of all of Nobles,
37 Jackson, and Cottonwood counties plus all of Murray county lying
38 south of State Highway No. 30.

39	Core Waters	Id. No.	Twp.	Rge.	Sec.
40	North Oaks Lake				
41	Cottonwood Co.	17-44	105, 106	38	5, 8, 32
42	Talcot Lake				
43	Cottonwood and Murray				
44	Counties	17-60	105	38, 39	17-20, 30;

1					24, 25
2	Loon Lake				
3	Jackson Co.	32-20	101	35, 36	18, 19; 13, 24,
4					25
5	First Fulda				
6	(South Fulda Lake)				
7	Murray Co.	51-21	105	40	35, 36
8	West Graham Lake				
9	Nobles Co.	53-21	104	39	15, 16, 21, 22

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11 Subp. 4. Inland Commercial Fishing Area No. 3. Inland
12 Commercial Fishing Area No. 3 consists of all of Watonwan and
13 Martin counties.

14	Core Waters	Id. No.	Twp.	Rge.	Sec.
15	East Chain Lake				
16	Martin Co.	46-10	101	29, 30	7, 18, 19;
17					13, 24
18	South Silver Lake				
19	Martin Co.	46-20	101	30	29-32
20	Bright Lake				
21	Martin Co.	46-52	101	31	8, 9, 16, 17
22	Fox Lake				
23	Martin Co.	46-109	102, 103	32	4-6; 31-34
24	Cedar Lake				
25	Martin Co.	46-121	103, 104	32,33	19, 30; 1; 24,
26					25, 26

27
28 Subp. 5. Inland Commercial Fishing Area No. 4. Inland
29 Commercial Fishing Area No. 4 consists of all of the area that
30 lies within a boundary line starting at the city of Montevideo;
31 thence north on State Highway No. 29 to Chippewa County Highway
32 No. 13; thence west across the Minnesota River and continuing
33 west on Lac Qui Parle County Highway No. 20 to Lac Qui Parle
34 County Highway No. 31; thence south to U.S. Highway No. 212;
35 thence east to U.S. Highway No. 59; thence south to State
36 Highway No. 67; thence east to State Highway No. 23; thence
37 south to Lyon County Highway No. 10; thence east and continuing
38 east on Yellow Medicine County Highway No. 1 to Redwood County
39 Highway No. 7; thence north across the Minnesota River and
40 continuing north on Renville County Highway No. 9 to the
41 Chippewa County line; thence west to State Highway No. 23;
42 thence north to State Highway No. 7; thence west to Montevideo,
43 the point of beginning.

44 The Core Waters are the Minnesota River lying within the
45 described boundary.

46 Subp. 6. Inland Commercial Fishing Area No. 5. Inland
47 Commercial Fishing Area No. 5 consists of all of the area that
48 lies within a boundary line starting at the city of Paynesville;

1 thence west on State Highway No. 23 to State Highway No. 55;
 2 thence west to the Kandiyohi County line; thence north to the
 3 Stearns County line; thence west to U.S. Highway No. 71; thence
 4 south to U.S. Highway No. 12 at Willmar; thence west to the
 5 Kandiyohi County line; thence south to the Swift County line;
 6 thence west to State Highway No. 7; thence north to State
 7 Highway No. 119 at Appleton; thence north to U.S. Highway No.
 8 12; thence crossing U.S. Highway No. 12 and continuing north on
 9 Swift County Highway No. 5 to Swift County Highway No. 22;
 10 thence west to Big Stone County Highway No. 25 at Artichoke;
 11 thence south to State Highway No. 7 at Correll; thence west to
 12 U.S. Highway No. 75; thence south to Lac Qui Parle County
 13 Highway No. 34; thence east to State Highway No. 119; thence
 14 south to Lac Qui Parle County Highway No. 20; thence east
 15 crossing the Minnesota River and continuing east on Chippewa
 16 County Highway No. 13 to State Highway No. 29; thence south to
 17 State Highway No. 7 at Montevideo; thence east to State Highway
 18 No. 23; thence south to the Renville County line; thence east to
 19 the Meeker County line; thence north to the Stearns County line;
 20 thence east to Stearns County Highway No. 2; thence north to
 21 State Highway No. 23 at Cold Spring; thence west to Paynesville,
 22 the point of beginning.

	Core Waters	Id. No.	Twp.	Rge.	Sec.
23	Marsh Lake				
24	Big Stone, Lac				
25	Qui Parle, and				
26	Swift Counties	6-1	120	43, 44	Various
27	Big Kandiyohi Lake				
28	Kandiyohi Co.	34-86	117, 118	34	3; 20-23, 26-29, 31
29					
30	Lac Qui Parle Lake				
31	Lac Qui Parle,				
32	Chippewa, and				
33	Swift Counties	37-46	118-120	42, 43	Various
34	Cedar Island Lake				
35	Stearns Co.	73-133	123	30, 31	30-32; 24, 25, 36
36					
37	Horseshoe Lake				
38	Stearns Co.	73-157	123	31	25, 26, 34-36
39					
40					

41 Subp. 7. Inland Commercial Fishing Area No. 6. Inland
 42 Commercial Fishing Area No. 6 consists of all of the area that
 43 lies within a boundary line starting at the city of Willmar;
 44 thence west on U.S. Highway No. 12 to the Swift County line;
 45 thence south to the Chippewa County line; thence west to State

1 Highway No. 7; thence north to State Highway No. 119 at
 2 Appleton; thence north to U.S. Highway No. 12; thence crossing
 3 U.S. Highway No. 12 and continuing north on Swift County Highway
 4 No. 5 to Swift County Highway No. 22; thence west to Big Stone
 5 County Highway No. 25 at Artichoke; thence north to the Stevens
 6 County line; thence east to the Pope County line and continuing
 7 east including that portion of Camp Lake lying in Pope County,
 8 to the Kandiyohi County line and continuing east to U.S. Highway
 9 No. 7; thence south to Willmar, the point of beginning.

Core Waters	Id. No.	Twp.	Rge.	Sec.
10 Long Lake				
11 Kandiyohi Co.	34-192	120	35	11-15, 22, 23
12 East Solomon Lake				
13 Kandiyohi Co.	34-246	120	35, 36	20, 21, 28-30; 25
14 Monson Lake				
15 Swift Co.	76-33	121, 122	37	3; 35, 36
16 Camp Lake				
17 Swift and				
18 Pope	76-72	122, 123	38	1; 36
19 Counties				
20 Oliver Lake				
21 Swift Co.	76-146	121, 122	43	1; 26, 27, 35, 36
22				
23				
24				
25				

26 **Subp. 8. Inland Commercial Fishing Area No. 7. Inland**
 27 Commercial Fishing Area No. 7 consists of all that area starting
 28 at the junction of Minnesota State Highway No. 19 and the South
 29 Dakota border in Lincoln county; thence east on State Highway
 30 No. 19 to U.S. Highway No. 75; thence north crossing Yellow
 31 Medicine and Lac Qui Parle counties to the junction of State
 32 Highway No. 7; thence east to the junction of Big Stone County
 33 Highway No. 25 at Correll; thence north to the Stevens County
 34 line; thence following the Stevens County line west and then
 35 north to the Grant County line and continuing north to the
 36 northern Traverse County line; thence west to the
 37 Minnesota-North Dakota state boundary; thence south to the
 38 Minnesota-South Dakota state boundary and continuing south on
 39 the border to point of beginning at the junction of Minnesota
 40 State Highway No. 19 and the South Dakota border in Lincoln
 41 county.

Core Waters	Id. No.	Twp.	Rge.	Sec.
42 Big Stone Lake				
43 Big Stone County				
44 of Minnesota and				
45 Roberts and Grant				
46				

1	Counties of SD	6-152	121-124	46-49	Various
2	Hendricks Lake				
3	Lincoln County				
4	of MN and				
5	Brookings				
6	County of SD	41-110	112	46, 47	18, 19; 13, 24
7	Mud Lake				
8	Traverse County				
9	of MN and Roberts				
10	County of SD	78-24	127, 128	47, 48	Various
11	Traverse Lake				
12	Traverse County				
13	of MN and Roberts				
14	County of SD	78-25	125, 127	47-49	Various

15
16 Subp. 9. Inland Commercial Fishing Area No. 8. Inland
17 Commercial Fishing Area No. 8 consists of all of Stevens, Grant,
18 and Pope counties excluding Reno Lake (Pope and Douglas
19 counties), but including Christina Lake (Grant and Douglas
20 counties).

21	Core Waters	Id. No.	Twp.	Rge.	Sec.
22	Pelican Lake				
23	Grant and Douglas				
24	Counties	26-2	130	40, 41	18, 19; 11-15 22-27, 34, 35
25					
26	Barrett Lake				
27	Grant Co.	26-95	128	41, 42	6, 7; 1, 12
28	Pomme de Terre Lake				
29	Grant Co.	26-97	129, 130	41, 42	5-7; 29-32; 12; 25, 36
30					
31	Gilchrist Lake				
32	Pope Co.	61-72	123	37, 38	6-8, 17, 18; 1
33	Pelican Lake				
34	Pope Co.	61-111	125	38	9, 10, 16
35	Minnewaska Lake				
36	Pope Co.	61-130	125	38, 39	Various
37	Emily Lake				
38	Pope Co.	61-180	124	39, 40	Various
39	Perkins Lake				
40	Stevens Co.	75-75	126	41	19, 20, 29, 30
41	Hattie Lake				
42	Stevens Co.	75-200	124	43	20, 21, 28, 29

43
44 Subp. 10. Inland Commercial Fishing Area No. 9. Inland
45 Commercial Fishing Area No. 9 consists of all of Douglas county
46 excluding Christina Lake (Grant and Douglas counties), but
47 including Reno Lake (Pope and Douglas counties).

48	Core Waters	Id. No.	Twp.	Rge.	Sec.
49	Victoria Lake				
50	Douglas Co.	21-54	128	37	21, 22, 27-29
51	Maple Lake				
52	Douglas Co.	21-79	127	37, 38	19, 20, 29-31; 25, 36
53					
54	Mary Lake				
55	Douglas Co.	21-92	127, 128	38	4-9, 16-18; 32, 33
56					
57	Pocket Lake				
58	Douglas Co.	21-140	127	38, 39	18, 19; 24-26
59	Freeborn Lake				
60	Douglas Co.	21-162	127	39	19, 20
61	Red Rock Lake				
62	Douglas Co.	21-291	127, 128	40	5; 28, 29,

1 32, 33
 2 Reno Lake
 3 Pope and Douglas
 4 Counties 61-78 126, 127 37, 38 Various
 5
 6 Subp. 11. Inland Commercial Fishing Area No. 10. Inland
 7 Commercial Fishing Area No. 10 consists of that part of Otter
 8 Tail county that lies south of a boundary line starting at the
 9 junction of State Highway No. 29 and the eastern Otter Tail
 10 County line; thence west on State Highway No. 29 to Otter Tail
 11 County Highway No. 52; thence west to State Highway No. 108 and
 12 continuing west to State Highway No. 78; thence north to Otter
 13 Tail County Highway No. 1; thence west to Otter Tail County
 14 Highway No. 3; thence crossing Otter Tail County Highway No. 3
 15 and continuing west on Otter Tail County Highway No. 10 through
 16 Elizabeth to the western Otter Tail County line.

Core Waters Fish Lake	Id. No.	Twp.	Rge.	Sec.
Otter Tail Co.	56-66	131	37, 38	30; 25, 26
East Leaf Lake				
Otter Tail Co.	56-116	134	38	22-26
East Battle Lake				
Otter Tail Co.	56-138	132, 133	38, 39	Various
Stuart (Stewart) Lake				
Otter Tail Co.	56-191	132, 133	39	3, 4, 10; 33, 34
North Turtle Lake				
Otter Tail Co.	56-379	133	40, 41	19, 30; 23-26, 32-35
Bass Lake				
Otter Tail Co.	56-570	133	41, 42	31, 32; 36
North Ten Mile Lake				
Otter Tail Co.	56-604	131	42	16, 17, 20, 21
Ten Mile (South Ten Mile) Lake				
Otter Tail Co.	56-613	131	42	21, 27-29, 32-34

39
 40 Subp. 12. Inland Commercial Fishing Area No. 11. Inland
 41 Commercial Fishing Area No. 11 consists of that part of Otter
 42 Tail county bounded by a line starting at the junction of State
 43 Highway No. 29 and the eastern boundary line of Otter Tail
 44 county; thence north on the Otter Tail county line to the
 45 southern Becker county line; thence west to U.S. Highway No. 10;
 46 thence south to State Highway No. 228; thence west to Otter Tail
 47 County Highway No. 4; thence south to Otter Tail County Highway
 48 No. 35 at Vergas and continuing south to Otter Tail County
 49 Highway No. 1; thence east to State Highway No. 78; thence south
 50 to State Highway No. 108; thence east to Otter Tail County

1 Highway No. 52 and continuing east to State Highway No. 29 and
 2 continuing east to the eastern Otter Tail county line, the point
 3 of beginning.

4	Core Waters	Id. No.	Twp.	Rge.	Sec.
5	Big Pine Lake				
6	Otter Tail Co.	56-130	136, 137	38	Various
7	Little Pine Lake				
8	Otter Tail Co.	56-142	136, 137	38, 39	Various
9	Buchanan Lake				
10	Otter Tail Co.	56-209	134, 135	39	1, 2, 11; 35, 36
11					
12	Round Lake				
13	Otter Tail Co.	56-214	135	39	22, 27
14	Mud Lake				
15	Otter Tail Co.	56-222	136, 137	39	3, 4; 34, 35
16	Dead Lake				
17	Otter Tail Co.	56-383	134, 135	40, 41	Various

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 19 **Subp. 13. Inland Commercial Fishing Area No. 12.** Inland
 20 Commercial Fishing Area No. 12 consists of that part of Otter
 21 Tail county bounded by a line starting at the junction of U.S.
 22 Highway No. 10 and the northern Otter Tail county line; thence
 23 west to the eastern Clay County line; thence south to the
 24 southern Clay County line; thence west to the Wilkin County
 25 line; thence south to Otter Tail County Highway No. 10; thence
 26 east to Otter Tail County Highway No. 3; thence crossing Otter
 27 Tail County Highway No. 3 and continuing east on Otter Tail
 28 County Highway No. 1 to Otter Tail County Highway No. 35; thence
 29 north to Otter Tail County Highway No. 4 and continuing north
 30 through Vergas to State Highway No. 228; thence east to U.S.
 31 Highway No. 10; thence north to the Otter Tail County line, the
 32 point of beginning.

33	Core Waters	Id. No.	Twp.	Rge.	Sec.
34	Star Lake				
35	Otter Tail Co.	56-385	135, 136	40, 41	Various
36	East Spirit Lake				
37	Otter Tail Co.	56-501	136	41	4, 5, 8, 9, 16, 17
38					
39	Little Pelican Lake				
40	Otter Tail Co.	56-761	137	42	1, 2, 11, 12
41	Long (North				
42	Long) Lake				
43	Otter Tail Co.	56-784	134	42, 43	7, 18; 10-14
44	Prairie Lake				
45	Otter Tail Co.	56-915	136	43	10, 11, 14, 15
46	Tamarac Lake				
47	Otter Tail Co.	56-931	137	43	14, 15, 22, 23, 26
48					
49	Sand Lake				
50	Otter Tail Co.	56-942	137	43	35, 36

51
 52 **Subp. 14. Inland Commercial Fishing Area No. 13.** Inland
 53 Commercial Fishing Area No. 13 consists of that part of Becker

1 county west of U.S. Highway No. 59.

	Core Waters	Id. No.	Twp.	Rge.	Sec.
2	Monson (Munson) Lake				
3	Becker Co.	3-357	138	41	5, 8
4	Sallie Lake				
5	Becker Co.	3-359	138	41	7-9, 16-20
6	Melissa Lake				
7	Becker Co.	3-475	138	41, 42	19-21, 28-32;
8					25
9	Little Cormorant Lake				
10	Becker Co.	3-506	138, 139	42	4, 5; 28-33
11	Big Cormorant Lake				
12	Becker Co.	3-576	138	42, 43	7, 18, 19, 30;
13					1, 11-14,
14					22-25
15	Upper Cormorant Lake				
16	Becker Co.	3-588	138	43	4, 5, 8, 9,
17					15, 16, 17

23 Subp. 15. **Inland Commercial Fishing Area No. 14.** Inland
 24 Commercial Fishing Area No. 14 consists of that part of Becker
 25 county lying east of U.S. Highway No. 59 and all of Hubbard
 26 county south of Hubbard County Highway No. 9 except Steamboat
 27 Lake and all of Wadena county north of Wadena County Highway No.
 28 9.

	Core Waters	Id. No.	Twp.	Rge.	Sec.
29	Shell Lake				
30	Becker Co.	3-102	140	37, 38	7, 18; 9-16,
31					21 23, 24
32	Toad (Big Toad) Lake				
33	Becker Co.	3-107	139	38	4, 8-10,
34					15-17, 20, 21
35	Little Toad Lake				
36	Becker Co.	3-189	139	39	23-26
37	Height of Land Lake				
38	Becker Co.	3-195	139, 140	39	2-5, 9-11;
39					26-28, 32-34
40	Rock Lake				
41	Becker Co.	3-293	140	40	16, 17, 20,
42					21, 28, 29
43	Detroit Lake				
44	Becker Co.	3-381	138, 139	41	1-4, 9-15;
45					34-36
46	Little Floyd Lake				
47	Becker Co.	3-386	139	41	2, 3, 10, 11
48	Floyd Lake				
49	Becker Co.	3-387	139	41	3, 4, 9,
50					10, 15, 16

54 Subp. 16. **Inland Commercial Fishing Area No. 16.** Inland
 55 Commercial Fishing Area No. 16 consists of all of Meeker,
 56 McLeod, and Sibley counties, plus that part of Wright county
 57 that lies south of U.S. Highway No. 12 and west of State Highway
 58 No. 25.

	Core Waters	Id. No.	Twp.	Rge.	Sec.
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1	Francis Lake					
2	Meeker and					
3	Wright Counties	47-2	120	28, 29	6, 7; 1,	
4					11, 12	
5	Jennie Lake					
6	Meeker Co.	47-15	118	29	20, 21, 27-29,	
7					32, 33	
8	Big Swan Lake					
9	Meeker Co.	47-38	119, 120	29	1, 2, 14;	
10					35, 36	
11	Betty Lake					
12	Meeker Co.	47-42	121	29	23, 24	
13	Belle Lake					
14	Meeker and					
15	McCleod Counties	47-49	117, 118	30	2, 3; 26, 27,	
16					35	
17	Dunns Lake					
18	Meeker Co.	47-82	119, 120	30	3; 34	
19	Star Lake					
20	Meeker Co.	47-129	118, 119	31	5-8; 31, 32	
21	Ripley Lake					
22	Meeker Co.	47-134	119	31	14, 15, 22-26	
23	Collinwood Lake					
24	Wright and					
25	Meeker Counties	86-293	118	28, 29	6, 7; 1, 12	
26						

27 Subp. 17. Inland Commercial Fishing Area No. 17. Inland
28 Commercial Fishing Area No. 17 consists of all of Sherburne and
29 Wright counties except that part of Wright county that lies
30 south of U.S. Highway No. 12 and west of State Highway No. 25.

31	Core Waters	Id. No.	Twp.	Rge.	Sec.
32	Eagle Lake				
33	Sherburne Co.	71-67	33, 34	27	6; 30-32
34	Buffalo Lake				
35	Wright Co.	86-90	119, 120	25, 26	30, 31; 1; 25,
36					35, 36
37	Deer Lake				
38	Wright Co.	86-107	119	26	1, 2
39	Waverly Lake				
40	Wright Co.	86-114	119	26	28, 32, 33
41	Howard Lake				
42	Wright Co.	86-199	118, 119	27	3, 4; 27, 28,
43					33, 34
44	Clearwater Lake				
45	Wright and				
46	Stearns Counties	86-252	121, 122	27, 28	Various
47	Cokato Lake				
48	Wright Co.	86-263	119	28	14, 15, 23
49					

50 Subp. 18. Inland Commercial Fishing Area No. 18. Inland
51 Commercial Fishing Area No. 18 consists of all of Anoka, Ramsey,
52 and Washington counties, plus that part of Dakota county bounded
53 by a line from the junction of Highway I-494 and the eastern
54 line of Washington county; thence west on Highway I-494 to State
55 Highway No. 56; thence south to the northern boundary of Goodhue
56 county; thence east, including Byllesby Lake, on the
57 Dakota-Goodhue County line to the Minnesota-Wisconsin state line.

58	Core Waters	Id. No.	Twp.	Rge.	Sec.
59	Peltier Lake				

1	Anoka Co.	2-4	31	22	2, 10, 11,
2					14, 15
3	Centerville Lake				
4	Anoka Co.	2-6	31	22	14, 15, 22, 23
5	Byllesby Lake				
6	Dakota and				
7	Goodhue Counties	19-6	112	18	8-10, 14-16
8	Long Lake				
9	Ramsey Co.	62-67	30	23	17, 18, 20
10	Bone Lake				
11	Washington Co.	82-54	32	20	4, 5, 8, 9
12	Clear Lake				
13	Washington Co.	82-163	32	21	17, 18

14
 15 Subp. 19. Inland Commercial Fishing Area No. 19. Inland
 16 Commercial Fishing Area No. 19 consists of all of Hennepin
 17 county excluding that part bounded by a line starting at the
 18 junction of the eastern Carver County line and U.S. Highway No.
 19 169; thence easterly on U.S. Highway No. 169 to State Highway
 20 No. 5; thence west to the eastern Carver County line.

21	Core Waters	Id. No.	Twp.	Rge.	Sec.
22	Bryant Lake				
23	Hennepin Co.	27-67	116	22	2, 11
24	Medicine Lake				
25	Hennepin Co.	27-104	118	22	14, 23-26
26	Minnetonka Lake				
27	Hennepin and				
28	Carver Counties	27-133	116, 117	22-24	Various
29	Long Lake				
30	Hennepin Co.	27-160	118	23	26, 34, 35
31	Independence Lake				
32	Hennepin Co.	27-176	118	23, 24	7, 18, 19; 12,
33					13, 24

34
 35 Subp. 20. Inland Commercial Fishing Area No. 20. Inland
 36 Commercial Fishing Area No. 20 consists of all of Scott and
 37 Carver counties plus that part of Hennepin county bounded by a
 38 line starting at the junction of the eastern Carver County line
 39 and U.S. Highway No. 169; thence easterly on U.S. Highway No.
 40 169 to State Highway No. 5; thence west to the eastern Carver
 41 County line, plus that part of Dakota county west of a line
 42 starting at the junction of Highway I-494 and the eastern
 43 Washington County line; thence west on Highway I-494 to State
 44 Highway No. 56; thence south to the northern Goodhue County line.

45	Core Waters	Id. No.	Twp.	Rge.	Sec.
46	Parley Lake				
47	Carver Co.	10-42	116	24	4, 5, 8, 9
48	Wassermann Lake				
49	Carver Co.	10-48	116	24	14, 22, 23
50	Waconia Lake				
51	Carver Co.	10-59	116	24, 25	6, 7, 18;
52					1, 2;
53					10-15
54	Staring Lake				
55	Hennepin Co.	27-78	116	22	21, 22

1	Spring Lake				
2	Scott Co.	70-54	114	22	3-5, 8-10
3	Cedar Lake				
4	Scott Co.	70-91	113	22, 23	7, 18, 19; 12,
5					13, 24

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7 **Subp. 21. Inland Commercial Fishing Area No. 21.** Inland

8 Commercial Fishing Area No. 21 consists of all of Rice county

9 except that part bounded by a line starting at the junction of

10 the eastern LeSueur County line and Rice County Highway No. 12;

11 thence east on Rice County Highway No. 12 to State Highway No.

12 60; thence west to the eastern LeSueur County line, plus that

13 part of LeSueur County bounded by a line starting at the

14 junction of LeSueur County Highway No. 14 and the Chicago and

15 Northwestern railroad tracks; thence north on the Chicago and

16 Northwestern railroad tracks to LeSueur County Highway No. 13

17 and continuing north on LeSueur County Highway No. 13 to LeSueur

18 County Highway No. 12; thence west to Singing Hills Road, which

19 courses the western end of Tetonka Lake; thence south to LeSueur

20 County Highway No. 14; thence east to the Chicago and

21 Northwestern railroad tracks, the point of beginning.

22	Core Waters	Id. No.	Twp.	Rge.	Sec.
23	Circle Lake				
24	Rice Co.	66-27	111	21	15-17, 21, 22
25	Fox Lake				
26	Rice Co.	66-29	111	21	26, 27
27	Union Lake				
28	Rice Co.	66-32	111, 112	21	2, 3; 35, 36
29	Rice Lake				
30	Rice Co.	66-48	110	22	16, 17, 20, 21

31

32 **Subp. 22. Inland Commercial Fishing Area No. 22.** Inland

33 Commercial Fishing Area No. 22 consists of all of LeSueur county

34 except that part bounded by a line starting at the junction of

35 the eastern Nicollet County line and State Highway No. 99;

36 thence east on State Highway No. 99 to LeSueur County Highway

37 No. 15 at Cleveland; thence south to LeSueur County Highway No.

38 13; thence east and south on LeSueur County Highway No. 13 to

39 LeSueur County Highway No. 16; thence west to the northern Blue

40 Earth County line and also excluding that part of LeSueur county

41 bounded by a line starting at the junction of LeSueur County

42 Highway No. 14 and the Chicago and Northwestern railroad tracks;

43 thence north on the Chicago and Northwestern railroad tracks to

44 LeSueur County Highway No. 13 and continuing north on LeSueur

1 County Highway No. 13 to LeSueur County Highway No. 12; thence
 2 west to Singing Hills Road, which courses the western end of
 3 Tetonka Lake; thence south to LeSueur County Highway No. 14;
 4 thence east to the Chicago and Northwestern railroad tracks,
 5 plus that part of Rice county bounded by a line starting at the
 6 junction of the eastern LeSueur County line and Rice County
 7 Highway No. 12; thence east on Rice County Highway No. 12 to
 8 State Highway No. 60; thence west to the eastern LeSueur County
 9 line.

10	Core Waters	Id. No.	Twp.	Rge.	Sec.
11	Dora Lake				
12	LeSueur Co.	40-10	110	23	3, 4, 9, 10
13	Sabre Lake				
14	LeSueur Co.	40-14	110	23	29, 30
15	Gorman Lake				
16	LeSueur Co.	40-32	110	23, 24	7; 11-14
17	Frances Lake				
18	LeSueur Co.	40-57	109	24	27-29, 32-35

19
 20 Subp. 23. Inland Commercial Fishing Area No. 23. Inland
 21 Commercial Fishing Area No. 23 consists of all of Faribault,
 22 Waseca, Brown, and Blue Earth counties plus that part of LeSueur
 23 county bounded by the junction of the eastern Nicollet County
 24 line and State Highway No. 99; thence east on State Highway No.
 25 99 to LeSueur County Highway No. 15 at Cleveland; thence south
 26 to LeSueur County Highway No. 13; thence east and south on
 27 LeSueur County Highway No. 13 to LeSueur County Highway No. 16;
 28 thence west to the northern Blue Earth County line.

29	Core Waters	Id. No.	Twp.	Rge.	Sec.
30	Loon Lake				
31	Blue Earth Co.	7-96	107	28	2-4, 10, 11
32	Crystal Lake				
33	Blue Earth Co.	7-98	107, 108	28	4, 5; 32, 33
34	Hanska Lake				
35	Brown Co.	8-26	108	31, 32	19, 28-30, 32, 33; 13-16, 23, 24
36					
37					
38	Washington Lake				
39	LeSueur and				
40	Blue Earth				
41	Counties	40-117	109	25, 26	Various
42	Elysian Lake				
43	Waseca and				
44	LeSueur Counties	81-95	108, 109	24	Various

45
 46 Subp. 24. Inland Commercial Fishing Area No. 24. Inland
 47 Commercial Fishing Area No. 24 consists of all of Itasca County.

48	Core Waters	Id. No.	Twp.	Rge.	Sec.
49	Blackberry Lake				
50	Itasca Co.	31-210	55	24	28, 33
51	Split Hand Lake				

1	Itasca Co.	31-353	53	25	14, 15, 22,
2					23, 26, 27, 35
3	Blandin Lake				
4	Itasca Co.	31-533	55	25, 26	18-21; 13
5	Blackwater Lake				
6	Itasca Co.	31-561	55	26	4, 7-10,
7					15-17
8	Bass Lake				
9	Itasca Co.	31-576	55, 56	26	Various
10	Dora Lake				
11	Itasca Co.	31-882	149, 150	27	Various

12
13 Subp. 25. Inland Commercial Fishing Area No. 25. Inland
14 Commercial Fishing Area No. 25 consists of all of Clearwater and
15 Beltrami counties plus that part of Hubbard county lying north
16 of Hubbard County Highway No. 9.

17	Core Waters	Id. No.	Twp.	Rge.	Sec.
18	Rabideau Lake				
19	Beltrami Co.	4-34	147, 148	30	8, 9, 16-20;
20					13
21	Blackduck Lake				
22	Beltrami Co.	4-69	149	31	3-5, 8-11,
23					14-17
24	Gull Lake				
25	Beltrami Co.	4-120	148, 149	32	1-4, 11; 26,
26					27, 34, 35
27	Three Island Lake				
28	Beltrami Co.	4-134	148	32, 33	18, 19; 23-26
29	Irving Lake				
30	Beltrami Co.	4-140	146	33	16, 17, 21
31	Julia Lake				
32	Beltrami Co.	4-166	148, 149	33	4, 5; 32, 33
33	Minerva Lake				
34	Clearwater Co.	15-79	145	37	13, 14
35	Pine Lake				
36	Clearwater Co.	15-149	149	38	20-22, 27-29,
37					32, 33

38
39 Subp. 26. Inland Commercial Fishing Area No. 26. Inland
40 Commercial Fishing Area No. 26 consists of all of St. Louis
41 County north of U.S. Highway No. 169, State Highway No. 169 and
42 State Highway No. 1.

43	Core Waters	Id. No.	Twp.	Rge.	Sec.
44	Burntside Lake				
45	St. Louis Co.	69-118	63	12, 13	Various
46	Vermillion Lake				
47	St. Louis Co.	69-378	61-63	14-16	Various
48	Pelican Lake				
49	St. Louis Co.	69-841	64, 65	19, 20	Various
50	Kabetogama Lake				
51	St. Louis				
52	and Koochiching				
53	Counties	69-845	69, 70	19-22	Various
54	Sturgeon Lake				
55	St. Louis				
56	and Itasca				
57	Counties	69-939	60	21, 22	Various

58
59 Subp. 27. Inland Commercial Fishing Area No. 27. Inland
60 Commercial Fishing Area No. 27 consists of all of Lake county.

61	Core Waters	Id. No.	Twp.	Rge.	Sec.
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1	Dumbbell Lake				
2	Lake Co.	38-393	59, 60	7, 8	6, 7; 31; 1
3	Snowbank Lake				
4	Lake Co.	38-529	63, 64	8, 9	1-3, 11,
5					12; 19, 20,
6					29-31; 23-27,
7					34-36
8	Greenwood Lake				
9	Lake Co.	38-656	58, 59	10	4, 5, 7-9,
10					17-20; 32
11	Farm Lake				
12	Lake Co.	38-779	62, 63	11	3; 4; 33, 34
13					
14	Subp. 28. Inland Commercial Fishing Area No. 28. Inland				
15	Commercial Fishing Area No. 28 consists of all of Cook county.				
16	Core Waters	Id. No.	Twp.	Rge.	Sec.
17	Greenwood Lake				
18	Cook Co.	16-77	64	2E	21-28, 34
19	Devil Track Lake				
20	Cook Co.	16-143	62	1E, 1W	30, 31; 25-29,
21					34, 35
22	Brule Lake				
23	Cook Co.	16-348	63	2, 3W	Various
24	Caribou Lake				
25	Cook Co.	16-360	60, 61	3W	1, 2, 11,
26					12; 35, 36
27	Sawbill Lake				
28	Cook Co.	16-496	62, 63	4W	6, 7; 20, 29-32
29	Seagull Lake				
30	Cook Co.	16-629	65, 66	4, 5W	5-7; 31, 32;
31					9-16
32					
33	Subp. 29. Inland Commercial Fishing Area No. 29. Inland				
34	Commercial Fishing Area No. 29 consists of all of St. Louis				
35	County south of U.S. Highway No. 169, State Highway No. 169, and				
36	State Highway No. 1 and all of Carlton county.				
37	Core Waters	Id. No.	Twp.	Rge.	Sec.
38	Birch Lake				
39	St. Louis and				
40	Lake Counties	69-3	61	11, 12	Various
41	Bearhead Lake				
42	St. Louis Co.	69-254	61	14	1, 2, 10,
43					11, 12, 14
44	Island Lake				
45	St. Louis Co.	69-372	52, 53	14, 15	Various
46	Boulder Lake				
47	St. Louis Co.	69-373	53	14, 15	Various
48	Whiteface Reservoir				
49	St. Louis Co.	69-375	55, 56	14, 15	Various
50	Fish Lake Flowage				
51	St. Louis Co.	69-491	51, 52	15, 16	Various
52					
53	Subp. 30. Inland Commercial Fishing Area No. 30. Inland				
54	Commercial Fishing Area No. 30 consists of all of Aitkin and				
55	Mille Lacs counties.				
56	Core Waters	Id. No.	Twp.	Rge.	Sec.
57	Minnewawa Lake				
58	Aitkin Co.	1-33	49	23	16, 20-23,
59					26-29, 32, 33
60	Big Sandy Lake				
61	Aitkin Co.	1-62	49, 50	23, 24	Various
62	Gun Lake				

1	Aitkin Co.	1-99	48	25	8, 9, 16,
2					17, 20
3	Hill Lake				
4	Aitkin Co.	1-142	52	26	2, 11-14,
5					23, 24
6	Farm Island Lake				
7	Aitkin Co.	1-159	45, 46	27	4-6; 28, 29,
8	Cedar Lake				
9	Aitkin and Crow				
10	Wing Counties	1-209	46, 47	27, 28	4-7; 29-33;
11					1, 12
12					

13 Subp. 31. Inland Commercial Fishing Area No. 31. Inland
 14 Commercial Fishing Area No. 31 consists of all of Pine, Kanabec,
 15 Isanti and Chisago counties.

16	Core Waters	Id. No.	Twp.	Rge.	Sec.
17	South Center Lake				
18	Chisago Co.	13-27	33, 34	20	2, 3, 4, 9,
19					10; 34, 35
20	Rush Lake				
21	Chisago Co.	13-69	37	21, 22	19, 30; 9, 10,
22					11, 14, 15, 16,
23					20-25, 27, 28
24	Goose Lake				
25	Chisago Co.	13-83	36, 37	22	3, 4, 9,
26					10, 15; 34
27	Green Lake				
28	Isanti Co.	30-136	36	25	26-28, 33-35
29	Knife Lake				
30	Kanabec Co.	33-28	40, 41	23, 24	1, 2, 10, 11,
31					15, 30, 31, 32
32	Cross Lake				
33	Pine Co.	58-119	39	21	11, 14, 15, 22,
34					23, 27, 28, 33,
35					34
36	Pokegama Lake				
37	Pine Co.	58-142	39	22	13, 14, 23-26,
38					35, 36
39					

40 Subp. 32. Inland Commercial Fishing Area No. 32. Inland
 41 Commercial Fishing Area No. 32 consists of all of Crow Wing and
 42 Cass counties.

43	Core Waters	Id. No.	Twp.	Rge.	Sec.
44	George Lake				
45	Cass Co.	11-101	139, 140	26, 27	6, 7; 31; 1; 36
46	Woman Lake				
47	Cass Co.	11-201	140, 141	28, 29	Various
48	Gull Lake				
49	Cass and Crow				
50	Wing Counties	11-305	134, 135	28-30	Various
51	Pine Mountain Lake				
52	Cass Co.	11-411	138, 139	30, 31	6, 19, 30,
53					24, 25, 36
54	Borden Lake				
55	Crow Wing Co.	18-20	44	28	2, 9-11,
56					14-16, 22
57	Crooked Lake				
58	Crow Wing Co.	18-41	45	28	16, 17, 19-21,
59					29, 30
60	Upper Long Lake				
61	Crow Wing Co.	18-96	44	29	5, 7, 8, 18
62	Long Lake				
63	Crow Wing Co.	18-136	44	29, 30	18; 13, 14,
64					22-24, 26, 27
65	Emily Lake				

1 Crow Wing Co. 18-203 137, 138 26 2, 3; 26, 27,
2 34, 35
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4 Subp. 33. Inland Commercial Fishing Area No. 33. Inland
5 Commercial Fishing Area No. 33 consists of all of Todd,
6 Morrison, Benton, and Stearns counties except that part of
7 Stearns county bounded by a line starting at the junction of
8 Stearns County Highway No. 2 and the Meeker County line, near
9 the community of Watkins; thence north on Stearns County Highway
10 No. 2 to State Highway No. 23, near the community of Cold
11 Spring; thence west on State Highway No. 23 to the junction of
12 State Highway No. 55; thence west on State Highway No. 55 to the
13 eastern Kandiyohi County line, plus that part of Wadena county
14 lying south of Wadena County Highway No. 9.

Core Waters	Id. No.	Twp.	Rge.	Sec.
16 Little Rock				
17 Benton Co.	5-13	37, 38	31	2, 3, 10, 11, 18 14; 34, 35
19 Sullivan Lake				
20 Morrison Co.	49-16	42	28, 29	6, 7; 1, 11, 21 12, 14
22 Two Rivers Lake				
23 Stearns Co.	73-138	125, 126	30, 31	6; 19, 30, 24 31, 36
25 Big Swan Lake				
26 Todd Co.	77-23	128	32	7, 18-20, 29, 30
27 Big Birch Lake				
28 Todd and				
29 Stearns	77-84	126, 127	32, 33	Various
30 Counties				

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32 Subp. 34. Inland Commercial Fishing Area No. 34. Inland
33 Commercial Fishing Area No. 34 consists of all of Goodhue,
34 Wabasha, Olmsted, and Winona counties lying north of U.S.
35 Highway I-90.

Core Waters	Id. No.	Twp.	Rge.	Sec.
37 Vermillion River				
38 Goodhue Co.		113, 114	15, 16	Various
39 Goose Lake				
40 Goodhue Co.	25-5	113	15	5-8
41 Brunner Lake				
42 Goodhue Co.	25-6	113	15	6
43 Wildcat Lake				
44 Goodhue Co.	25-7	113	15	NC8
45 Jones Lake				
46 Goodhue Co.	25-8	113	15	SE8
47 Birch Lake				
48 Goodhue Co.	25-9	113	15	8, 9
49 Larson Lake				
50 Goodhue Co.	25-16	113, 114	15, 16	6; 31; 1
51 Upper Clear Lake				
52 Goodhue Co.	25-18	114	16	22, 27
53 Clear Lake				
54 Goodhue Co.	25-19	114	16	26, 35
55 Upper Rattling				
56 Springs Lake				

1	Goodhue Co.	25-20	114	16	34, 35
2	Lower Rattling				
3	Springs Lake				
4	Goodhue Co.	25-21	114	16	35
5	Zumbro Lake				
6	Olmsted and				
7	Wabash Counties	55-414	108, 109		Various
8	Shady Lake				
9	Olmsted Co.	55-5	108	14, 15	7, 8, 17, 18; 12

10
11 FISHING REGULATIONS AND REQUIREMENTS

12 6262.0100 GENERAL RESTRICTIONS ON TAKING FISH.

13 Subpart 1. **Angling hours.** Angling hours on all streams
14 and rivers from Lake Superior upstream to posted boundaries are
15 from one hour before sunrise to one hour after sunset during the
16 open season.

17 Angling hours for trout in streams south of U.S. Highway 12
18 begin at 10:00 a.m. on the opening day.

19 Angling hours for all other species on all inland waters
20 are continuous during the open season, except for certain waters
21 which are subject to experimental or special regulations.

22 Subp. 2. **Identification of fish houses.** The metal tag
23 supplied with the annual fish house license must be attached to
24 the structure no more than six inches below the top edge of the
25 exterior side of the door. On structures with openings other
26 than doors, the tag must be attached to the material on the
27 right side of opening when facing structure and not more than
28 six inches below the top of opening.

29 Subp. 3. **Take A Kid Fishing Weekend.** Take A Kid Fishing
30 Weekend is the first Saturday and Sunday after the first Monday
31 in June.

32 6262.0200 FISHING REGULATIONS FOR INLAND WATERS.

33 Subpart 1. **General inland fishing regulations.** Fish may
34 be taken in inland waters by angling during the time specified
35 for each of the following species, however, certain waters of
36 the state are subject to experimental regulations, special
37 regulations, or are closed for the taking and possession of fish:

38	Species and Open Season	Daily and Possession
39		Limits
40		
41	A. Largemouth and smallmouth bass.	6 in aggregate.
42		

1 (1) In all waters lying east and
 2 north of U.S. Highway 53
 3 from Duluth to International
 4 Falls and Pelican and Ash
 5 Lakes, St. Louis county.
 6
 7 Saturday two weeks prior to
 8 Memorial Day weekend up to, but
 9 not including, the third Monday
 10 in February.

11
 12 (2) In all other waters.
 13
 14 Saturday nearest May 29 up to,
 15 but not including, the third
 16 Monday in February.

17
 18 B. Brook, brown and rainbow
 19 trout, and splake.

20
 21 (1) All streams and rivers from Lake 5 in aggregate.
 22 Superior upstream to the posted Not more than 3 may
 23 boundaries, including the St. be over 16 inches
 24 Louis River upstream to the in length, except
 25 Minnesota-Wisconsin boundary the bag limit
 26 cable, and Lake Superior for rainbow trout,
 27 tributaries with no posted including
 28 boundaries. steelhead, is
 29 3, only 1 of
 30 which can be
 31 unclipped.

32 Open continuously. Minimum size limit
 33 for unclipped
 34 rainbow trout is 28
 35 inches and minimum
 36 size limit for
 37 clipped rainbow
 38 trout is 16 inches.
 39 A single hook only may be used Clipped rainbow
 40 for angling, except in the trout have their
 41 Pigeon River, Cook county, and adipose fin removed
 42 the St. Louis River, St. Louis and must show a
 43 and Carlton counties. healed scar.
 44 Minimum 10-inch
 45 length limit for
 46 all species other
 47 than rainbow trout.

48
 49 (2) In all streams of Lake Superior 10 in aggregate.
 50 watershed in St. Louis, Lake, No more than 1 may
 51 Carlton, and Cook counties, be over 16 inches
 52 above the posted boundaries and in length. No more
 53 their tributaries, except the than 5 in aggregate
 54 St. Louis River upstream of the may be brown trout.
 55 Minnesota-Wisconsin boundary cable. The minimum size
 56 for rainbow trout
 57 is 16 inches.
 58 Saturday nearest April 15
 59 through September 30.

60 (3) Fishing is allowed from June 1 5 in aggregate.
 61 through August 31 in the Not more than 3 may
 62 following posted sanctuaries: be over 16 inches in
 63 in the entire length of Gauthier length, except the
 64 Creek which is a tributary to the bag limit for
 65 Brule (Arrowhead) River; in the rainbow trout,
 66 Devil Track River from 1.1 to 1.6 including steelhead,
 67 miles above the mouth; in Kadunce is 3, only 1 of
 68 Creek from 0.2 to 0.4 miles above which can be
 69 the mouth; in the Little Knife unclipped. Minimum
 70 River from the weir upstream to size limit for
 71 the source, and in between the unclipped rainbow

1 two cabled areas on the Knife
 2 River in Lake county. Fishing
 3 is from May 15 through September 30
 4 in that portion of the Knife River
 5 and tributaries lying upstream
 6 from County Road 9, Sections 4
 7 and 5, Township 52, Range 11.
 8 In the St. Louis River from the
 9 Fond du Lac Dam downstream for
 10 one-half mile to the
 11 Minnesota-Wisconsin boundary cable,
 12 no fishing is allowed at any time.
 13 All areas will be posted no fishing.

trout is 28 inches
 and minimum size
 limit for clipped
 rainbow trout is 16
 inches. Clipped
 rainbow trout have
 their adipose fin
 removed and must
 show a healed scar.
 Minimum 10-inch
 length limit for all
 species other than
 rainbow trout.

14
 15 (4) In all other streams south of
 16 U.S. Highway 12.
 17
 18 10:00 a.m. on Saturday nearest
 19 April 15 through September 30.
 20

5 in aggregate. No
 more than 1 may be
 over 16 inches in
 length.

21 In all other streams north of
 22 U.S. Highway 12.
 23
 24 Saturday nearest April 15
 25 through September 30.
 26

27 (5) In lakes only:
 28
 29 Statewide.
 30
 31 Saturday two weeks prior to
 32 Saturday of Memorial Day
 33 weekend through October 31.
 34 All lakes entirely within the
 35 Boundary Waters Canoe Area
 36 Wilderness except Ram Lake.
 37

5 in aggregate.
 No more than
 3 may be over 16
 inches in length.

38 Saturday nearest January 1
 39 through March 31.
 40
 41 All lakes entirely or partly
 42 outside the Boundary Waters Canoe
 43 Area Wilderness and exceptions.
 44

45 Saturday nearest January 15
 46 through March 15.
 47

48 Stream trout lakes lying partly
 49 outside the Boundary Waters Canoe
 50 Area Wilderness and exceptions
 51 include Ram, Meditation, and
 52 Lizz Lakes.
 53

54 Stream trout lakes in Aitkin,
 55 Becker, Beltrami, Cass, Crow
 56 Wing and Hubbard counties.
 57

58 Closed for the winter season.
 59

60 C. Lake trout. 3
 61 Summer Season: Statewide.
 62 Saturday two weeks prior to
 63 Saturday of Memorial Day weekend
 64 through September 30.
 65

66 Winter Season: All lakes entirely
 67 within the Boundary Waters Canoe
 68 Area Wilderness except Saganaga and
 69 Ram Lakes.
 70

71 Saturday nearest January 1

- 1 through March 31.
 2
 3 All waters lying entirely or
 4 partly outside the Boundary
 5 Waters Canoe Area Wilderness
 6 and exceptions.
 7
 8 Saturday nearest January 15
 9 through March 15.
 10
 11 Lake trout lakes partly outside
 12 the Boundary Waters Canoe Area
 13 Wilderness and exceptions include
 14 Snowbank, Magnetic, Ram, Seagull,
 15 Clearwater, and Saganaga.
 16
 17 All streams and rivers from Lake
 18 Superior upstream to posted
 19 boundaries, including the St.
 20 Louis River upstream to the
 21 Minnesota-Wisconsin boundary
 22 Cable and Lake Superior
 23 tributaries with no posted
 24 boundaries.
 25
 26 December 1 through September 30.
 27
 28 D. Chinook, coho, Atlantic, and 10 in aggregate.
 29 pink salmon. All must be at least
 30 10 inches in length.
 31 Continuous in all waters, except No more than 1
 32 in inland waters the season for may be an Atlantic
 33 Atlantic salmon is the Saturday salmon.
 34 two weeks prior to the Saturday
 35 of Memorial Day weekend through
 36 October 31 and the Saturday
 37 nearest January 15 through
 38 March 15.
 39
 40 E. Walleye and sauger. 6 in aggregate.
 41
 42 Saturday two weeks prior to
 43 Saturday of Memorial Day weekend
 44 up to, but not including, the
 45 third Monday in February.
 46
 47 F. Northern pike. 3
 48
 49 Saturday two weeks prior to
 50 Saturday of Memorial Day weekend
 51 up to, but not including, the
 52 third Monday in February.
 53
 54 The limit also applies to the
 55 taking by dark house spearing.
 56
 57 G. Muskellunge (including 1. The minimum
 58 muskellunge-northern pike size limit will be
 59 hybrid). 40 inches in length,
 60 The first Saturday in June up except on Shoepac
 61 to, but not including, the Lake, St. Louis
 62 third Monday in February. county, where a
 63 30-inch minimum size
 64 limit will apply.
 65
 66 H. Rock bass. 30
 67 Continuous.
 68
 69 I. White (striped) bass. 30
 70 Continuous.
 71

1	J. Crappies.	15
2	Continuous.	
3		
4	K. Sunfish.	30
5	Continuous.	
6		
7	L. Catfish.	5. No more than
8	Continuous.	1 may be over
9		24 inches on
10		tributaries to the
11		Red River of the
12		North.
13		
14	M. Perch.	100
15	Continuous.	
16		
17	N. Bullheads.	100
18	Continuous.	
19		
20	O. Sturgeon.	1 per season.
21		Minimum length is
22	The season is open only in	50 inches.
23	tributaries of the St. Croix	
24	River and runs from the first	
25	Saturday in September through	
26	October 15.	
27		
28	P. Carp, bowfin, redhorse,	No limits.
29	sheepshead, suckers, burbot,	
30	gar, whitefish, goldeyes,	
31	tullibeas, buffalo, smelt.	
32	Continuous.	
33		

34 When the closing date of a season falls on a Saturday, the
35 season will extend through the following Sunday.

36 Subp. 2. Taking of smelt from inland waters. Rainbow
37 smelt may be taken by licensed anglers and those exempt from
38 licensing at any time by angling and dip net. Smelt may be
39 taken in inland lakes by minnow seines, not more than 25 feet in
40 length or four feet in depth. Live smelt may not be possessed
41 or transported.

42 6262.0300 FISHING REGULATIONS FOR LAKE SUPERIOR.

43 Subpart 1. General Lake Superior fishing regulations.
44 Fish may not be taken in Lake Superior except as provided by
45 this part or under permit.

46 Subp. 2. Number of lines allowed. No more than two lines
47 with one bait attached to each line may be used to take fish on
48 Lake Superior, except that only one line may be used within 100
49 yards of the mouth of any flowing stream.

50 Subp. 3. Transportation restrictions. While on any
51 portion of the Minnesota waters of Lake Superior, a person
52 licensed to take fish by angling or as otherwise authorized by

1 Minnesota, Wisconsin, Michigan, or the province of Ontario, may
2 not possess or transport more than the daily limit of fish
3 allowed under any one but not more than one of their licenses.

4 Subp. 4. **Taking smelt from Lake Superior.** Smelt may be
5 taken by licensed anglers from Lake Superior and tributary
6 streams subject to the following provisions:

7 A. smelt may be taken with the use of dip nets and
8 minnow seines not more than 25 feet in length nor more than four
9 feet in depth. Seines may not be used in any stream, except the
10 St. Louis River, and seines may not be used in Lake Superior
11 within 100 feet of the mouth of any stream;

12 B. live smelt may not be possessed or transported;
13 and

14 C. taking of smelt at any time is prohibited in the
15 following streams tributary to Lake Superior:

16 (1) French River, St. Louis county;

17 (2) Sucker River, St. Louis county;

18 (3) Little Sucker River, St. Louis county;

19 (4) Silver Creek, Lake county;

20 (5) Encampment River, Lake county; and

21 (6) Crow Creek, Lake county.

22 Subp. 5. **Prohibition on taking fish for bait purposes.**

23 The taking of fish for bait purposes from all Minnesota waters
24 of Lake Superior and all waters of the St. Louis River
25 downstream of the Fond du Lac Dam in St. Louis and Carlton
26 counties, including any and all outflows, estuaries, streams,
27 creeks, or waters adjacent to or flowing into these waters is
28 prohibited.

29 6262.0400 RESTRICTIONS ON DESIGNATED TROUT LAKES AND STREAMS.

30 Subpart 1. **Restrictions on designated trout lakes.** The
31 lakes described in this part are inhabited by trout other than
32 lake trout. In order to protect and foster the propagation of
33 trout, the following restrictions on fishing in these lakes
34 apply:

35 A. taking of fish is prohibited, except during the

1 open season;

2 B. not more than one line may be used for angling at
3 any time, including when angling through the ice;

4 C. taking of minnows is prohibited, except under
5 special permit issued by the commissioner; and

6 D. possession or use of minnows as bait, except
7 processed minnows in a dried, frozen, or pickled condition, is
8 prohibited.

9 Subp. 2. Listing of designated trout lakes. The following
10 described lakes are designated as trout lakes:

11 Name		12 Location		
		13 Section	14 Township	15 Range
16 A. Aitkin county:				
17 (1)	Loon (Townline) Lake	7	50	22W
18		12, 13	50	23W
19 (2)	Taylor Lake	16	52	25W
20				
21 B. Anoka county:				
22				
23	Cenaiko Lake (Unnamed)	26	31	24W
24				
25 C. Becker county:				
26				
27	Hanson Lake	6	139	39W
28				
29 D. Beltrami county:				
30				
31	Benjamin Lake	7, 18	148	30W
32		13	148	31W
33				
34 E. Carlton county:				
35				
36	Corona Lake	11, 12	48	19W
37				
38 F. Carver county:				
39				
40	Courthouse Lake	9	115	23W
41				
42 G. Cass county:				
43				
44 (1)	Diamond Lake	26, 27, 34	141	30W
45 (2)	Hazel Lake	25	141	29W
46 (3)	Margaret Lake	16	139	26W
47 (4)	Marion Lake	16, 17	139	26W
48 (5)	Perch Lake	33	139	31W
49 (6)	Snowshoe (Little Andrus)	29, 30	139	26W
50 Lake				
51 (7)	Teepee Lake	30	141	29W
52		25	141	30W
53 (8)	Willard Lake	15	139	30W
54				
55 H. Clearwater county:				
56				
57	Wapatus (Island)	21, 28	144	38W
58				
59 I. Cook county:				
60				
61 (1)	Bath Lake	5, 6	62	1W

1		31, 32	63	1W	
2	(2)	Bench Lake	6	64	2E
3	(3)	Bingshick Lake	30, 25	65	4W, 5W
4	(4)	Bogus Lake	12	62	2E
5	(5)	Boys Lake	5, 8	62	2E
6	(6)	Carrot Lake	17	64	2E
7	(7)	Chester Lake	32, 33	64	3E
8	(8)	Dislocation Lake	3	63	1W
9	(9)	Duke Lake	30	63	1E
10	(10)	Dyers Lake	4, 5, 8, 9	58	5W
11	(11)	Esther Lake	6	63	3E
12			31	64	3E
13	(12)	Gadwall Lake	3	64	2E
14	(13)	Gogebic Lake	30, 31	65	2E
15	(14)	Jake (Jackel) Lake	28	64	1W
16	(15)	Jap Lake	19	65	4W
17			24	65	5W
18	(16)	Junco Lake	11, 12, 13	62	1W
19	(17)	Kimball Lake	7, 8, 17	62	2E
20	(18)	Leo Lake	4, 5	64	1W
21	(19)	Lima Lake	35	64	1W
22	(20)	Lizz Lake	7, 18	64	1W
23	(21)	Loft Lake	21	64	3E
24	(22)	Lost Lake	32	63	3E
25	(23)	Margaret Lake	27, 28, 33, 34	64	3E
26	(24)	Mavis Lake	4	64	4W
27	(25)	Meditation Lake	7, 8	65	4W
28	(26)	Mink Lake	8	62	2E
29	(27)	Missing Link Lake	4	64	4W
30	(28)	Moosehorn Lake	36	63	3E
31			31	63	4E
32	(29)	Morgan Lake	27, 28	64	1W
33	(30)	Muckwa Lake	21, 28	63	1E
34	(31)	Mulligan Lake	1, 12	63	3W
35	(32)	Musquash Lake	20, 28, 29	63	1E
36	(33)	Olson Lake	9, 16	62	1W
37	(34)	Pancore (Lost) Lake	22, 27	61	4W
38	(35)	Pemmican Lake	22	65	2E
39	(36)	Pine Lake	35, 36	63	1W
40	(37)	Pine Mountain Lake	26, 27, 34, 35	63	1E
41	(38)	Portage Lake	3, 4, 5	64	2W
42			33	65	2W
43	(39)	Portage Lake, Little	3	64	2W
44	(40)	Ram Lake	9, 10	63	1W
45	(41)	Rog Lake	16, 17	65	5W
46	(42)	Shady, North, Lake	21, 22	64	2E
47	(43)	Shoe Lake	30	64	2E
48	(44)	Sled Lake	3	63	1W
49	(45)	Sock Lake	26	65	2W
50	(46)	Squaw Lake	6	63	3E
51			31	64	3E
52	(47)	Surber Lake	34	65	2W
53	(48)	Talus Lake	26, 27	63	1W
54	(49)	Thompson Lake	19, 20, 29, 30	62	1W
55	(50)	Thrasher Lake	31	63	1W
56	(51)	Thrush Lake	31	63	1W
57	(52)	Topper Lake	27	65	2W
58	(53)	Turnip Lake	24	64	1E
59	(54)	Unnamed Lake	20, 21, 28, 29	63	3E
60	(55)	Unnamed Lake	31	63	1W
61	(56)	Vale Lake	3	64	2E
62	(57)	Wee Lake	13	62	4W
63	(58)	Wench Lake	7, 18	63	3W
64					
65	J.	Crow Wing county:			
66					
67	(1)	Allen Lake	5	138	26W
68	(2)	Mallen Mine Pit	17	46	29W
69	(3)	Manuel (South Yawkey)	1	46	29W
70		Mine Pit			
71	(4)	Martin (Huntington,	9, 10, 16	46	29W

1	Feigh) Mine Pit			
2	(5) Pennington (Mahnomen,	3, 9, 10, 11	46	29W
3	Alstead, Arco) Mine Pit			
4	(6) Pleasant Lake	19	137	27W
5	(7) Portsmouth Mine Pit	1, 2, 11	46	29W
6	(8) Sagamore Mine Pit	19	46	29W
7		24	46	30W
8	(9) Section 6 Mine Pit	6	46	29W
9	(10) Snoshoe Mine Pit	17, 18	46	29W
10	(11) Strawberry Lake	27, 34	137	28W
11	(12) Yawkey (North Yawkey)	1	46	29W
12	Mine Pit			
13				
14	K. Hubbard county:			
15				
16	(1) Blacksmith Lake	13	142	35W
17	(2) Crappie Lake	31	143	33W
18	(3) Newman (Putman) Lake	10, 11	145	34W
19				
20	L. Itasca county:			
21				
22	(1) Bee Cee Lake	28, 33	58	25W
23	(2) Erskine Lake	2, 3	61	24W
24	(3) Kremer Lake	33, 34	58	26W
25	(4) Larson Lake	16, 21	61	24W
26	(5) Lucky Lake	14	57	26W
27	(6) Moonshine Lake, Little	28, 33	58	25W
28	(Moonshine)			
29	(7) Nickel (Nichols) Lake	12	59	25W
30	(8) Tioga Mine Pit	26	55	26W
31				
32	M. Lake county:			
33				
34	(1) Ahsab Lake	27, 28	64	8W
35	(2) Bean Lake (Lower Twin)	25, 26	56	8W
36	(3) Bear Lake (Upper Twin)	25	56	8W
37	(4) Beetle Lake	7	60	9W
38	(5) Benson Lake	29	58	6W
39	(6) Bone Lake	13, 14	61	6W
40	(7) Conchu Lake	21, 22	63	10W
41	(8) Divide (Towhey) Lake	7, 8	59	7W
42	(9) Dan Lake	17	63	10W
43	(10) Echo Lake	14, 15, 22, 23	59	6W
44	(11) Eikela Lake	22	60	10W
45	(12) Ennis Lake	33	64	9W
46	(13) Found Lake	10, 15	64	9W
47	(14) Glacier Pond No. 1	11	63	10W
48	(15) Glacier Pond No. 2	11	63	10W
49	(16) Goldeneye (Duck) Lake	15	59	6W
50	(17) Gypsy Lake	6, 7	60	10W
51	(18) Hogback (Twin) Lake	31	60	6W
52	(19) Jouppi Lake	14, 22, 23	59	8W
53	(20) Judd Lake	4, 5, 32, 33	63, 64	9W
54	(21) Neglige Lake	1, 2, 11, 12	64	8W
55	(22) Norway Lake	3	61	10W
56	(23) Peanut Lake	5	60	10W
57	(24) Scarp (Cliff) Lake	31, 32	60	6W
58	(25) Section 8 Lake	8	59	7W
59	(26) Shoo-fly Lake	1, 36	59, 60	8W
60	(27) Skull Lake	14	64	9W
61	(28) Steamhaul Lake	32	60	9W
62	(29) Steer Lake	32	60	6W
63	(30) Tofte Lake	2, 3, 10, 11	63	10W
64		35	64	10W
65	(31) Trappers Lake	27, 34	60	8W
66				
67	N. Meeker county:			
68				
69	Little Mud Lake	22, 23	121	30W
70				
71	O. Otter Tail county:			

1				
2	Bass Lake	10, 11	135	42W
3				
4	P. St. Louis county:			
5				
6	(1) Alruss Lake (Also Lake	12	64	12W, 11W
7	county)			
8	(2) Briar Lake	14, 15, 23	53	13W
9	(3) Camp Four (Wessman) Lake	4	59	19W
10	(4) Cedar Lake	20	58	15W
11	(5) Chant Lake	10	63	13W
12	(6) Clear Lake	23	52	15W
13	(7) Cub Lake	2	61	14W
14	(8) Deepwater Lake	2	59	20W
15	(9) Dry Lake	9	63	12W
16	(10) Dry Lake, Little	9	63	12W
17	(11) Elbow Lake, Little	9, 10, 16	57	18W
18	(12) Embarrass Mine Pit	5, 6	58	15W
19	(Lake Mine)			
20	(13) Forsyth Mine Pit	11	58	19W
21	(14) Hanson Lake	36	64	13W
22	(15) High Lake	3, 4, 5	63	12W
23		33, 34	64	12W
24	(16) Jacob (Louis) Lake	11, 12	64	12W
25	(17) James (Jammer) Lake	27	60	18W
26	(18) Judson Mine Pit	20, 29	58	19W
27	(19) Loaine (Sand) Lake	16, 17	54	12W
28	(20) Miner's Mine Pit	26, 27, 28	63	12W
29	(21) Norberg Lake	1	61	14W
30	(22) Normanna Lake	7, 8	52	13W
31	(23) Pickerel Lake	17	60	21W
32	(24) Regenbogan Lake	18	64	12W
33	(25) St. James Mine Pit	3, 4	58	15W
34	(26) Spring Hole Lake	14	55	14W
35	(27) Trygg (Twig) Lake	31	68	14W
36		36	68	15W
37	(28) Twin Lake	28, 33	50	14W
38				

39 Subp. 3. Restrictions on designated trout streams. In
 40 order to protect and foster the propagation of trout, the
 41 following restrictions apply to fishing in these streams:

42 A. taking of fish is prohibited, except during the
 43 open season; and

44 B. taking of minnows in the waters designated as
 45 trout streams by this rule is prohibited at all times, except
 46 under special permit issued by the commissioner.

47 Subp. 4. Listing of designated trout streams. The
 48 following described streams and portions of streams and their
 49 tributaries within the section specified are designated as trout
 50 streams and counties whose names appear in parentheses contain
 51 portions of those streams:

52	Name	Location		
53		Township	Range	Section
54				
55	A. Aitkin county:			
56				
57	(1) Libby Brook	50	23	5, 6
58		50	24	1, 2

1	(2)	Long Lake Creek	46	25	10, 15
2	(3)	Morrison Brook (Itasca)	52	26	4, 9, 10, 14, 15
3	(4)	Two Rivers Springs	51	23	19
4			51	24	24, 25, 26
5					
6	B.	Becker county:			
7					
8	(1)	Dead Horse Creek	138	38	3, 4, 7, 8, 9, 16
9	(2)	Elbow Lake Creek	142	38	6
10		(Clearwater)			
11	(3)	Straight Creek, Upper	141	36	30, 31
12			141	37	24, 25
13	(4)	Straight Lake Creek	140	36	6
14			140	37	1, 2
15	(5)	Straight River (Hubbard)	139	36	1
16			140	36	28, 29, 33, 34
17					35, 36
18	(6)	Sucker Creek	138	40	18
19			138	41	13
20	(7)	Toad River	138	38	6, 7, 18, 19, 30
21			139	38	30, 31
22			139	39	25, 36
23			138	39	25, 26
24					
25	C.	Beltrami county:			
26					
27	(1)	Battle River, So. Br.	151	30	2, 3, 4, 11
28	(2)	Clearwater River	148	35	5, 6, 8, 17, 20,
29					29, 31, 32
30			149	35	20, 29, 31, 32
31	(3)	Meadow Creek	151	30	6
32			151	31	1, 2
33	(4)	Mud River	150	33	21, 28
34	(5)	O'Brien Creek	149	32	2
35			150	32	23, 24, 26, 35
36	(6)	Spring Creek	149	30	4, 5, 9, 10
37	(7)	Spring Lake Creek	148	35	34, 35
38					
39	D.	Benton county:			
40					
41	(1)	Bunker Hill Brook	38	30	6
42			38	31	1, 2, 10, 11
43	(2)	Rock Creek, Little	38	31	3, 4, 10, 15, 21
44		(Morrison)			22, 28
45					
46	E.	Blue Earth county:			
47					
48	(1)	Unnamed Creek	108	28	1, 2
49	(2)	Unnamed Creek	108	28	5
50			109	28	32
51	(3)	Unnamed Creek	108	28	6
52			109	29	25, 36
53					
54	F.	Brown county:			
55					
56	(1)	Hindeman Creek	111	32	19, 20
57			111	33	24
58	(2)	John's Creek	110	32	1
59			111	31	31
60			111	32	36
61					
62	G.	Carlton county:			
63					
64	(1)	Anderson Creek	46	17	14, 15, 22,
65					26, 27
66	(2)	Anderson Creek (St. Louis)	49	16	12, 13
67	(3)	Blackhoof River	47	16	29, 30
68			47	17	6, 7, 9, 10, 14,
69					15, 16, 17, 18,
70					19, 20, 22, 25,
71					26, 27, 28

1		48	17	30, 31
2	(4) Clear Creek	46	17	9, 10, 11, 12, 16,
3				17, 20, 29
4	(5) Clear Creek	47	15	7
5		47	16	1, 2, 3, 4, 12
6		48	16	33
7	(6) Crystal Creek	48	16	6
8		48	17	1
9	(7) Deer Creek	47	16	19, 20, 28,
10				29, 30
11		47	17	11, 12, 13, 24
12	(8) Elm Creek (St. Louis)	49	16	1, 2
13	(9) Gill Creek	48	16	2
14	(10) Hasty Brook (St. Louis)	49	19	18
15		49	20	4, 5, 9, 10,
16				13, 14, 15, 23
17	(11) Hay Creek (St. Louis)	49	16	3, 4, 9, 10, 15
18	(12) Hunter Creek	46	18	2, 11, 12, 13
19		47	18	34, 35
20	(13) King Creek	47	18	18, 19
21		47	19	1, 12, 13
22	(14) Midway River (St. Louis)	49	16	1, 12, 13, 14,
23				15, 21, 22
24	(15) Mission Creek	49	16	25, 26, 36
25	(St. Louis)			
26	(16) Moosehorn River	48	18	3, 9, 10, 14,
27				15, 16, 23, 26,
28				34, 35
29	(17) Mud Creek	47	15	18
30		47	16	5, 6, 8, 9, 10,
31				11, 13, 14,
32				15, 16
33	(18) Nemadji Creek	46	17	7, 8, 9, 18
34		46	18	13, 14, 15, 16, 22
35	(19) Nemadji River, N. Fork	46	17	1, 2, 3, 8, 9,
36				10, 17, 18, 19,
37				31, 32, 33
38		46	18	24, 25, 36
39		47	15	19, 30
40		47	16	23, 24, 25, 26,
41				27, 28, 29,
42				31, 32
43		47	17	35, 36
44	(20) Nemadji River, S. Fork	46	16	4, 5, 6, 7
45		46	17	1, 11, 12
46		47	15	30
47		47	16	25, 33, 34,
48				35, 36
49	(21) Net River (Pine)	46	16	3, 4, 8, 9,
50				17, 20, 21, 29,
51				31, 32, 33
52		47	16	34
53	(22) Net River, Little	46	16	3, 10, 15, 22,
54				26, 27, 34
55	(23) Otter Creek, Big	48	16	7
56		48	17	3, 4, 10, 11, 12,
57		49	17	19, 20, 26, 27,
58				28, 29, 30, 32,
59				33, 34, 35
60		49	18	25, 26
61	(24) Otter Creek, Little	48	17	7, 10, 15, 16,
62				17, 18
63		48	18	11, 12, 13, 14
64	(25) Red River	48	15	30
65		48	16	25, 26
66	(26) Rock Creek	47	16	7, 17, 18, 20, 21
67				22, 23, 24
68		47	17	12
69	(27) Scanlon Creek	49	17	25
70		49	16	30
71	(28) Section 36 Creek	46	16	1, 2, 11, 12, 13

1		47	16	36
2	(29) Silver Creek, Big	46	17	14, 23, 24, 25, 36
3	(30) Silver Creek	48	16	15, 16, 17, 21
4				28, 29
5	(31) Skunk Creek	46	17	4, 5, 6
6		47	17	31, 33, 34, 35, 36
7		47	18	36
8	(32) Spring Creek	46	17	3, 4, 5, 6
9	(33) Squaw Creek	49	17	9, 16, 17, 18, 19,
10				20, 21
11	(34) State Line Creek	46	15	6, 7, 18, 19,
12				30, 31
13		46	16	12, 13, 24, 25, 36
14		47	15	30, 31
15	(35) Stony Brook	46	17	10, 11, 15, 16, 21
16	(36) Unnamed Creek	46	16	19, 29, 30
17		47	17	13, 14, 21
18	(37) Unnamed Creek	47	17	28, 29, 33, 34, 35
19	(38) Unnamed Creek	47	17	31, 32, 33, 34
20				
21	H. Carver county:			
22				
23	Assumption Creek	115	23	2
24		116	23	34, 35
25				
26	I. Cass county:			
27				
28	(1) Bungo Creek	137	30	6
29		137	31	1, 11, 12,
30				14, 21, 22, 23
31		138	30	31
32	(2) Cedar Lake Creek	138	31	14, 23, 26,
33				27, 28
34	(3) Corey Brook	135	30	9, 15, 16,
35				21, 22, 27
36	(4) Dabill Brook	137	31	1, 2, 9, 10,
37				11, 16
38		138	31	36
39	(5) Farnham Creek	135	32	5, 6, 7
40		136	32	2, 3, 9, 10,
41				16, 19, 20, 21,
42				29, 31, 32
43	(6) Hay Creek	135	31	8, 9, 17
44	(7) Hoblin Creek	137	30	17, 18, 19
45	(8) Michaud Brook	140	25	7, 17, 18
46	(9) Olson Brook	136	30	12, 13, 14
47	(10) Peterson Creek	134	30	29, 33
48	(11) Poplar Brook	135	32	5, 6
49		136	32	22, 27, 28,
50				32, 33
51	(12) Rogers Brook	134	30	29, 32
52	(13) Shingobee River (Hubbard)	141	31	16, 17, 18, 19
53	(14) Spring Brook	139	26	3, 10, 11, 14
54	(15) Stoney Brook	135	29	5, 8, 9
55		136	29	30, 31, 32
56		136	30	20, 21, 22, 25
57				26, 27, 29, 30
58		136	31	24, 25, 26
59	(16) Unnamed Creek	137	31	4, 5
60	(17) Unnamed Creek	139	26	3, 10
61	(18) Vermillion Creek, Little	143	25	22, 27
62				
63	J. Chippewa county:			
64				
65	Cottonwood Creek (Swift)	119	41	4
66				
67	K. Chisago county:			
68				
69	(1) Beaver Creek	35	20	7, 8, 17
70		35	21	3, 4, 10, 12,
71				13, 14, 15

1		36	21	33, 34
2	(2) Lawrence Creek	33	19	2, 3, 10
3				
4	L. Clay county:			
5				
6	Felton Creek	141	44	7, 8, 17
7		141	45	7, 8, 12,
8				13, 14, 15, 16,
9				17, 18, 22
10		141	46	8, 9, 12,
11				13, 14, 15, 16
12				
13	M. Clearwater county:			
14				
15	(1) Auganash Creek	144	38	5
16		145	38	27, 28, 31,
17				32, 33
18	(2) Buckboard Creek	144	37	19, 30, 31
19		144	38	11, 12, 13, 24
20	(3) Elbow Lake Creek (Becker)	143	38	31, 32
21	(4) Lost River	148	38	20, 21, 22,
22				27, 28
23	(5) Mud Creek	144	37	13, 14, 22,
24				23, 24
25	(6) Nasset Creek	148	38	20, 28, 29
26	(7) Sucker Brook (Gould Cr.)	144	36	27, 28, 29, 30,
27				32, 33
28				
29	N. Cook county:			
30				
31	(1) Assinika Creek	63	1E	1
32		63	2E	7, 8, 16, 17, 21
33		64	1E	36
34		64	2E	31
35	(2) Bally Creek	61	1W	3, 4, 5, 6, 7,
36				8, 9, 10, 11
37		61	2W	12
38	(3) Barker Creek	60	3W	5, 6, 7, 8
39		60	4W	2, 3, 9, 10,
40				11, 12
41		61	4W	34, 35
42	(4) Beaver Dam Creek	63	3E	2, 3, 4, 5
43		64	3E	32, 33, 34, 35
44	(5) Blind Temperance Creek	60	4W	19, 29, 30, 32
45		60	5W	25, 36
46	(6) Bluff Creek	63	1W	13, 23, 24, 25
47	(7) Brule River	62	2E	1, 2
48		62	3E	4, 5, 6, 9, 10,
49				15, 16, 22,
50				27, 34
51		63	2E	21, 22, 23, 25,
52				26, 27, 28, 33,
53				35, 36
54		63	3E	30, 31, 32
55	(8) Brule River, Little	62	3E	19, 20, 29,
56				32, 33
57	(9) Burnt Creek	62	4W	8, 9, 16,
58				17, 20
59	(10) Caribou Creek	60	3W	2, 3, 10
60	(11) Caribou River (Lake)	59	5W	19, 20, 29,
61				30, 31
62	(12) Carlson Creek (Stony Br.)	62	4E	3, 4, 9, 10
63		63	4E	31, 32, 33, 34
64	(13) Cascade River	60	2W	1
65		61	1W	19, 20, 21
66		61	1W	1, 12, 13,
67				14, 24, 25, 26
68				35, 36
69		62	2W	3, 10, 11, 14,
70				15, 16, 22, 23
71				24, 25, 36

1	(14) Cedar Creek	59	5W	2
2		60	5W	14, 22, 23,
3				25, 26, 35, 36
4	(15) Cliff Creek	61	2E	3, 4, 5, 9, 10
5		62	2E	29, 30, 31, 32
6	(16) Colville Creek, East	61	3E	5
7		62	2E	25
8		62	3E	30, 31, 32
9	(17) Cross River (Lake)	58	5W	1
10		59	5W	4, 5, 8, 9, 15,
11				16, 21, 22, 23,
12				25, 26, 35, 36
13		60	5W	30, 31, 32
14	(18) Cutface Cr. (Good Harbor	61	1W	27, 28, 29, 34
15	Cr.)			
16	(19) Deer Yard Cr. (Spruce Cr.)	60	2W	4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9,
17				10, 15, 16, 17
18		61	2W	32
19	(20) Devil Track River	61	1E	1, 2, 3, 10,
20				11, 12, 13
21		62	1E	26, 31, 32, 33,
22				34, 35, 36
23	(21) Devil Track R., Little	61	1E	4, 5, 6, 7,
24				8, 9, 10
25		61	1W	1, 2, 11, 12
26	(22) Durfee Creek	61	2E	5, 6, 8
27		62	1E	25, 36
28		62	2E	31
29	(23) Elbow Creek	62	1E	3, 4, 9, 10, 15,
30				22, 27, 34
31		63	1E	33, 34
32	(24) Farquhar Creek	62	4E	2, 11
33		63	4E	34, 35
34	(25) Fiddle Creek	63	1W	2, 3, 10, 15
35		64	1W	34, 35
36	(26) Flute Reed River	62	3E	1, 2, 3, 10, 11,
37				12, 13, 14, 15
38		62	4E	17, 18, 19, 20
39		63	3E	26, 34, 35, 36
40	(27) Fourmile Creek (Lake)	60	5W	17, 18, 19
41	(28) Fox Farm Creek	62	1E	19, 30
42	(29) Gauthier Creek	62	3E	16, 20, 21,
43				22, 27
44	(30) Grand Portage Creek	63	5E	1
45		63	6E	4, 5, 6
46		64	6E	31, 32, 33
47	(31) Greenwood River	63	2E	1, 2, 3, 10, 11,
48				12, 13, 14, 15,
49				22, 23, 24
50		64	2E	34
51		63	3E	6
52		64	3E	31
53	(32) Heartbreak Creek	59	4W	18, 19
54		59	5W	2, 11, 12, 13
55		60	5W	27, 28, 33,
56				34, 35
57	(33) Hollow Rock Creek	63	5E	9, 10, 11,
58				14, 15, 16,
59				23, 24, 25
60	(34) Honeymoon Cr. (Spring Cr.)	61	4W	28, 31, 32, 33
61	(35) Indian Camp Creek	60	2W	3, 10, 11
62		61	2W	34
63	(36) Irish Creek	63	3E	8, 9, 10, 13,
64				14, 15, 23,
65				24, 25, 26
66		63	4E	17, 18, 19
67	(37) Jonvick Creek	60	2W	19
68		60	3W	12, 13, 14, 24
69	(38) Junco Creek	62	1W	1, 2, 9, 10, 11,
70				12, 13, 14, 15,
71				16, 21, 28

1		62	1E	6, 7
2		63	1E	20, 29, 30, 31
3		63	1W	24, 25
4	(39) Kadunce Creek	61	2E	2
5		62	2E	9, 10, 12, 13,
6				14, 15, 16, 22,
7				23, 24, 26, 35
8	(40) Kimball Creek	61	2E	3, 4, 10
9		62	2E	7, 16, 17, 18,
10				19, 20, 21, 28,
11				29, 33, 34
12	(41) Koski Creek	61	4W	5, 8
13		62	4W	31, 32
14	(42) Last Creek	58	5W	16, 17
15	(43) Lullaby Creek	63	1E	4, 5, 8, 9
16	(44) Mark Creek	61	2W	1, 2, 3, 4, 5,
17				6, 9
18	(45) Mississippi Creek	61	2W	1, 2, 3
19		61	3W	1
20		62	2W	31, 32, 33,
21				34, 35, 36
22		62	3W	24, 25, 35, 36
23	(46) Mississippi Creek, Little	62	2W	20, 21, 26, 29,
24				32, 33, 34, 35
25	(47) Mistletoe Creek	60	3W	3, 4
26		61	2W	7, 18, 19
27		61	3W	11, 13, 14, 15,
28				23, 24, 25, 26,
29				34, 35
30	(48) Monker Creek	61	1E	6, 7
31		62	1E	31
32		62	1W	36
33	(49) Mons Creek	62	3E	4
34		63	3E	28, 29, 33
35	(50) Mud Creek	62	1E	8, 9, 16,
36				17, 21, 22
37	(51) Murmur Creek	61	2W	15, 20, 21,
38				22, 29, 30
39	(52) Myhr Creek	62	3E	23, 24, 26
40	(53) Nestor	61	1W	4, 5, 6
41		61	2W	1
42		62	1W	31, 32, 33
43	(54) Onion Creek	59	4W	1, 2, 3, 4, 12
44		60	4W	24, 25, 26, 35, 36
45	(55) Pancake Creek	60	4W	17, 18
46		60	5W	11, 13, 14
47	(56) Pecore Creek	61	4W	19, 20, 21
48	(57) Pike Lake Creek	61	2W	10, 11, 15
49	(58) Pine Mountain Creek	63	1E	23, 26, 27,
50				28, 33
51	(59) Plouff Creek	61	4W	17, 18
52		61	5W	2, 3, 11, 13,
53				14, 15, 23
54		62	5W	23, 26, 34, 35
55	(60) Poplar River	60	3W	3, 4, 5, 6, 7,
56				8, 9, 10, 15,
57				16, 17, 19, 20,
58				21, 28, 33
59		61	3W	30, 31
60		61	4W	10, 13, 14, 15,
61				22, 23, 25, 26, 36
62	(61) Portage Brook	64	3E	24, 25, 26, 27,
63				28, 29, 32,
64				33, 34
65		64	4E	19, 20
66	(62) Red Rock Creek	63	5E	21, 22, 26,
67				27, 28, 35
68	(63) Reservation River	62	5E	6
69		63	4E	23, 25, 26, 36
70		63	5E	16, 17, 18, 19,
71				20, 21, 29,

1				30, 31
2	(64) Rollins Creek	59	3W	6
3		60	3W	29, 30, 31
4		60	4W	36
5	(65) Rosebush Creek (Fall R.)	61	1W	13, 23, 24, 25
6		61	1E	18
7	(66) Sawbill Creek	62	4W	7, 18, 19, 20,
8				28, 29, 30
9		62	5W	25
10	(67) Section 15 Creek	58	5W	9, 10, 15
11	(68) Section 16 Creek	58	5W	16
12	(69) Section 29 Creek	58	5W	29, 30
13	(70) Sixmile Creek	60	4W	13, 14, 15, 22,
14				23, 27, 28, 33
15	(71) Stickle Creek	63	1W	1, 2, 11, 12, 14
16	(72) Stone Creek	61	2E	2, 3
17		62	2E	21, 22, 27,
18				34, 35
19	(73) Stony Creek, Little	63	2E	4, 5, 9
20		64	2E	31, 32, 33
21	(74) Stumble Creek	59	5W	16, 21, 22,
22				26, 27, 28
23	(75) Sugar Loaf Creek	58	5W	17, 19, 20, 29
24	(76) Sundling Creek	61	1W	10, 11, 14,
25				15, 16, 17, 18
26		61	2W	13
27	(77) Swamp River	63	3E	25, 26, 36
28		63	4E	20, 29, 30
29		64	4E	21, 27, 28
30	(78) Swamper Creek	64	1E	20, 29, 32
31	(79) Swanson Creek	61	4W	6, 7, 8
32		61	5W	1
33	(80) Tait River	60	3W	4
34		61	3W	28, 33
35	(81) Temperance River	59	4W	5, 6, 7, 8, 18,
36				19, 30, 31, 32
37		60	4W	5, 6, 7, 8, 17,
38				20, 28, 29,
39				32, 33
40		61	4W	4, 8, 9, 16, 17,
41				19, 20, 30, 31
42	(82) Thompson Creek	62	1W	17, 19, 20
43		62	2W	24
44	(83) Timber Creek	62	1E	1
45		63	1E	25, 36
46		63	2E	31
47	(84) Torgenson Creek	61	4W	30
48		61	5W	24, 25
49	(85) Two Island River (Lake)	58	5W	2, 3, 4, 11
50		59	5W	7, 8, 17, 18, 20,
51				21, 27, 28, 29,
52				31, 32, 33, 34
53	(86) Woods Creek	61	1E	1, 12, 13
54		62	1E	35, 36
55				
56	O. Cottonwood county:			
57				
58	Scheldorf Creek	106	36	19, 30, 31
59		106	37	13, 24, 25
60				
61	P. Crow Wing county:			
62				
63	(1) Barbour Creek	44	28	28
64	(2) Black Bear Brook	44	28	7, 8
65	(3) Blackhoof Creek	46	29	16
66	(4) Borden Creek	44	28	8, 9, 17, 20
67	(5) Camp Creek	43	28	4, 5
68	(6) Cullen Brook	136	28	18, 19, 30
69		136	29	13
70	(7) Long Brook, Lower South	44	30	12, 13
71	(8) Long Brook, Upper South	44	29	6, 7

1	(9)	Round Creek	43	31	14, 15
2	(10)	Sand Creek	45	30	2, 3, 11, 13, 14
3			46	30	34
4	(11)	Spring Brook	138	28	27, 34
5	(12)	Van Sickle Brook	138	26	14, 15, 23, 24
6	(13)	Whitley's Creek	45	30	16, 17, 20, 21
7					
8	Q.	Dakota county:			
9					
10	(1)	Kennaley's Creek	27	23	18
11	(2)	Pine Creek	113	17	31
12			113	18	25, 26, 35, 36
13	(3)	Trout Brook (Goodhue)	113	17	26, 27, 35, 36
14	(4)	Unnamed #1	27	23	18
15			27	24	13
16	(5)	Unnamed #4	27	24	24
17	(6)	Unnamed #7	27	24	26
18	(7)	Vermillion River	113	20	1, 2, 3, 4, 9
19			114	19	31
20					
21			114	20	33, 34, 35, 36
22					
23	R.	Douglas county:			
24					
25		Spruce Creek (Otter Tail)	130	36	3, 4, 9, 10
26					
27	S.	Fillmore county:			
28					
29	(1)	Big Springs Creek	104	9	21, 22, 26, 27
30	(2)	Camp Creek	101	10	5, 8, 9
31			102	10	5, 8, 16, 17, 20,
32					29, 32
33	(3)	Camp Hayward Creek	104	8	31, 32
34	(4)	Crystal Creek	102	11	35, 36
35	(5)	Diamond Creek	103	8	18, 19
36			103	9	10, 11, 13, 14, 24
37	(6)	Duschee Creek	102	10	1
38			103	10	23, 24, 25, 26, 36
39	(7)	Etna Creek	102	13	25, 36
40	(8)	Forestville Creek, N.Br.	102	12	13, 14, 15
41	(9)	Forestville Creek, S.Br.	102	12	24, 25
42	(10)	Frego Creek	101	9	14, 15, 22, 23
43	(11)	Gribben Creek	103	9	9, 16, 21, 27, 28
44	(12)	Hamilton Creek (Mower)	103	13	6
45			103	14	1
46	(13)	Jordan Creek, Little	104	12	21, 22, 26, 27, 28
47	(14)	Kedron Creek	104	13	36
48	(15)	Lanesboro Park Pond	103	10	13
49	(16)	Lost Creek	104	11	18
50			104	12	9
51	(17)	Lynch Creek	104	11	2, 11, 14
52	(18)	Mahoods Creek	103	12	20
53	(19)	Maple Creek	102	8	3, 4
54			103	8	27, 28, 33, 34
55	(20)	Mill Creek (Olmsted)	104	11	5, 6
56	(21)	Nepstad Creek	102	8	4, 5, 7, 8, 9
57			102	9	1, 2, 12
58	(22)	Newburg Creek	101	8	5, 8
59		(M-9-10-10-1)			
60	(23)	Partridge Creek	102	10	33
61			101	10	4
62	(24)	Pine Creek (Winona)	104	9	2, 3, 4
63	(25)	Rice Creek	103	11	3, 5, 7, 8, 9
64			104	11	14, 23, 33
65	(26)	Riceford Creek (Houston)	101	7	6, 7, 18, 19
66			101	8	1, 12, 13, 24
67	(27)	Root River, S.Br.	102	10	5, 6
68			102	11	1, 2, 3, 4, 5,
69					6, 7, 8, 9, 10,
70					11, 18
71			102	12	13, 21, 22, 23,

1				24, 26, 27
2		103	9	7, 18
3		103	10	13, 14, 15, 16,
4				21, 22, 23, 24,
5				28, 29, 32, 33
6		103	11	36
7	(28) Root River, S.Fk.	102	8	2, 3, 4, 8, 9,
8				10, 11, 17, 18, 19
9		102	9	24, 25, 26
10	(29) Rush Creek (Winona)	104	8	2, 3, 4, 10, 11,
11				13, 14
12	(30) Schueler Creek	104	8	1, 2, 3
13	(31) Shady Creek	104	11	19, 30
14	(32) Spring Valley Creek	103	12	8, 17, 18, 19,
15				20, 30
16		103	13	23, 24, 25, 26,
17				27, 28, 29, 32,
18				33, 34
19	(33) Torkelson Creek	104	10	25, 36
20	(34) Trout Run Creek (Winona)	104	10	4, 5, 8, 9, 16,
21				17, 20, 21
22	(35) Unnamed Creek (M-9-10-5-3)	101	8	1, 2
23	(Houston)			
24	(36) Unnamed Creek (M-9-10-5-4)	101	8	12, 13
25	(37) Unnamed Creek (M-9-10-10-5)	102	8	32, 33
26	(38) Unnamed Creek (M-9-10-6)	103	8	36
27	(Houston)			
28	(39) Unnamed Creek	104	8	19, 30
29	(40) Vesta Creek	102	8	10, 11, 14, 15, 23
30	(41) Watson Creek	103	10	19, 20, 21, 29, 30
31		103	11	22, 23, 24, 25,
32				26, 27, 28, 29, 30
33	(42) Willow Creek	101	11	1, 12
34		102	11	1, 12, 13, 24,
35				25, 36
36	(43) Wisel Creek	101	8	5, 6, 8
37		102	8	19, 20, 29,
38				30, 31, 32
39				
40	T. Goodhue county:			
41				
42	(1) Bullard Creek	112	14	1, 2, 3, 10
43		113	14	36
44	(2) Cannon River, Little	110	18	1, 10, 11,
45				12, 15
46		111	18	13, 24, 25, 36
47	(3) Hay Creek	111	15	4
48		112	14	19
49		112	15	1, 12, 13, 23, 24
50				26, 27, 33, 34
51		113	15	24, 25, 36
52	(4) Mazeppa Creek (Wabasha)	110	15	24, 25
53	(5) Pine Creek	112	17W	5, 6, 8, 9
54	(6) Spring Creek	112	15	5, 6, 7, 18
55		113	15	29, 31, 32, 33, 34
56	(7) Trout Brook (Dakota)	112	17	1
57	(8) Trout Brook (Hay Cr. Trib.)	113	15	35, 36
58				
59	U. Houston county:			
60				
61	(1) Badger Creek	103	6	16, 21, 22, 27,
62				28, 34
63	(2) Beaver Creek	102	6	5, 18, 19, 29, 30
64		103	6	31, 32
65	(3) Beaver Creek, East	102	6	5, 6, 8, 17
66	(4) Beaver Creek, West	102	6	5, 6, 7, 18,
67				19, 30
68		102	7	12, 13, 24, 25, 26
69	(5) Bee Creek	101	6	29, 32, 33
70	(6) Brush Valley Creek	104	5	23, 24, 26
71	(7) Butterfield Creek	103	4	6, 7, 8, 18

1	(8)	Campbell Creek	104	6	5, 7, 8, 18
2	(9)	Crooked Creek, Mn.Br.	102	4	18, 19, 20,
3					28, 29, 30
4			102	5	25, 26, 36
5	(10)	Crooked Creek, N.Fk.	102	5	17, 20, 21,
6					22, 23, 26
7	(11)	Crooked Creek, S.Fk.	102	5	26, 28
8	(12)	Crystal Creek	103	5	6, 7, 18, 19
9			103	6	1, 12
10	(13)	Daley Creek	103	7	4, 5, 8
11			104	7	33
12	(14)	Indian Springs Creek	103	5	12, 13, 14, 15,
13		(Dexter)			21, 22, 28
14	(15)	Eitzen Creek	101	5	22, 23
15	(16)	Ferndale Creek	104	7	29, 30, 31
16	(17)	Girl Scout Camp Creek	103	7	29, 30
17	(18)	New York Hollow Creek	101	5	25, 26
18	(19)	Riceford Creek (Fillmore)	101	7	6
19			102	7	29, 30, 31, 32
20	(20)	Silver Creek (Winona)	104	6	1, 2, 11,
21					12, 14
22	(21)	Storer Creek	104	5	17, 18, 19, 30
23	(22)	Sullivan Creek	103	5	12, 13, 14,
24					23, 24, 25, 26
25	(23)	Swede Bottom Creek	103	6	10
26	(24)	Thompson Creek	103	4	5, 6, 7
27			103	5	12
28			104	4	32
29	(25)	Unnamed Creek	101	4	21
30	(26)	Unnamed Creek (M-9-10-5-3)	101	7	6
31		(Fillmore)			
32	(27)	Unnamed Creek	102	4	18, 19, 20, 29, 30
33	(28)	Unnamed Creek	103	7	31
34	(29)	Wildcat Creek	103	4	26, 27, 28, 29,
35					32, 33, 34, 35
36	(30)	Winnebago Creek	101	4	28, 29, 30
37			101	5	7, 8, 14, 15, 16,
38					17, 22, 23, 24, 25
39			101	6	12
40					
41	V.	Hubbard county:			
42					
43	(1)	Bungoshine Creek	145	32	28, 29, 30
44			145	33	25, 26, 34, 35
45	(2)	Cold Creek	145	33	19
46	(3)	Hellcamp Creek	140	33	19
47			140	34	24
48	(4)	Hennepin Creek	144	35	3, 10, 15, 16, 21
49			145	35	34
50	(5)	Kabekona River	143	32	6, 7, 18, 19
51			143	33	2, 3, 4, 9, 11,
52					12, 24
53			144	33	29, 30, 32, 33
54			144	34	24, 25, 36
55	(6)	Kawishiwash Creek	142	32	12
56	(7)	LaSalle Creek	143	35	6
57			144	35	19, 30, 31
58	(8)	Muckey Creek	139	33	1, 2, 10, 11, 12
59	(9)	Necktie R.	145	33	1
60			145	32	6, 7, 8, 9, 16
61	(10)	Pickedee Creek	144	32	29, 30
62			144	33	24, 25
63	(11)	Schoolcraft Creek	142	34	5, 7, 8, 17
64	(12)	Shingobee River (Cass)	141	32	24
65	(13)	Stall Creek	143	33	12, 13, 14
66	(14)	Straight River (Becker)	139	34	7
67			139	35	4, 5, 6, 9,
68					10, 11, 12
69	(15)	Wallingford Brook	139	33	1, 2, 11
70			140	33	25, 36
71					

1	W. Itasca county:			
2				
3	(1) Bruce Creek	53	22	6, 7
4		53	23	25, 26
5		54	22	18, 19, 30, 31
6		54	23	25, 26
7	(2) Harrigan Creek	62	23	10
8	(3) Matuska's Creek	54	26	35, 36
9	(4) Morrison Brook (Aitkin)	53	26	7, 8, 18, 19,
10				29, 30, 32, 33
11	(5) Pancake Creek	54	22	20, 28, 29, 32,
12				33
13	(6) Peters Creek	54	22	22, 23, 27, 28
14	(7) Pickerel Creek	56	22	7, 18
15		56	23	13
16	(8) Pokegama Creek	54	26	26, 27, 28
17	(9) Pokegama Creek, Little	54	26	26, 27, 34, 35
18	(10) Rosholt Creek	55	23	22, 23, 24
19	(11) Sand Creek	55	23	15, 22, 27,
20				28, 29, 32, 33
21	(12) Shine Brook	62	25	11, 14, 15, 16
22	(13) Sisseebakwet Creek	54	26	19, 29, 30
23	(14) Smith Creek	53	26	1, 9, 10, 11, 12,
24				13, 14, 15
25		54	26	35, 36
26	(15) Smith Cr., Unnamed Trib.	54	26	35, 36
27	(16) Smith Cr., Unnamed Trib.	53	26	11, 12
28	(17) Spring Creek	55	23	25, 26, 27
29	(18) Stoney Brook (St. Louis)	60	22	3, 4
30		61	22	13, 24, 25, 35, 36
31	(19) Spring Brook, Lower	57	25	6
32		58	25	31
33	(20) Trout Brook	54	22	1
34	(21) Valley River (Koochiching)	62	23	1, 2, 3, 4, 10,
35				11, 12, 13,
36				14, 24
37	(22) Venning Creek	60	23	1, 2, 11, 12,
38				13, 14
39		61	23	35
40	(23) Warba Creek	54	23	13, 14, 15, 21,
41				22, 23, 24
42				
43	X. Koochiching county:			
44				
45	(1) Dinner Creek	153	26	4, 9, 10, 12, 13,
46				14, 15, 23, 24
47		154	26	7, 18, 19, 29,
48				30, 32, 33
49		154	27	1, 12
50		155	26	30, 31
51		155	27	25, 35, 36
52	(2) Hay Creek	153	26	4, 8, 9, 17, 20
53	(3) Trout Brook	66	26	19, 30
54		66	27	24, 25
55	(4) Valley River (Itasca)	63	22	6, 7, 8, 9, 16,
56				17, 18, 19, 20,
57				21, 28, 29, 30
58		63	23	24, 25, 26, 35
59				
60	Y. Lake county:			
61				
62	(1) Arrowhead Creek	60	8	3, 10, 11, 13,
63				14, 15, 22, 23,
64				26, 27, 28, 34
65		61	8	14, 15, 21, 22,
66				27, 28, 34
67	(2) Baptism River, Mn.Br.	56	7	3, 4, 5, 9, 10,
68				14, 15
69		57	7	20, 27, 28, 29,
70				33, 34
71	(3) Baptism River, E.Br.	57	6	6

1		57	7	1, 2, 3, 9, 10,
2				11, 12, 16, 17, 20
3		58	6	30, 31
4		58	7	13, 17, 19, 20,
5				21, 22
6				23, 24, 25, 26,
7				29, 30, 36
8		58	8	22, 23, 24, 25, 26
9	(4) Baptism River, W.Br.	57	7	7, 17, 18, 20
10		57	8	1, 2, 12
11		58	8	2, 3, 4, 9, 10,
12				11, 15, 16, 20,
13				21, 22, 28, 33,
14				34, 35, 36
15		59	8	27, 34, 35
16	(5) Beaver River	55	8	2, 3, 5, 6, 7, 8,
17				9, 10, 11, 12,
18				16, 17
19		55	9	1, 2
20		56	8	31
21		56	9	4, 5, 6, 8, 9,
22				16, 18, 19, 20,
23				21, 22, 23, 25,
24				26, 27, 28, 32,
25				33, 34, 35, 36
26		57	9	28, 32, 33
27	(6) Beaver River, E.Br.	55	8	2
28		56	8	4, 5, 6, 8, 9,
29				15, 16, 21, 22,
30				25, 26, 27, 35, 36
31		57	8	7, 18, 19, 30,
32				31, 32
33		57	9	2, 3, 11, 12, 13,
34				14, 15, 23, 24,
35				25, 26, 36
36	(7) Beaver River, W.Br.	55	8	7, 17, 18
37		55	9	2, 3, 4, 10, 11,
38				12, 13, 14
39	(8) Berry Creek (Breda)	56	11	6
40	(St. Louis)	57	11	10, 15, 16, 21,
41				28, 29, 31, 32
42	(9) Blesner Creek	58	6	20, 29, 30, 31
43	(10) Budd Creek	55	9	7, 17, 18, 20, 21
44	(11) Camp Creek	60	8	3, 4, 5, 7, 8, 9,
45				10, 16, 17, 20,
46				21, 29
47		61	8	33
48	(12) Camp Creek, East	60	9	7, 18
49		60	10	11, 12, 14
50	(13) Caribou River (Cook)	58	6	1, 2, 11, 13,
51				14, 15, 22, 23,
52				24, 25, 26, 36
53		59	6	23, 24, 25, 26,
54				35, 36
55	(14) Castle Danger Creek	54	9	30, 31, 32
56	(Campers)			
57	(15) Cedar Creek	56	8	13, 14, 23, 24, 26
58	(16) Cloudy Spring Creek	57	9	5, 6, 7, 18
59		57	10	12, 13, 24
60	(17) Cross River (Cook)	60	6	13, 24, 25
61	(18) Crow Creek	53	10	1, 2
62		54	10	15, 22, 23, 26, 35
63	(19) Crown Creek	57	8	2, 3, 4, 5, 9,
64				10, 11
65		58	8	5, 6, 7, 18, 19,
66				20, 29, 30, 31,
67				32, 33
68		58	9	1, 12, 13, 14,
69				24, 36
70		59	8	31, 32
71	(20) Dago Creek	54	9	18, 19

1		54	10	2, 11, 12, 13
2		55	10	27, 34, 35
3	(21) Dragon Creek	57	6	8, 9, 16, 17, 21
4	(22) Egge Creek	57	7	2, 3, 4, 11
5	(23) Encampment River	53	10	3, 10, 11
6		54	10	8, 16, 17, 21,
7				27, 28, 34
8	(24) Fourmile Creek (Cook)	60	6	24
9	(25) Gooseberry River	54	9	18, 19, 20, 21,
10				22, 27
11		54	10	4, 5, 6, 8, 9,
12				10, 11, 12, 13
13		55	10	4, 9, 16, 17, 20,
14				29, 30, 31, 32
15		56	10	33
16	(26) Gooseberry River, Little	54	10	6
17		54	11	1
18		55	10	31
19		55	11	34, 35, 36
20	(27) Harris Lake Creek	60	10	6
21		61	10	19, 30, 31
22	(28) Hockamin Creek	57	7	17, 18, 19
23		57	8	13, 16, 20, 21,
24				22, 23, 24, 25,
25				26, 27, 28, 29,
26				32, 33, 34
27	(29) Hill Creek	60	8	30
28		60	9	24, 25
29	(30) Houghtaling Creek	59	6	2, 3, 4, 5, 6
30		60	6	25, 32, 33, 35, 36
31	(31) Inga Creek	60	9	2
32		61	9	11, 12, 14, 22,
33				23, 27, 34, 35
34	(32) Isabella River, Little	59	8	3, 4, 5, 6, 9, 10
35		60	8	31, 32
36		60	9	5, 6, 8, 9, 10,
37				15, 16, 22, 25,
38				26, 27, 36
39		61	9	3, 4, 9, 10, 16,
40				17, 20, 21, 22,
41				29, 32
42		62	9	34
43	(33) Jack Creek	61	8	14, 23, 24, 25,
44				26, 36
45	(34) Jack Pine Creek	60	8	5, 6, 7, 8, 18
46		61	8	19, 20, 29, 30,
47				31, 32
48	(35) Kennedy Creek	57	7	35, 36
49	(36) Kinney Creek	57	10	15, 21, 22, 28, 33
50	(37) Knife River (St. Louis)	52	11	4, 5, 8, 9, 17,
51				18, 19, 31
52		53	11	4, 5, 7, 8, 17,
53				18, 20, 29, 32, 33
54		54	11	20, 29, 30, 32
55	(38) Knife River, W.Br.	52	11	5, 6, 8
56	(St. Louis)			
57	(39) Knife River, Lit., E.Br.	53	11	17, 20, 21, 22,
58				27, 33, 34
59	(40) Knife River, Lit., W.Br.	52	11	5, 6
60	(St. Louis)	53	11	31
61	(41) Leppanen Creek	57	7	15, 21, 22, 28
62	(42) Lindstrom Creek	56	7	4
63		57	7	19, 30, 31, 32, 33
64		57	8	25
65	(43) Manitou River	57	6	3, 4, 10, 11
66		58	6	4, 5, 6, 7, 8,
67				16, 17, 18, 20,
68				21, 28, 29, 32,
69				33, 34
70	(44) Manitou River, N.Br.	58	6	6
71		58	7	1, 2

1		59	6	31
2		59	7	15, 16, 18, 19,
3				20, 21, 22, 25,
4				26, 27, 28, 33,
5				34, 35, 36
6		59	8	1, 2, 12, 13, 23,
7				24, 25, 26
8	(45) Manitou River, S.Br.	58	6	6
9		58	7	1, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8,
10				9, 10, 11, 12,
11				16, 17, 18
12		59	7	29, 30, 31, 32, 33
13		58	8	1, 2
14	(46) Manitou River, Little	57	6	2
15		58	6	34, 35
16	(47) Marais River, Little	57	6	5, 8, 16, 17, 21
17	(48) Mary Ann Creek	58	10	16, 21
18	(49) Martin Creek	58	6	2, 3, 11
19	(50) McCarthy Creek (St. Louis)	53	11	18
20	(51) Mike Kelly Creek	60	11	14, 15, 23
21	(52) Mile Post Forty-three Cr.	56	8	2, 3, 9, 10, 11,
22				13, 14, 15
23	(53) Mink Creek	54	9	4, 5, 9
24		55	9	30, 31, 32
25		55	10	25, 26, 36
26	(54) Mitawan Creek	60	9	1, 12
27		61	8	5, 6, 7, 18, 19, 31
28		61	9	1, 2, 12, 13,
29				24, 25, 36
30		62	9	35
31	(55) Moose Creek	59	6	31, 32, 33, 34
32	(56) Mud Creek, Little	57	11	11, 12, 14, 22, 23
33	(57) Murphy Creek	56	11	4, 5, 8, 17, 18, 19
34		57	10	4, 7, 8, 9, 18
35		57	11	11, 12, 13, 14,
36				21, 22, 23, 24,
37				26, 27, 28, 33, 34
38	(58) Nicadoo Creek	56	7	7
39		56	8	1, 12
40		57	8	25, 35, 36
41	(59) Nine Mile Creek	58	6	3, 4, 9, 16, 17
42		59	6	27, 28, 33, 34
43	(60) Nip Creek	59	11	3, 4
44		60	11	21, 22, 27, 28, 34
45	(61) Nira Creek	61	11	22, 23, 27
46	(62) Oliver Creek (Silver)	57	7	5, 6
47		57	8	1
48		58	7	31, 32
49	(63) Palisade Creek	56	7	16, 17, 18, 19,
50				20, 21, 22
51		56	8	24
52	(64) Rock Cut Creek	58	6	18, 19, 20
53		58	7	13
54	(65) Sawmill Creek	57	6	18
55		57	7	1, 12, 13, 22,
56				23, 24, 26, 27, 34
57	(66) Schoolhouse Creek	58	7	35, 36
58	(67) Scott Creek	59	7	4
59		60	7	9, 10, 15, 16,
60				21, 22, 27, 33,
61				34, 35
62	(68) Section 30 Creek	63	11	30
63	(St. Louis)			
64	(69) Silver Creek	53	10	6, 7, 16, 17,
65				18, 21
66		53	11	1
67		54	10	18, 19, 30
68		54	11	11, 12, 13, 25, 36
69	(70) Silver Creek, E.Br.	53	10	5, 8, 9, 16, 21
70	(71) Skunk Creek	54	9	4, 9, 16, 17, 20
71		55	9	19, 29, 30, 32, 33

1		55	10	13, 14, 24
2	(72) Snake Creek	60	9	6
3		60	10	1
4		61	9	19, 30, 31
5		61	10	24, 25, 36
6	(73) Snake River	60	10	3, 4
7		61	9	7, 18, 19
8		61	10	12, 23, 24, 26,
9				27, 33, 34
10	(74) Sphagnum Creek	60	9	4
11		61	9	28, 29, 33
12	(75) Split Rock River	54	8	6, 7
13		54	9	1, 2, 12
14		55	9	26, 28, 34, 35, 36
15	(76) Split Rock River, E.Br.	55	9	4, 5, 6, 9, 10,
16				14, 15, 22, 23,
17				24, 25, 26
18		56	9	30, 31, 32
19		56	10	1, 11, 12, 13,
20				14, 23, 24, 25
21	(77) Split Rock River, W.Br.	55	9	6, 7, 8, 16, 17,
22				21, 22, 26, 27, 28
23		55	10	1
24		56	10	22, 26, 27, 33,
25				34, 35, 36
26	(78) Stanley Creek (St. Louis)	52	11	18, 19
27	(79) Stewart River	53	10	18, 19, 20, 29
28		53	11	2, 3, 10, 11,
29				13, 14, 15
30		54	11	3, 4, 10, 15, 22,
31				26, 27, 34, 35
32	(80) Stewart River, Little	53	10	19, 20, 29
33		53	11	9, 15, 16, 22,
34				23, 24
35	(81) Stewart R. (St. Louis)	55	11	7
36	(82) Stoney Creek (Rock)	55	9	30
37		55	10	20, 23, 24, 25, 27
38	(83) Stream Number 30	54	8	5, 6
39		55	8	19, 30, 31
40	(84) Sullivan Creek	56	11	1, 2, 10, 11, 15
41		57	10	19, 30
42		57	11	24, 25, 36
43	(85) Thirty-nine Cr., Big	56	8	19, 30, 31
44		56	9	1, 2, 3, 9, 11,
45				12, 13, 14, 15,
46				22, 23, 24, 25
47		57	9	22, 26, 27, 35, 36
48	(86) Thirty-nine Cr., Little	56	8	6, 7, 8, 17, 18,
49				19, 20, 29, 30
50		56	9	1, 12
51	(87) Tikkanen Creek	57	7	5, 6, 8, 16, 17
52	(88) Tomlinson Creek	60	7	18, 19, 31
53		60	8	24, 25, 36
54	(89) Tower Creek	57	7	9
55	(90) Trappers Creek	56	11	2, 3, 9, 10, 16,
56				17, 19, 20
57		57	11	35
58	(91) Twin Points Creek	54	9	10, 11, 13, 14
59	(92) Two Island River (Cook)	59	6	11, 12
60	(93) Unnamed Creek	55	8	20, 21, 29, 32, 33
61	(94) Victor Creek	60	9	12, 13
62	(95) Wanless Creek	60	6	27, 33, 34, 35, 36
63	(96) Weiss Creek	59	9	2, 3, 11
64		60	9	27, 34
65	(97) Wenho Creek	58	10	17, 20, 21, 27,
66				28, 34
67	(98) Whyte Creek	57	10	1, 2, 11, 14,
68				23, 26, 27, 34
69				
70	Z. Lake of the Woods county:			
71				

1	(1)	Pitt Creek	159	32	4, 9, 16
2			160	32	21, 28, 33
3	(2)	Tomato Creek	161	34	3, 9, 10
4			162	34	35
5					
6	AA.	Le Sueur county:			
7					
8	(1)	Paul's Creek	110	26	14, 15
9	(2)	Unnamed Creek	110	26	10, 11
10					
11	BB.	Lyon county:			
12					
13		Redwood River	110	42	5, 8, 17
14			111	42	32
15					
16	CC.	Mahnomen county:			
17					
18	(1)	Bad Boy Creek	144	39	13, 14, 22, 23,
19					27, 28, 34
20	(2)	Schermerhorn Creek	144	39	6
21			145	39	31
22			145	40	25, 26, 36
23					
24	DD.	Meeker county:			
25					
26	(1)	Sucker Creek	118	30	4, 5, 6, 7
27	(2)	Willow Creek (Stearns)	121	29	23
28					
29	EE.	Morrison county:			
30					
31	(1)	Camp Ripley Brook	132	30	13, 24
32	(2)	Nelson Hay Creek	130	31	1, 2
33	(3)	Rock Creek, Little (Benton)	39	30	17, 18, 20, 21, 22
34			39	31	13, 14, 22, 23,
35					27, 33, 34
36					
37	FF.	Mower county:			
38					
39	(1)	LeRoy Trout Pond	101	14	36
40	(2)	Woodson Creek	102	18	14, 15
41					
42	GG.	Nicollet county:			
43					
44		Seven Mile Creek	109	27	2, 3, 4, 10, 11, 12
45					
46	HH.	Olmsted county:			
47					
48	(1)	Dry Run Creek (Wabasha)	108	14	4
49	(2)	Kinney Creek	105	13	1, 12, 13
50			106	13	36
51	(3)	Logan Creek	107	11	3
52	(4)	Mill Creek (Fillmore)	105	11	31
53			105	12	14, 23, 25, 26, 36
54	(5)	Whitewater R., Md.Br. (Winona)	106	11	2, 3, 10
55					
56			107	11	24, 25, 26, 35
57	(6)	Whitewater R., N.Br. (Winona & Wabasha)	107	11	1, 2, 3
58					
59					
60	II.	Otter Tail county:			
61					
62	(1)	Brandberg Creek	133	38	20, 21, 28, 29, 30
63	(2)	Finn Creek	135	37	27, 34
64	(3)	Holmstad Creek	136	37	7
65			136	30	12, 13, 14
66	(4)	Long Branch Creek	134	42	7
67	(5)	Long Lake Creek	132	41	9
68	(6)	Rush Lake Creek	135	38	23, 26, 27, 28
69	(7)	Spruce Creek (Douglas)	131	36	28, 29, 31, 32,
70					33, 34
71	(8)	Willow Creek	133	38	2, 11

1		134	38	26, 35
2				
3	JJ. Pine county:			
4				
5	(1) Bang's Brook	41	17	15, 20, 21, 22, 29
6	(2) Barnes Spring	41	18	1, 12
7	(3) Bjork Creek	42	16	2, 9, 10, 11
8	(4) Cons Creek	41	17	15, 16, 22
9	(5) Crooked Creek	41	17	6, 7, 18, 19, 20,
10				29, 30
11		41	18	11, 12, 13
12		42	17	31
13	(6) Crooked Creek, W.Fk.	41	18	11, 12
14		42	18	3, 4, 9, 10, 16
15		43	18	27, 34
16	(7) Crystal Creek	41	16	9, 10, 15
17	(8) Grindstone River	42	21	20, 21, 28, 29
18	(9) Hay Creek	40	18	6, 7, 8, 18, 19
19		41	18	10, 15, 20, 21,
20				22, 29, 32, 33
21	(10) Hay Creek, Little	40	18	8, 9
22	(11) Larson Creek	44	17	4, 5
23		45	17	29, 32
24	(12) Lost Creek	40	19	9, 10, 15
25	(13) McCullen Creek	42	16	28, 33
26	(14) Mission Creek	40	21	1, 2
27		41	20	31
28		41	21	36
29	(15) Net River (Carlton)	45	16	6
30		45	17	1
31	(16) Pelkey Creek	41	20	33, 34, 35
32	(17) Sand River	43	18	4, 5, 7, 8, 18,
33				19, 24
34		44	18	33, 34
35	(18) Spring Brook	41	20	16, 17, 18, 21
36	(19) Wilbur Brook	41	17	29, 30
37		41	18	23, 25, 26
38	(20) Wolf Creek	42	18	4, 9, 16
39		43	18	32, 33
40				
41	KK. Polk county:			
42				
43	Lengby Creek	147	39	33, 34
44				
45	LL. Pope county:			
46				
47	Mud Creek	123	36	28, 29
48				
49	MM. Redwood county:			
50				
51	Ramsey Creek	112	36	1
52		113	36	35, 36
53				
54	NN. Rice county:			
55				
56	Spring Brook	111	20	2, 3, 4
57				
58	OO. Roseau county:			
59				
60	Bemis Hill Creek	161	37	17, 19, 20, 29, 30
61				
62	PP. St. Louis county:			
63				
64	(1) Ahlenius Creek	53	14	9, 10
65	(2) Amity Creek	50	14	1
66		50	13	5, 6
67		51	13	31, 32
68		51	14	26, 27, 28, 35, 36
69	(3) Amity Creek, E.Br.	51	13	30, 31
70		51	14	13, 14, 15, 22,
71				24, 25, 36

1	(4)	Anderson Creek (Carlton)	49	15	16, 17, 18
2	(5)	Angora Creek	61	18	9, 10, 15, 16,
3					21, 22
4	(6)	Artichoke Creek	52	17	7, 17, 18
5	(7)	Ash River	66	20	4, 5, 9
6			67	20	5, 6, 8, 16,
7					17, 18, 19, 20,
8					29, 30, 31, 32
9			67	21	36
10			68	20	13, 14, 20, 21,
11					22, 23, 24, 28,
12					29, 31, 33
13			68	19	17, 18
14			68	21	36
15	(8)	Barrs Creek	53	13	20, 27, 28, 29
16	(9)	Bear Trap Creek	51	16	30
17			51	17	16, 21, 22, 23,
18					25, 26, 27, 28
19	(10)	Beauty Creek	67	21	23, 24, 25, 26
20	(11)	Berry Creek (Breda)	55	12	6, 7
21		(Lake)	55	13	12, 13
22			56	12	1, 11, 12, 14,
23					15, 16, 21, 28,
24					29, 31, 32
25	(12)	Blackduck River	66	19	5, 6, 7, 8, 17
26			66	20	1
27			67	19	29, 31, 32
28			67	20	2, 3, 4, 10,
29					14, 15, 23, 24,
30					25, 26, 36
31			68	20	26, 27, 28, 33, 34
32	(13)	Captain Jacobson Creek	52	12	1, 2, 3
33			53	12	33, 34, 35
34	(14)	Carey Creek	53	14	28, 33
35	(15)	Carlson Creek	52	12	19
36			52	13	14, 15, 23, 24
37	(16)	Cemetery Creek	51	17	4, 5, 9
38	(17)	Chellberg Creek	51	16	7
39			51	17	1, 2, 3, 10, 12
40	(18)	Chester Creek	50	14	7, 8, 9, 14, 15,
41					16, 23
42	(19)	Chester Creek, E.Br.	50	14	4, 5, 9, 15, 16
43	(20)	Chicken Creek	52	16	5, 7, 8, 18, 19
44			52	17	13, 24, 25
45			53	16	32
46	(21)	Coolidge Creek	55	14	19, 29, 30
47			55	15	25, 26, 35, 36
48	(22)	Dark River	60	19	19, 20, 30
49			60	20	10, 11, 12, 13, 24
50	(23)	Dutchess Slough Creek	50	17	4, 9, 10, 13, 14,
51					15, 24
52	(24)	Elm Creek (Carlton)	50	16	35
53	(25)	Fawn Creek	66	20	1, 2, 3, 4, 12
54			67	20	15, 22, 23, 26,
55					34, 35
56	(26)	French River	51	12	7, 17, 18
57			51	13	1, 2, 3, 12
58			52	13	8, 9, 16, 17,
59					20, 21, 23, 26,
60					27, 28, 29, 34, 35
61	(27)	Grassy Creek	61	13	6
62			61	14	1
63	(28)	Hasty Brook (Carlton)	50	20	28, 29, 32, 33
64	(29)	Hay Creek (Carlton)	50	16	20, 21, 28, 29,
65					32, 33
66	(30)	Hellwig Creek	52	17	3, 10, 14, 15,
67					23, 26
68			53	16	16, 18, 19, 20, 30
69			53	17	13, 14, 23, 24,
70					25, 26, 34, 35
71	(31)	Hornby Junction Creek	55	13	5, 6, 7

1		56	13	28, 32, 33
2	(32) Humphrey Creek	54	14	23, 26, 27, 33, 34
3	(33) Indian Creek	55	12	3
4		56	12	14, 22, 23, 27, 34
5	(34) Joe Martin Creek	50	18	3, 4, 5, 7, 8
6		50	19	12
7	(35) Johnson Creek	50	17	3, 10, 11, 14
8		51	17	34
9	(36) Johnson Creek	55	12	35, 36
10	(37) Johnson Creek	60	18	6, 7, 8, 17, 20
11	(38) Keene Creek	49	14	18
12		49	15	1, 12, 13
13		50	15	24, 25, 36
14	(39) Kehtel Creek	51	15	8, 17, 18, 19, 20
15	(40) Kingsbury Creek	49	15	4, 9, 10, 11,
16				13, 14
17		50	15	33, 34
18	(41) Kinmount Creek	67	20	19
19		67	21	13, 14, 15, 20,
20				21, 22, 23, 24
21	(42) Kinney Creek	58	19	11
22	(43) Knife River (Lake)	52	12	24, 25, 36
23	(44) Knife River, W.Br. (Lake)	52	12	1
24		53	12	2, 3, 10, 15,
25				16, 22, 23, 27,
26				28, 34, 35, 36
27		54	12	35, 36
28	(45) Knife River, Little	52	12	16, 17, 21, 22,
29				23, 26, 27, 28,
30				35, 36
31	(46) Knife River, Lit., W.Br.	53	12	13, 14, 23, 24,
32	(Lake)			25, 26, 36
33	(47) Lavi Creek	52	15	21, 28
34	(48) Lester River	50	13	4, 5, 8
35		51	13	5, 6, 7, 8, 16,
36				17, 18, 19, 20,
37				21, 28, 32, 33
38		51	14	1, 2, 10, 11, 12
39				13, 15, 16, 24
40		52	13	31, 32
41		52	14	21, 22, 23, 27,
42				28, 34, 35
43	(49) Longstorff Creek	62	12	6, 7
44		63	12	31
45	(50) Lost River	65	19	6
46		65	20	1, 2, 3, 4, 5,
47				6, 7, 8, 12
48		65	21	1
49		66	20	20, 25, 27, 29,
50				31, 32, 33, 34,
51				35, 36
52	(51) Marshall Creek	52	15	10, 15
53	(52) McCarthy Creek (Lake)	53	12	12, 13
54	(53) McNiven Creek	59	19	10, 16, 21, 28,
55				32, 33
56	(54) Midway River (Carlton)	49	15	5, 6
57		50	15	7, 8, 14, 15, 16,
58				17, 20, 21, 22,
59				23, 28, 29, 32, 33
60	(55) Miller Creek	49	14	4
61		50	14	6, 18, 19, 29,
62				30, 32, 33
63		50	15	12, 13
64		51	14	31, 32
65	(56) Mission Creek (Carlton)	48	15	5, 6
66		49	15	31
67	(57) Mud Creek	54	12	20, 21, 22, 29, 30
68	(58) Nine Mile Creek	66	19	4
69		67	19	7, 8, 18, 19,
70				20, 21, 27, 28,
71				29, 33

1		67	20	12, 13, 14, 23
2	(59) Pine River (White Pine	50	16	4, 8, 9, 15, 16,
3	River)			17, 18, 19, 20,
4				21, 29, 30, 32
5		50	17	23, 24, 26
6	(60) Railroad Creek	50	17	1, 11, 12, 14
7	(61) Rocky Run Creek	49	15	6
8		50	15	30, 31
9		50	16	11, 12, 13, 24, 25
10	(62) Ross Creek	52	13	1, 2, 3, 4, 5
11		53	13	33
12	(63) Ryan Creek	55	14	14, 15, 22
13	(64) Sand Creek	60	21	3, 4, 5, 10,
14				11, 14
15		61	20	19
16		61	21	3, 10, 11, 14,
17				15, 23, 24, 25,
18				26, 27, 33, 34, 35
19		62	21	34
20	(65) Sargent Creek	48	15	4, 5, 9, 10
21		49	15	28, 29, 32
22	(66) Schmidt Creek	51	12	17
23	(67) Section 30 Cr. (Lake)	63	12	24, 25
24	(68) Spider Creek	52	18	19, 20, 21, 22,
25				27, 28, 29, 30
26		52	19	9, 10, 13, 14,
27				15, 24
28	(69) Spring Creek	54	12	1, 2
29	(70) Stanley Creek (Lake)	52	12	4, 5, 8, 9, 10,
30				11, 12, 13
31	(71) Stewart Creek	49	15	21, 22, 26, 27
32	(72) Stewart River (Lake)	55	12	12, 13
33	(73) Stoney Brook (Itasca)	61	21	7, 18
34	(74) Sucker River	51	12	3, 4, 10
35		52	12	18, 19, 29, 30,
36				31, 32, 33
37		52	13	1, 12, 13, 24, 25
38		53	12	19, 20, 30, 31
39		53	13	24, 25, 36
40	(75) Sucker River, Little	51	12	2, 3
41	(76) Swan Creek, E.	56	20	3, 4, 5, 10, 11
42	(77) Swan Creek, Lit.	56	19	17, 19, 20, 30
43		56	20	25, 26, 35
44	(78) Swan River, E.	55	19	18, 19, 30, 31
45		55	20	1, 2, 12, 13
46		56	20	2, 3, 11, 14, 23,
47				26, 27, 35
48		57	20	28, 33, 34
49	(79) Talmadge Creek	51	12	19
50		51	13	9, 10, 13, 14,
51				15, 24
52	(80) Tischer Creek (Congdon	50	14	2, 3, 4, 10, 11,
53	Creek/Hartley)			13, 14
54		51	14	29, 33, 34
55	(81) Tower Creek	55	14	8, 9, 17, 18, 19
56		55	15	24, 25, 26
57	(82) Two Rivers, East	61	14	7, 8
58		61	15	1, 2, 3, 4, 12
59		62	14	29, 30, 31, 32
60		62	15	32, 33, 34, 35, 36
61	(83) Two Rivers, West	61	15	6, 7, 8, 9,
62				14, 15, 16, 17
63	(84) Ugstad Creek	51	15	21, 22, 26, 27, 28
64	(85) Unnamed Creek	65	19	4, 5
65		66	19	33
66	(86) Us-kab-wan-ka (Rush)	52	16	2, 11, 14, 23
67		53	15	5, 6
68		53	16	1, 11, 12, 14,
69				15, 22, 23, 27,
70				34, 35
71		54	15	23, 24, 26, 27,

1				32, 33, 34
2	(87) Wyman Creek	58	14	3, 4
3		59	14	11, 13, 14, 23,
4				24, 26, 27, 34, 35
5				
6	QQ. Scott county:			
7				
8	(1) Eagle Creek, Mn.Br.	115	21	7, 18
9		115	22	13
10	(2) Eagle Creek, E.Br.	115	21	18
11				
12	RR. Sherburne county:			
13				
14	(1) Briggs Creek	35	29	2, 11, 12, 14,
15				15, 22
16	(2) Snake River	33	28	1
17		34	28	2, 11, 14, 23,
18				26, 35, 36
19		35	28	20, 28, 29, 33,
20				34, 35
21				
22	SS. Stearns county:			
23				
24	(1) Cold Spring Creek	123	30	14, 15
25	(2) Fairhaven Creek	121	28	5
26		122	28	29, 31, 32
27	(3) Hanson Br. (Three-Mile)	122	28	21, 22, 25, 26,
28				27, 36
29	(4) Kinzer Creek	123	30	27, 34
30	(5) Luxemburg Creek	123	28	16, 17, 18, 19,
31				20, 21, 22, 30
32	(6) Meyers Creek	122	28	4
33		123	28	22, 27, 33, 34
34	(7) Robinson Hill Creek	123	28	4, 9, 10, 15
35		124	28	31, 32, 33
36	(8) Smart's Creek	126	28	17, 18, 20
37	(9) Spring Brook	121	28	7
38		121	29	12
39	(10) Thiel Creek (Teal)	121	28	5, 6, 8
40	(11) Willow Creek (Meeker)	121	29	10, 11, 14
41				
42	TT. Swift county:			
43				
44	Cottonwood Creek (Chippewa)	120	41	21, 28, 33
45				
46	UU. Todd county:			
47				
48	(1) Duel Creek	129	32	20
49	(2) Larson Creek	128	32	6
50	(3) Round Prairie Creek	127	33	4
51		128	33	20, 29, 32, 33
52	(4) Sauk Creek, Little	127	34	1
53		128	34	36
54				
55	VV. Wabasha county:			
56				
57	(1) Beaver Creek (Winona)	108	11	24
58	(2) Cold Spring Brook	110	13	30, 31
59		110	14	25, 36
60	(3) Dry Run Creek (Olmsted)	109	14	33
61	(4) Gilbert Creek (Goodhue)	111	13	1, 2, 3, 4, 10,
62				11, 12
63	(5) Gorman Creek	109	11	1
64		110	10	29, 30, 31
65		110	11	36
66	(6) Hammond Creek	109	13	28, 29
67	(7) Indian Creek, East	109	9	19
68		109	10	21, 22, 23, 24,
69				26, 27, 28, 29,
70				31, 32
71		109	11	36

1	(8)	Indian Creek, West	109	11	6, 7, 8, 16, 17, 21
2	(9)	Long Creek	109	12	3, 10, 15, 22,
3					27, 28
4	(10)	Mazeppa Creek (Goodhue)	109	14	4, 5, 9
5			110	14	19, 29, 30, 32
6	(11)	Middle Creek	109	12	2, 3, 11, 13, 14
7			109	11	18
8	(12)	Miller Creek	111	12	7, 8, 9, 18
9			111	13	13, 24
10	(13)	Second Creek	111	12	15
11	(14)	Snake Creek	109	10	10, 11, 14, 15, 16
12	(15)	Spring Creek	110	12	7, 17, 18, 20,
13					21, 27, 28, 29
14	(16)	Trout Brook	110	11	5, 8
15	(17)	Trout Valley Creek	109	9	31
16		(Winona)			
17	(18)	Unnamed Creek (Helbig)	110	11	28, 33
18	(19)	West Albany Creek	110	12	28, 29, 30
19			110	13	23, 24, 25, 26
20	(20)	Whitewater R., N.Br.	108	11	30, 31, 32, 33, 34
21		(Winona & Olmsted)			
22					
23	WW.	Wadena county:			
24					
25	(1)	Cat Creek	137	35	4, 9, 10, 11,
26					12, 13
27	(2)	Fawn Creek	134	33	22, 27, 33, 34
28	(3)	Hay Creek	134	33	7, 8, 9, 10, 11,
29					17, 18
30	(4)	Union Creek	134	35	4, 5, 7, 8, 18,
31					19, 30, 31
32			135	35	27, 28, 33, 34
33					
34	XX.	Washington county:			
35					
36	(1)	Brown's Creek	30	20	12, 13, 18, 19,
37					20, 21
38	(2)	Old Mill Stream	31	19	6
39			31	20	1
40			32	20	36
41	(3)	Unnamed Stream (Gilbertson)	32	19	19
42	(4)	Unnamed Stream (Willow	31	19	19
43		Brook)			
44	(5)	Unnamed Stream	32	19	6, 7
45		(Falls Creek)	32	20	1, 12
46	(6)	Valley Creek	28	20	9, 10, 14, 15,
47					16, 17
48					
49	YY.	Wilkin county:			
50					
51		Lawndale Creek	135	45	5, 6
52			135	46	1, 2
53					
54	ZZ.	Winona county:			
55					
56	(1)	Ahrensfield Creek	105	8	8, 9, 16, 17,
57					19, 20
58	(2)	Bear Creek	107	9	13, 14, 15, 16, 22
59	(3)	Beaver Creek (Wabasha)	108	10	15, 16, 19, 20, 21
60	(4)	Borson Spring	105	8	29, 32, 33
61	(5)	Burns Valley Cr., E.Br.	106	7	3, 10, 15
62	(6)	Burns Valley Cr., W.Br.	106	7	3, 4
63			107	7	34
64	(7)	Burns Valley Cr., Mn.Br.	106	7	2
65			107	7	35
66	(8)	Campbell Creek	105	6	21, 28, 29, 32
67	(9)	Cedar Valley Creek	105	6	6
68			106	6	1, 11, 12, 14,
69					15, 21, 22, 28,
70					29, 31, 32
71			107	6	1

1	(10) Coolridge Creek	105	9	23, 26
2	(11) Corey Creek	105	6	18, 19
3		105	7	24, 25, 26, 27, 34
4	(12) Dakota Creek	105	4	7
5		105	5	1, 2, 3, 11, 12
6	(13) Ferguson Creek	105	8	18
7		105	9	12, 13
8	(14) Garvin Brook	106	8	4, 5, 8, 17
9		107	8	14, 23, 26, 27,
10				33, 34, 35
11	(15) Gilmore Creek	106	7	6
12		107	7	20, 29, 30, 31, 32
13	(16) Hemmingway Creek	105	9	26, 28, 33, 34, 35
14	(17) Money Creek	105	7	3, 4, 6, 7, 8,
15				9, 16, 17
16	(18) Peterson Creek	106	8	7, 8
17	(19) Pickwick Creek	106	5	7, 18
18		106	6	13, 23, 24, 26,
19				34, 35
20	(20) Pickwick Creek, Little	106	5	18, 19, 29, 30, 32
21		106	6	13
22	(21) Pine Creek (Fillmore)	105	9	25, 26, 33, 34, 35
23		105	8	30, 31, 32, 33
24	(22) Pine Creek	105	5	18, 19, 20, 29,
25				30, 31, 32
26		105	6	13, 36
27	(23) Pine Creek, S.Fk.	105	5	19
28		105	6	24
29	(24) Pleasant Valley Creek	106	6	7, 18, 19
30		106	7	1, 12, 13, 24, 25
31	(25) Rollingstone Creek	107	8	2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7,
32				9, 10, 11
33		107	9	12, 13
34	(26) Rollingstone Cr., Md.Br.	107	8	9, 16
35	(27) Rose Valley Creek	105	5	22, 27, 34, 35
36	(28) Rupprecht Creek	107	9	13, 24, 25,
37				26, 35
38	(29) Rush Creek (Fillmore)	105	8	6, 7, 18, 19,
39				20, 29, 32, 33
40		105	9	1, 2, 12
41		106	9	26, 34, 35, 36
42	(30) Silver Creek (Houston)	105	6	34, 35
43	(31) Speltz Creek	107	8	5, 6
44		108	8	31
45		108	9	36
46	(32) Stockton Valley Creek	106	8	2, 3, 10, 11,
47				14, 23
48		107	8	34
49	(33) Trout Run Creek (Fillmore)	105	10	18, 19, 30, 31, 32
50	(34) Trout Run-Whitewater Pk.	107	10	29
51	(35) Trout Valley Creek	108	9	5, 8, 17, 20
52	(Wabasha)			
53	(36) Unnamed Creek	108	10	35, 36
54	(Whitewater Trib.)			
55	(37) Unnamed Creek	105	7	19, 29, 30
56		105	8	24
57	(38) Unnamed Creek (Miller	106	5	21, 22, 27, 28
58	Valley)			
59	(39) Unnamed Creek (Richmond)	106	5	17, 20, 21
60	(40) Unnamed Cr. (Deering Val.)	108	8	20, 28, 29
61	(41) Whitewater R., Mn.Br.	107	10	2, 3, 9, 10
62	(Wabasha)	108	10	1, 2, 10, 11,
63				14, 15, 22, 23,
64				26, 27, 35
65	(42) Whitewater R., Md.Br.	107	10	9, 10, 16, 17,
66	(Olmsted)			19, 20, 30
67	(42) Whitewater R., N.Br.	107	10	5, 6, 7, 8, 9
68	(Wabasha & Olmsted)			
69	(43) Whitewater R., S.Br.	106	9	6
70		106	10	1
71		107	9	31

1 107 10 3, 10, 11, 13,
2 14, 24, 25, 36
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4 AAA. Yellow Medicine county:

5
6 Canby Creek 114 45 17, 18
7 114 46 13, 14, 21, 22, 23
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9 6262.0500 WATERS CLOSED TO TAKING FISH.

10 Subpart 1. Waters permanently closed to taking fish. The
11 following waters or designated portions are closed to the taking
12 of all fish at all times:

13 A. Aitkin county: Sandy Lake, within 300 feet below
14 the Federal Dam, S.25, T.50, R.24.

15 B. Anoka and Ramsey counties: Wilkinson Lake,
16 including inlet and outlet channels, S.4,5,9, T.30, R.22; S.34,
17 T.31, R.22.

18 C. Cass county: Thunder Creek at the outlet of
19 Thunder Lake, within 500 feet below the dam, S.10, T.140, R.26.

20 D. Cass and Itasca counties: Winnibigoshish Lake,
21 within 300 feet below the Federal Dam, S.25, T.146, R.27.

22 E. Dakota and Washington counties: Mississippi
23 River, within 150 feet below the Federal Dam at Hastings, S.21,
24 T.115, R.17.

25 F. Douglas and Grant counties: Lake Christina,
26 S.3-11,17,18, T.130, R.40, and S.1,12,13, T.130, R.41.

27 G. Goodhue county: Mississippi River, within 150
28 feet below U.S. Lock and Dam No. 3 near Red Wing, S.10, T.113,
29 R.15; except that fishing from shore within 150 feet below the
30 lock and dam and from boats that remain outside the 150-foot
31 restricted zone is permitted.

32 H. Hennepin county: Mississippi River, within 150
33 feet below the St. Anthony Falls dam at Minneapolis, S.23, T.29,
34 R.24.

35 I. Hennepin and Ramsey counties: Mississippi River,
36 within 150 feet below U.S. Lock and Dam No. 1 (Ford Dam),
37 between Minneapolis and St. Paul, S.17, T.28, R.23.

38 J. Houston county: Mississippi River, within 150
39 feet below U.S. Lock and Dam No. 8 near Reno, S.7, T.101, R.3;

1 except that fishing from shore within 150 feet below the lock
2 and dam and from boats that remain outside the 150-foot
3 restricted zone is permitted.

4 K. Itasca county:

5 (1) Mississippi River, within 300 feet below the
6 Pokegama Reservoir Dam, S.13, T.55, R.26.

7 (2) Mississippi River, from 500 feet upstream to
8 300 feet downstream of the Blandin Dam, S.21, T.55, R.25.

9 L. Itasca and Cass counties: Winnibigoshish Lake.

10 See Cass and Itasca Counties for area closed.

11 M. Otter Tail county:

12 (1) Stream between East and West Battle Lakes,
13 S.33,34, T.133, R.39.

14 (2) Area between West Battle and Clitherall
15 Lakes, S.2,11, T.132, R.40.

16 (3) Pelican River from bridge in Trunk Highway 59
17 to Lake Lizzie, S.20, T.137, R.42.

18 N. Pine county: Kettle River, within 200 feet below
19 the Sandstone Power Dam, both channels, S.22, T.42, R.20.

20 O. Ramsey county:

21 (1) Charles Lake, including inlet and outlet
22 channels, S.12, T.30, R.23.

23 (2) Deep Lake, including inlet and outlet
24 channels, S.5,6,7, T.30, R.22.

25 (3) Pleasant Lake, including inlet and outlet
26 channels, S.7,8,18,19, T.30, R.22, and S.12,13, T.30, R.23.

27 P. Ramsey and Anoka counties: Wilkinson Lake,
28 including inlet and outlet channels. See Anoka and Ramsey
29 counties.

30 Q. Ramsey and Hennepin counties: Mississippi River.

31 See Hennepin and Ramsey counties for area closed.

32 R. St. Louis county: French River, between Lake
33 Superior and the new Highway 61, S.17, T.52, R.12.

34 S. St. Louis and Carlton counties: St. Louis River,
35 from the Fond du Lac Dam downstream for one-half mile to the
36 Minnesota-Wisconsin boundary cable, S.6, T.48, R.15.

1 T. Wabasha county: Mississippi River, within 150
2 feet below U.S. Lock and Dam No. 4 near Kellogg, S.17, T.110,
3 R.9; except that fishing from shore within 150 feet below the
4 lock and dam and from boats that remain outside the 150-foot
5 restricted zone is permitted.

6 U. Washington and Dakota counties: Mississippi
7 River. See Dakota and Washington counties for area closed.

8 V. Winona county: Mississippi River, within 150 feet
9 below the following U.S. Locks and Dams: No. 5, S.17, T.108,
10 R.8; No. 5A, S.9, T.107, R.7; No. 6, S.8, T.106, R.5, near
11 Winona; and No. 7, S.28, T.105, R.4, near Dresbach; except that
12 fishing from shore within 150 feet below these locks and dams
13 and from boats that remain outside the 150-foot restricted zone
14 is permitted.

15 Subp. 2. Waters seasonally closed to taking fish. The
16 following waters in the portions designated are closed to the
17 taking of all fish during the periods specified:

18 A. Cook county: Sea Gull River, S.19,30,31, T.66,
19 R.4, and S.25, 36, T.66, R.5, from Sea Gull Lake including Gull
20 Lake to Saganaga Lake approximately 1/3 mile north of the
21 narrows. The dates of closure are from April 1 through Friday
22 before Memorial Day weekend.

23 B. St. Louis and Carlton counties: St. Louis River,
24 S.6,7, T.48, R.15, from the State Highway 23 bridge upstream to
25 the Minnesota-Wisconsin boundary cable crossing the river. The
26 dates of closure are from the Saturday closest to March 1
27 through May 18.

28 C. Sherburne county: Elk River, S.33, T.33, R.26,
29 for a distance of 1,000 feet below the power dam at the city of
30 Elk River. The dates of closure are November 1 up to, but not
31 including, the third Monday of February.

32 Subp. 3. Waters seasonally closed for certain species of
33 fish. The following waters in the portions designated are
34 closed to the taking of specific species of fish during the
35 periods specified:

36 St. Louis and Koochiching counties: Black Bay of Rainy

1 Lake, south of a line between Voyageur's National Park Visitor's
 2 Center on the west side of the bay and Perry Point on the east
 3 side, all of Rat Root Lake in Koochiching county, and that
 4 portion of the Rat Root River between Rat Root Lake and Black
 5 Bay. These areas are generally located in the following
 6 sections, townships, and ranges:

7 A. S.2-5,8-10, T.69, R.23;

8 B. S.7,18,19, T.70, R.21;

9 C. S.3-5,7-19,22-24, T.70, R.22; and

10 D. S.12-14,23,24,26,27,33-35, T.70, R.23.

11 These areas are closed to the taking of walleye from April
 12 1 through the Friday before Memorial Day Weekend.

13 SPECIAL AND EXPERIMENTAL MANAGEMENT WATERS

14 6264.0100 SEASONS AND LIMITS

15 Muskellunge, including muskellunge-northern pike hybrid,
 16 may be taken by angling in all waters from the first Saturday in
 17 June to the third Monday in February. Daily and possession
 18 limit is one. The minimum size limit will be 40 inches in
 19 length, except in Shoepac Lake, St. Louis county, where a
 20 30-inch minimum size limit will apply.

21 6264.0200 WATERS WITH RESTRICTIONS ON SPEARING AND SIZE LIMITS.

22 Subpart 1. Designated waters with spearing prohibited. A
 23 person may not take fish by spearing from the lakes named in
 24 this part, and may not possess a spear while on or fishing in
 25 the following lakes. These designations, as provided by
 26 Minnesota Statutes, section 97C.011, remain in effect until
 27 midnight of the stated end date.

28	Name	Location	County	End Date
29				
30	A. Baby	T.140,141, R.29	Cass	3/1/2004
31	B. Bad Axe	T.142, R.34	Hubbard	3/1/2004
32	C. Beers	T.135, R.42, S.11		
33		+ Various	Otter Tail	1/1/1998
34	D. Big	T.146,147, R.31	Beltrami	3/1/2004
35	E. Big Mantrap	T.141,142		
36		R.33,34	Hubbard	3/1/2004
37	F. Big Sand	T.141, R.34	Hubbard	3/1/2004
38	G. Cass	T.145,146		
39		R.30,31	Cass	1/15/1998
40		(Various Sections)	Beltrami	
41	H. Cross	T.39, R.21, and		
42		its Snake River		

1		flowage in Sections		
2		31 and 32 of		
3		T.39, R.21	Pine	3/1/2004
4	I. Deer	T.56,57, R.26,27	Itasca	3/1/2004
5	J. Dumbbell	T.59, R.8, T.60, R.7	Lake	3/1/2004
6	K. French	T.110, R.21,22	Rice	3/1/2004
7	L. Harris	T.61, R.10,11	Lake	3/1/2004
8	M. Independence	T.118, R.23,24	Hennepin	3/1/2004
9	N. Indian	T.130, R.38, S.32,		
10		33	Douglas	12/31/2000
11	O. Little Moose	T.57, R.26	Itasca	3/1/2004
12	P. Little Sand	T.141, R.33,34	Hubbard	3/1/2004
13	Q. Lobster	T.128, R.38,39	Douglas	3/1/2004
14	R. Moose	T.57, R.26,27	Itasca	3/1/2004
15	S. North Star	T.58,59, R.26	Itasca	3/1/2004
16	T. Rush	T.37, R.21,22	Chisago	3/1/2004
17	U. Spider	T.141, R.33	Hubbard	3/1/2004
18	V. Spider	T.58, R.25,26	Itasca	3/1/2004
19	W. Stocking	T.141, R.34	Hubbard	3/1/2004
20	X. Sugar	T.121,122, R.27	Wright	3/1/2004
21	Y. Wabedo	T.140, R.28	Cass	3/1/2004
22	Z. West Battle	T.132, R.40	Otter Tail	3/1/2004
23		T.133, R.39,40		

25 Subp. 2. Designated waters with size restrictions and
 26 spearing allowed. The minimum size limit for muskellunge in the
 27 following lakes is 48 inches and no muskellunge may be possessed
 28 less than that length while on or fishing in the waters of these
 29 lakes. Spearing is allowed in these lakes.

30	Name	Location	County	End Date
31				
32	A. Elk	T.143, R.36,		
33		Various Sections	Clearwater	3/1/2004
34	B. Little Wolf	T.145, R.31,32	Cass	3/1/2004
35		Various Sections	Hubbard	
36	C. Plantaganette	T.145,146, R.33,34		
37		Various Sections	Hubbard	3/1/2004
38				

39 6264.0300 DESIGNATED EXPERIMENTAL WATERS.

40 Subpart 1. General provisions. While on or fishing on
 41 designated experimental waters, all fish for which size
 42 restrictions apply must be intact and measurable, regardless of
 43 where taken. Length of fish is determined by measuring from the
 44 tip of the nose to the tip of the tail when fully extended.

45 Subp. 2. Muskellunge size restrictions and spearing
 46 exclusion. The following lakes have experimental regulations
 47 with size restrictions for muskellunge and a spearing ban from
 48 December 1 through February 15. A person may not have a spear
 49 in possession or under control while on or fishing on the waters
 50 of these lakes during this period. All muskellunge in
 51 possession while on or fishing on these waters must be 48 inches
 52 or greater in length. All muskellunge less than 48 inches in

1 length must be returned to the water immediately.

	Name	Location	County	End Date
4	A. Bald Eagle	T.30,31, R.21,21, S.Various	Anoka, Ramsey, Washington	3/1/2004
7	B. Eagle	T.118,119, R.22, S.Various	Hennepin	3/1/2004
9	C. Owasso	T.29,30, R.23, S.Various	Ramsey	3/1/2004
11	D. Rebecca	T.118,119, R.24, S.Various	Hennepin	3/1/2004

14 Subp. 3. **Spearing prohibited.** The following lakes are
 15 closed to the taking of fish by spearing from December 1 through
 16 February 15. A person may not have a spear in possession or
 17 under control while on or fishing on the waters of these lakes
 18 during this period.

	Name	Location	County	End Date
21	A. Minnetonka	T.116,117, R.22-24, S.Various	Hennepin, Carver	3/1/2004
23	B. Libbs	T.117, R.22, S.17	Hennepin	3/1/2004
24	C. Peavy	T.117, R.23, S.1	Hennepin	3/1/2004
25	D. Forest	T.117, R.23, S.7	Hennepin	3/1/2004
26	E. Tanager	T.117, R.23, S.10,11	Hennepin	3/1/2004
27	F. Cedar	T.113, R.22, S.22	Scott	3/1/2004

29 Subp. 4. **Largemouth bass - minimum length limits.** All
 30 largemouth bass in possession while on or fishing on these
 31 waters must be 16 inches or greater in length. All largemouth
 32 bass less than 16 inches in length must be returned to the water
 33 immediately.

	Name	Location	County	End Date
36	A. Crooked	T.31,32, R.24, S.4,33	Anoka	3/1/1994
38	B. Golden	T.31, R.23, S.25,36	Anoka	3/1/1994
39	C. Rebecca	T.115, R.17, S.20,21	Dakota	3/1/1994
40	D. Bush	T.116, R.21, S.Various	Hennepin	3/1/1994
42	E. Round	T.116, R.22, S.8	Hennepin	3/1/1994
43	F. Snelling	T.28, R.23, S.Various	Hennepin	3/1/1994
45	G. Como	T.29, R.23, S.23,26	Ramsey	3/1/1994

47 Subp. 5. **Largemouth bass - slot length limits.** All
 48 largemouth bass in possession while on or fishing from these
 49 waters must be less than 12 inches in length or greater than 16
 50 inches in length. All largemouth bass which are 12 to 16 inches
 51 in length, inclusive, shall be returned to the water immediately.

	Name	Location	County	End Date
54	A. Hyland	T.116, R.21, S.29,32	Hennepin	3/1/1994
55	B. Rebecca	T.118,119, R.24,		

1		S.Various	Hennepin	3/1/1994
2	C. DeMontreville	T.29, R.21, S.4,5,9	Washington	3/1/1994
3	D. Jane	T.29, R.21, S.9,10	Washington	3/1/1994
4	E. Olson	T.29, R.21, S.8,9	Washington	3/1/1994

5
6 **Subp. 6. Northern pike expanded limits and size**
7 **restrictions - Becker and Otter Tail counties.** The possession
8 limit for northern pike taken from the following waters is six
9 fish. Not more than three northern pike in possession may be
10 over 24 inches in length.

11	Name	Location	County	End Date
12				
13	A. Detroit	T.138,139, R.41,		
14		S.Various	Becker	3/1/1996
15	B. Sallie	T.138, R.41,		
16		S.Various	Becker	3/1/1996
17	C. Melissa	T.138, R.41,		
18		S.Various	Becker	3/1/1996
19	D. Dead	T.134,135, R.40,41,		
20		S. Various	Otter Tail	3/1/1996
21	E. Star	T.136, R.40,		
22		S.Various	Otter Tail	3/1/1996
23				

24 **Subp. 7. Northern pike expanded limits and size**
25 **restrictions - Beltrami, Hubbard, and Aitkin counties.** The
26 possession limit for northern pike taken from the following
27 waters is six fish. Not more than one northern pike in
28 possession may be over 24 inches in length.

29	Name	Location	County	End Date
30				
31	A. Gull	T.148,149, R.32,		
32		S.Various	Beltrami	3/1/1996
33	B. George	T.143, R.34,		
34		S.Various	Hubbard	3/1/1996
35	C. Nord	T.46, R.26,		
36		S.Various	Aitkin	3/1/1996
37				

38 **Subp. 8. Northern pike expanded limits.** The possession
39 limit for northern pike from the following waters is six fish.

40	Name	Location	County	End Date
41				
42	A. Portage	T.140, R.35,		
43		S.Various	Hubbard	3/1/1994
44	B. Midge	T.145, R.32,		
45		S.10,11,15	Hubbard	3/1/1994
46	C. Puposky	T.149, R.33,34,		
47		S.Various	Beltrami	3/1/1994
48				

49 **Subp. 9. Northern pike expanded limits and size**
50 **restrictions - Cass county.** The possession limit for northern
51 pike taken from the following waters is six fish. Not more than
52 one northern pike in possession may be over 22 inches in length.

53	Name	Location	County	End Date
54				
55	A. Birch	T.140, R.30,31,		

1		S.Various	Cass	3/1/1996
2	B. Pleasant	T.140, R.30,		
3		S.Various	Cass	3/1/1996
4				

5 Subp. 10. Northern pike expanded limits and size

6 restrictions - Aitkin and Itasca counties. The possession limit
7 for northern pike taken from the following waters is six fish.
8 All northern pike in possession while on or fishing on these
9 waters must be either less than 20 inches in length or greater
10 than 30 inches in length. Not more than one northern pike in
11 possession may be over 30 inches in length. All northern pike
12 that are 20 to 30 inches in length, inclusive, must be returned
13 to the water immediately.

14	Name	Location	County	End Date
15				
16	A. Sissabagamah	T.46,47, R.26,		
17		S.Various	Aitkin	3/1/1997
18	B. Wilkins	T.48, R.25,		
19		S.15,16,22	Aitkin	3/1/1997
20	C. Coon-Sandwick	T.60,61, R.25,		
21		S.Various	Itasca	3/1/1997
22				

23 Subp. 11. Northern pike expanded limits and size

24 restrictions - Beltrami county. The possession limit for
25 northern pike taken from the following waters is six fish. All
26 northern pike in possession while on or fishing on these waters
27 must be less than 22 inches in length or greater than 30 inches
28 in length. Not more than one northern pike in possession may be
29 over 30 inches in length. All northern pike that are 22 to 30
30 inches in length, inclusive, must be returned to the water
31 immediately.

32	Name	Location	County	End Date
33				
34	A. Medicine	T.149, R.32,		
35		S.Various	Beltrami	3/1/1997
36	B. North Twin	T.148, R.31,		
37		S.Various	Beltrami	3/1/1997
38				

39 Subp. 12. Northern pike expanded limits and size

40 restrictions - Crow Wing and Morrison counties. The possession
41 limit for northern pike taken from the following waters is six
42 fish. All northern pike in possession while on or fishing on
43 these waters must be less than 24 inches in length or greater
44 than 30 inches in length. Not more than one northern pike in
45 possession may be over 30 inches in length. All northern pike
46 that are 24 to 30 inches in length, inclusive, must be returned

1 to the water immediately.

2	Name	Location	County	End Date
3				
4	A. Platte	T.42,43, R.28,29,	Crow Wing,	
5		S.Various	Morrison	3/1/2002
6	B. Sullivan	T.42, R.28,29,		
7		S.Various	Morrison	3/1/2002
8				

9 Subp. 13. **Pebble Lake experimental regulations.** The
 10 season for taking all species of fish by angling is open
 11 continuously, except that the open season for largemouth bass is
 12 consistent with statewide regulations for inland waters.

13	Name	Location	County	End Date
14				
15	Pebble	T.132, R.43,		
16		S.Various	Otter Tail	3/1/1994
17				

18 Subp. 14. **Stieger Lake experimental regulations.** Stieger
 19 Lake is closed at all times to the possession of largemouth
 20 bass, muskellunge, northern pike, and walleye. All largemouth
 21 bass, muskellunge, northern pike, and walleye must be returned
 22 to the water immediately. Spearing is prohibited from December
 23 1 through February 15.

24	Name	Location	County	End Date
25				
26	Stieger	T.116, R.24,		
27		S.11,12,13	Carver	3/1/1996
28				

29 Subp. 15. **Waconia Lake experimental regulations.** All
 30 walleye in possession must be 16 inches or greater in length.
 31 Walleye less than 16 inches must be returned to the water
 32 immediately. All largemouth bass in possession must be less
 33 than 17 inches in length or greater than 21 inches in length.
 34 All largemouth bass which are 17 to 21 inches in length,
 35 inclusive, must be returned to the water immediately. Not more
 36 than one largemouth bass in possession may be over 21 inches in
 37 length.

38	Name	Location	County	End Date
39				
40	Waconia	T.116, R.24,25,		
41		S.Various	Carver	3/1/1996
42				

43 Subp. 16. **Zumbro River experimental regulations.** All
 44 smallmouth bass in possession while on or fishing on these
 45 waters must be less than nine inches in length. All smallmouth
 46 bass over nine inches in length must be returned to the water
 47 immediately. The possession and use of live or dead minnows,

1 leeches, or worms while angling on these waters is prohibited.

2	Name	Location	County	End Date
4	Zumbro River	T.109, R.14, S.22,27, from the upstream side of the bridge at Wabasha County State Aid Highway 7 upstream approximately 2.9 miles to the posted boundary below the Zumbro Lake dam plunge pool	Wabasha	3/1/1997

15
16 Subp. 17. **Big Sand Lake experimental regulations.** Not
17 more than one northern pike in possession may be over 24 inches
18 in length. Not more than one walleye in possession may be over
19 20 inches in length.

20	Name	Location	County	End Date
22	Big Sand	T.141, R.34, S.Various	Hubbard	3/1/1995

24
25 Subp. 18. **Mille Lacs Lake experimental regulations.** Mille
26 Lacs Lake is closed to the taking of fish between the hours of
27 10:00 p.m. and 6:00 a.m. daily during the period commencing at
28 10:00 p.m. on the Monday following the Saturday two weeks prior
29 to the Saturday of Memorial Day weekend and ending at 12:01 a.m.
30 on Monday, four weeks after the date of commencement. During
31 the above referenced closure, no person shall be on the waters
32 of Mille Lacs Lake while having in possession or under control
33 any equipment whereby fish may be taken. Not more than one
34 walleye in possession may be over 20 inches in length. Spearing
35 is prohibited from December 1 through April 30. A person may
36 not have a spear in possession or under control while on or
37 fishing on Mille Lacs Lake during this period.

38	Name	Location	County	End Date
40	Mille Lacs	T.42-45, R.25-28, S.Various	Aitkin, Mille Lacs	3/1/1996

42
43 Subp. 19. **Mississippi River experimental regulations.** The
44 possession limit for smallmouth bass taken from the following
45 waters is three fish. All smallmouth bass in possession while
46 on or fishing on these waters must be less than 12 inches in
47 length or greater than 20 inches in length. All smallmouth bass
48 that are 12 to 20 inches in length, inclusive, must be returned

1 to the water immediately. Not more than one smallmouth bass in
2 possession may be over 20 inches in length.

3	Name	Location	County	End Date
4				
5	Mississippi	T.32,121, R.23,		
6	River	S.10,14, from the		
7		upstream side of the		
8		bridge at Highway 101		
9		in Elk River upstream		
10		to the downstream side		
11		of the bridge at		
12		Highway 24 near		
13		Clearwater Township Sherburne,		
14		T.134, R.30, S.22,23 Wright		3/1/1999
15				

16 Subp. 20. Rum River experimental regulations. The
17 possession limit for smallmouth bass taken from the following
18 waters is three fish. All smallmouth bass in possession while
19 on or fishing on these waters must be less than ten inches in
20 length or greater than 18 inches in length. All smallmouth bass
21 that are ten to 18 inches in length, inclusive, must be returned
22 to the water immediately. Not more than one smallmouth bass in
23 possession may be over 18 inches in length.

24	Name	Location	County	End Date
25				
26	A. Rum River	Main Branch of the		
27		Rum River from the		
28		downstream side of		
29		the Minnesota Highway		
30		27 Bridge near Onamia		
31		in T.41, R.26, S.6,		
32		downstream to the		
33		rock dam in		
34		Princeton T.36, R.26,		
35		S.33	Mille Lacs	3/1/1999
36				
37	B. West Branch	West Branch of the		
38	Rum River	Rum River from the		
39		downstream side of		
40		U.S. Highway 169		
41		bridge in Princeton		
42		T.36, R.26, S.36,		
43		downstream to its		
44		confluence with the		
45		Main Branch Rum		
46		River in the same		
47		section	Mille Lacs	3/1/1999
48				

49 Subp. 21. Grindstone Lake experimental regulations. The
50 season for taking all species of fish by angling is open
51 continuously. The use of three hooks on one line is permitted
52 and spearing is prohibited. All sturgeon in possession while on
53 or fishing on Grindstone Lake must be 30 inches or greater in
54 length. All sturgeon less than 30 inches in length must be
55 returned to the water immediately.

1	Name	Location	County	End Date
2				
3	Grindstone	T.42, R.21,		
4		S.Various	Pine	3/1/1994
5				

6 Subp. 22. **Trout minimum length limits.** All trout in
 7 possession while on or fishing on these waters must be 18 inches
 8 or greater in length. All trout less than 18 inches in length
 9 must be returned to the water immediately. The possession limit
 10 on these waters is one trout. While on or fishing on these
 11 waters, only artificial lures and flies with single hooks may be
 12 used. No bait may be used or possessed while fishing on these
 13 waters. These waters are closed to winter fishing.

14	Name	Location	County	End Date
15				
16	A. Thrush Lake	T.63, R.1W, S.31	Cook	3/1/1996
17				
18	B. Turnip Lake	T.64, R.1E, S.24	Cook	3/1/1996
19				

20 Subp. 23. **Square Lake experimental regulations.** The
 21 possession of trout and salmon is prohibited for 28 consecutive
 22 days immediately following and including the May opening day
 23 each year. All trout and salmon taken by anglers during that
 24 period must be returned to the water immediately. During the
 25 remainder of the season, the limit for trout and salmon combined
 26 is two. Not more than one fish in possession may be an Atlantic
 27 salmon, and all Atlantic salmon in possession must be 16 inches
 28 or greater. All Atlantic salmon less than 16 inches must be
 29 returned to the water immediately. A trout and salmon stamp is
 30 required to possess trout or salmon for all persons required to
 31 possess a Minnesota fishing license.

32	Name	Location	County	End Date
33				
34	Square	T.31, R.20W, S.23,26	Washington	3/1/1998
35				

36 Subp. 24. **Winter stream trout season.** The following
 37 waters are open to angling during a winter trout season from
 38 January 1 through March 31. While on or fishing on these
 39 waters, all trout must be immediately returned to the water.
 40 All legal methods of taking trout are allowed, except that
 41 barbed hooks are prohibited. A hook from which the barb has
 42 been removed by crimping or filing is allowed. It is illegal to
 43 possess trout while on or fishing from these waters during the

1 winter stream trout season.

2	Name	Location	County	End Date
3				
4	A. Middle Branch	T.107, R.10, S.9,		
5	Whitewater R.	16,17,20, from the		
6		upstream side of State		
7		Highway 74 bridge in		
8		the SW 1/4 SE 1/4, S.9		
9		upstream		
10		approximately 2.9		
11		miles to the		
12		confluence with Trout		
13		Run, SE 1/4 SE 1/4,		
14		S.20	Winona	3/1/1996
15				
16	B. South Branch	T.107, R.10, S.3,		
17	Whitewater R.	10,11,14, from the		
18		confluence with the		
19		Whitewater River in		
20		the SW 1/4 SE 1/4, S.3		
21		upstream		
22		approximately 2.0		
23		miles to the		
24		downstream side of		
25		Winona County Highway		
26		37 bridge in the NW		
27		1/4 NE 1/4, S.14	Winona	3/1/1996
28				
29	C. Beaver Cr.	T.108, R.10, S.19,		
30		20,21, and T.108,		
31		R.11, S.24 from the		
32		Whitewater Wildlife		
33		Management Area		
34		Sanctuary boundary at		
35		the north section line		
36		of S.21 to T.108, R.10		
37		upstream		
38		approximately 3.9		
39		miles to the source		
40		in the NE 1/4		
41		NW 1/4, S.24	Winona,	
42		of T.108, R.11	Wabasha	3/1/1996
43				
44	D. Hay Cr.	T.112, R.15, S.23,		
45		24,26,27, from the		
46		posted boundary at		
47		the point where Hay		
48		Creek crosses the		
49		SW 1/4 SE 1/4 section		
50		line of S.24 upstream		
51		approximately 3.9		
52		miles to the posted		
53		boundary in the		
54		SW 1/4 SE 1/4, S.27	Goodhue	3/1/1996
55				

56 Subp. 25. Catch and release fishing on trout streams.

57 While on or fishing on the following waters, all trout must be
 58 immediately returned to the water. All legal methods of taking
 59 trout are allowed, except that barbed hooks are prohibited. A
 60 hook from which the barb has been removed by crimping or filing
 61 is allowed.

62	Name	Location	County	End Date
63				
64	A. Middle Branch	T.107, R.11, S.35		

1 Whitewater R. and T.106, R.11,
 2 S.2,3,10,
 3 from the posted
 4 boundary at the
 5 point where a
 6 tributary enters the
 7 stream from the west
 8 in the NW 1/4 NE 1/4,
 9 S.35 of T.107, R.11
 10 upstream
 11 approximately 3.3
 12 miles to the source
 13 in the SW 1/4 NE 1/4,
 14 S.10 of T.106, R.11 Olmsted 3/1/1996

16 B. Hay Cr. T.112, R.15, S.23,
 17 24,26,27 from the
 18 posted boundary at
 19 the point where Hay
 20 Creek crosses the
 21 SW 1/4 SE 1/4 section
 22 line of S.24 upstream
 23 approximately 3.9
 24 miles to the posted
 25 boundary in the
 26 SW 1/4 SE 1/4, S.27 Goodhue 3/1/1996

28 **Subp. 26. Main Branch Whitewater River maximum length**
 29 **limits.** While on or fishing on the following waters, all trout
 30 in possession must be ten inches or less in length, except that
 31 one trout 18 inches or larger may be kept. All trout greater
 32 than ten inches in length must be returned to the water
 33 immediately, except that one trout 18 inches or larger in length
 34 may be kept. All legal methods of taking trout are allowed,
 35 except that barbed hooks are prohibited. A hook from which the
 36 barb has been removed by crimping or filing is allowed.

37 Name	38 Location	39 County	40 End Date
41 Main Branch 42 Whitewater R.	43 T.108, R.10, S.10, 44 11,14,15, from the 45 point where the 46 Whitewater River 47 crosses the north 48 section line of 49 S.11 (northern 50 boundary of the 51 Whitewater Wildlife 52 Management Area 53 Refuge) upstream 54 approximately 3.1 55 miles to the 56 downstream side of 57 the Winona County 58 State Aid Highway 59 30 bridge	60 Winona	61 3/1/1996

62 **Subp. 27. South Branch Whitewater River maximum length**
 63 **limits.** While on or fishing on the following waters, all trout
 64 in possession must be ten inches or less in length. Trout

1 greater than ten inches in length must be returned to the water
 2 immediately. All legal methods of taking trout are allowed,
 3 except that barbed hooks are prohibited. A hook from which the
 4 barb has been removed by crimping or filing is allowed.

5	Name	Location	County	End Date
6				
7	South Branch	T.107, R.10, S.13,		
8	Whitewater R.	14,24, from the		
9		upstream side of the		
10		abandoned bridge on		
11		County Road 112 in		
12		the SE 1/4 NE 1/4,		
13		S.14 upstream		
14		approximately 1.0 mile		
15		to the posted boundary		
16		in the NE 1/4 NW 1/4,		
17		S.24	Winona	3/1/1996
18				
19				

BOUNDARY WATERS

20 6266.0100 GENERAL REGULATIONS FOR TAKING FISH ON BOUNDARY WATERS
 21 WITH ADJACENT STATES.

22 **Subpart 1. License requirements on boundary waters.**

23 Residents may fish a boundary water with an adjacent state only
 24 if in possession of a valid resident angling license or
 25 otherwise authorized to angle in this state. Residents of an
 26 adjacent state may fish the boundary waters between this state
 27 and that state only if in possession of a valid resident angling
 28 license of that state or otherwise lawfully authorized to angle
 29 in that state. Residents of nonadjacent states and foreign
 30 countries may fish boundary waters lying between this state and
 31 an adjacent state only if in possession of a valid nonresident
 32 angling license issued by this state or the adjacent state or
 33 otherwise authorized to angle in this state or the adjacent
 34 state.

35 **Subp. 2. Possession limits on boundary waters.** Licensed
 36 anglers, or those exempt from licensing, may take only one limit
 37 of fish in the described adjacent state boundary waters
 38 regardless of the number of licenses held. Where regulations
 39 differ between this state and an adjacent state the exercise of
 40 the more liberal regulations is limited to persons licensed by
 41 the more liberal state and confined to the territorial waters of
 42 the more liberal state, except that persons licensed to angle in

1 this state or adjacent states who are angling from fish houses
2 placed by them must comply with the law relating to licensing
3 and identification of fish houses of the state in which they are
4 licensed to angle.

5 Subp. 3. **Species of fish not specified.** Species of fish
6 not specified in parts 6266.0200 to 6266.0600 may be taken and
7 possessed in adjacent state boundary waters only as authorized
8 for the inland waters of the state in which taken.

9 6266.0200 TAKING OF FISH ON MINNESOTA-IOWA BOUNDARY WATERS.

10 Subpart 1. **Specified waters.** The provisions of this part
11 apply to all parts of the following named Minnesota-Iowa
12 boundary waters:

- 13 A. Little Spirit Lake in Jackson county;
- 14 B. Iowa Lake in Jackson and Nobles counties;
- 15 C. Iowa Lake in Martin county;
- 16 D. Okamanpeedan (Tuttle) Lake in Martin county; and
- 17 E. Swag Lake in Martin county.

18 Subp. 2. **Species, seasons, and limits on Minnesota-Iowa**
19 **boundary waters.** The following applies to the species, seasons,
20 and limits for taking fish on Minnesota-Iowa boundary waters:

21 Species	22 Open Season	23 Daily and Possession Limits
24 A. Walleye	25 Saturday nearest May 1 26 through February 15	27 6
28 B. Northern pike	29 Saturday nearest May 1 30 through February 15	31 3
32 C. Sunfish	33 No closed season	34 30
35 D. White (striped) bass	36 No closed season	37 30
38 E. Catfish	39 Saturday nearest May 1 40 through February 15	41 8
42 F. Small and large mouth bass	43 Saturday nearest May 1 44 through February 15	45 6
46 G. Perch	47 No closed season	48 30
49 H. Crappie	50 No closed season	15
I. Bullhead, carp, sucker, redhorse, sheepshead, buffalo, burbot, bowfin, gar, and quillback	No closed season	No limits

1 When the closing date falls on a Saturday, the season will
2 extend through the following Sunday.

3 Subp. 3. Use of set lines. The taking of fish by means of
4 a set line is prohibited on Minnesota-Iowa boundary waters.

5 Subp. 4. Spearing and archery restrictions. The taking of
6 fish by spearing or archery is prohibited on Minnesota-Iowa
7 boundary waters, except that carp, buffalo, sheepshead, bowfin,
8 gar, and quillback may be taken by spearing or archery from May
9 1 through February 15 between sunrise and sunset and possessed
10 without limit.

11 Subp. 5. Number of lines allowed. A person may not angle
12 with more than two lines, or more than two poles with one line
13 attached to each pole, or use more than two hooks on each line
14 while on Minnesota-Iowa boundary waters.

15 Subp. 6. Shelter house deadline. A person may not permit
16 a shelter house to remain on the ice of Minnesota-Iowa boundary
17 waters after February 20.

18 Subp. 7. Taking of minnows exempted. This part does not
19 apply to the taking of minnows which are governed by the laws
20 and rules of the state in which the minnows are taken.

21 6266.0300 TAKING OF FISH ON MINNESOTA-NORTH DAKOTA BOUNDARY
22 WATERS.

23 Subpart 1. Specified waters. The provisions of this part
24 apply to all parts of the following named Minnesota-North Dakota
25 boundary waters:

- 26 A. Bois de Sioux River; and
- 27 B. Red River of the North.

28 Subp. 2. Species, seasons, and limits on Minnesota-North
29 Dakota boundary waters. The following applies to the species,
30 seasons, and limits for taking fish on Minnesota-North Dakota
31 boundary waters:

32 Species	Open Season	Daily and Possession Limits
33		
34		
35		
36 A. Walleye and sauger	First Saturday in May through last day in February	6 In aggregate
37		
38		
39		

1	B.	Northern pike	First Saturday in May	3
2			through last day in	
3			February	
4				
5	C.	Small and large	First Saturday in May	6
6		mouth bass	through last day in	In aggregate
7			February	
8				
9	D.	Crappie	Continuous	30
10				
11	E.	Sunfish and	Continuous	30
12		bluegill		
13				
14	F.	Rock bass	Continuous	20
15				
16	G.	Bullhead	Continuous	100
17				
18	H.	Perch	Continuous	50
19				
20	I.	Catfish	Continuous	5 with only 1
21				over 24 inches
22				
23	J.	Sturgeon	Closed	-0-
24				
25	K.	Carp, buffalo	Continuous	No limit
26		sheepshead,		
27		sucker, redhorse,		
28		bowfin, burbot,		
29		gar, and white		
30		(striped) bass		
31				

32 When the closing date falls on a Saturday, the season will
33 extend through the following Sunday.

34 Subp. 3. **Spearing and archery restrictions.** The taking of
35 fish by spearing or archery is prohibited on Minnesota-North
36 Dakota boundary waters. A person may not have in possession in
37 a shelter house on the ice any spear, spring gaff, bow and
38 arrow, or dip net.

39 Subp. 4. **Shelter house deadline.** A person may not permit
40 a shelter house to remain on the ice of Minnesota-North Dakota
41 boundary waters after March 5. Portable shelters may be used
42 after March 5 by persons actively engaged in angling, but must
43 be removed daily when not in use.

44 Subp. 5. **Use of set lines.** The taking of fish by means of
45 a set or unattended line is prohibited on Minnesota-North Dakota
46 boundary waters.

47 Subp. 6. **Number of lines allowed.** A person may not angle
48 with more than two lines or more than one hook on each line on
49 Minnesota-North Dakota boundary waters.

50 Subp. 7. **Taking of minnows exempted.** This part does not
51 apply to the taking of minnows. The taking of minnows is

1 governed by the laws and rules of the state in which the minnows
2 are taken.

3 6266.0400 TAKING OF FISH ON MINNESOTA-SOUTH DAKOTA BOUNDARY
4 WATERS.

5 Subpart 1. **Specified waters.** The provisions of this part
6 apply to all parts of the following named Minnesota-South Dakota
7 boundary waters:

- 8 A. Lake Hendricks;
- 9 B. Big Stone Lake;
- 10 C. Lake Traverse;
- 11 D. Mud Lake; and
- 12 E. Bois de Sioux River.

13 Subp. 2. **Species, seasons, and limits on Minnesota-South**
14 **Dakota boundary waters.** The following applies to the species,
15 seasons, and limits for taking fish on Minnesota-South Dakota
16 boundary waters:

17	Species	Open Season	Daily and Possession Limits
18			
19			
20			
21	A. Walleye and sauger	Last Saturday in April through last day in February	6
22			
23			
24	B. Northern pike	Last Saturday in April through last day in February	6
25			
26			
27	C. Small and large mouth bass	Last Saturday in April through last day in February	6
28			
29			
30	D. Crappie	Continuous	30
31			
32	E. Sunfish and bluegill	Continuous	30
33			
34			
35	F. Rock bass	Continuous	20
36			
37	G. Bullhead	Continuous	100
38			
39	H. Perch	Continuous	50
40			
41	I. Catfish	Continuous	8
42			
43	J. Sturgeon	Continuous	1
44			
45	K. Carp, buffalo, sheepshead, sucker, redhorse, bowfin, burbot, gar, and white (striped) bass	Continuous	No limits
46			
47			
48			
49			
50			
51			

52 When the closing falls on a Saturday, the season will
53 extend through the following Sunday.

1 Subp. 3. **Spearing and archery restrictions.** The taking of
2 fish by spearing or archery is prohibited on Minnesota-South
3 Dakota boundary waters, except that carp, buffalo, sheepshead,
4 suckers, redhorse, bowfin, burbot, and gar may be taken by
5 spearing or archery and possessed without limit from the last
6 Saturday in April through November 30 between sunrise and sunset
7 each day. When the 30th falls on a Saturday, the season will
8 extend through the following Sunday.

9 Subp. 4. **Restricted equipment.** A person may not have in
10 possession on or near the water or ice of Minnesota-South Dakota
11 boundary waters a spear, spring gaff, or bow and arrow at any
12 time, except during the open season for spearing and archery.

13 Subp. 5. **Darkhouse spearing prohibited.** The taking of
14 fish by spearing from or within a darkhouse is prohibited on
15 Minnesota-South Dakota boundary waters.

16 Subp. 6. **Shelter house deadline.** A person may not permit
17 a shelter house to remain on the ice of Minnesota-South Dakota
18 boundary waters after March 5.

19 Subp. 7. **Use of set lines.** The taking of fish by means of
20 a set line is prohibited on Minnesota-South Dakota boundary
21 waters.

22 Subp. 8. **Number of lines allowed.** A person may not angle
23 with more than two lines or have more than three hooks on each
24 line on Minnesota-South Dakota boundary waters.

25 Subp. 9. **Liberalized fishing.** When oxygen levels are
26 reduced to the point of endangering fish life and the waters are
27 posted to indicate that liberalized fishing is in effect, a
28 person may take any fish on Minnesota-South Dakota boundary
29 waters without limit by angling with up to six lines, snagging,
30 spears, dip nets, and legal minnow seines within the dates
31 identified on the posted sign.

32 Mud Lake, Traverse county, T.127, 128, R.47, 48, Sections
33 various, will be open to liberalized fishing each winter from
34 December 1 through the last day of February, including March 1
35 if the last day of February falls on Saturday.

36 Subp. 10. **Taking of minnows exempted.** This part does not

1 apply to the taking of minnows, which are governed by the laws
2 and regulations of the state in which the minnows are taken.

3 Subp. 11. **Commercial fishing.** Only the following species
4 may be taken by commercial fishing operations from
5 Minnesota-South Dakota boundary waters: carp, buffalo, suckers,
6 redhorse, sheepshead, bowfin, burbot, tullibees, gar, goldeyes,
7 bullheads, smelt, whitefish, and white (striped) bass.

8 6266.0500 TAKING OF FISH ON MINNESOTA-WISCONSIN BOUNDARY WATERS.

9 Subpart 1. **Specified waters.** The provisions of this part
10 apply to the following described Minnesota-Wisconsin boundary
11 waters:

12 A. Mississippi River and Lake Pepin extending from
13 the mouth of the St. Croix River to the southern boundary of
14 this state and lying between the Burlington Northern main
15 railroad tracks on the Wisconsin side and the Chicago,
16 Milwaukee, St. Paul and Pacific railroad tracks on the Minnesota
17 side, including all sloughs, backwaters, bays, and newly
18 extended water areas lying between the railroad tracks.

19 B. All those portions of Lake St. Croix and the St.
20 Croix River as far as the same lie along the boundary between
21 the state of Minnesota and the state of Wisconsin.

22 C. All those portions of the St. Louis River,
23 including St. Louis Bay and Superior Bay, as far as the same
24 line along the boundary between said states downstream to an
25 imaginary line drawn between the northwest bank of the Nemadji
26 River where it forms a junction with Superior Bay and the
27 southwest bank of the superior entry channel where it forms a
28 junction with Superior Bay.

29 Subp. 2. **Definitions.** The terms used in parts 6266.0500
30 and 6266.0600 have the following meanings.

31 A. "Commercial operator" means a person properly
32 licensed to take fish in the Minnesota-Wisconsin boundary waters
33 by means of a net, set line, or other legal equipment for the
34 purpose of sale.

35 B. "Game fish" means all species and size categories

1 not included as rough fish, minnows, and catfish taken by
2 angling.

3 C. "Minimum length" means the length of a fish
4 measured in a straight line from the tip of the nose to the end
5 of the tail fin. When measuring turtles, it means the length of
6 the dorsal surface of the carapace (top shell) measured from
7 side to side across the shell at midpoint.

8 D. "Minnow" means:

9 (1) members of the minnow family (*cyprinidai*),
10 except carp, grass carp, and goldfish;

11 (2) shad, mudminnows, willow cat, and all members
12 of the sucker family (*Catostomidai*) not over 12 inches in
13 length; and

14 (3) bullheads, ciscoes, herring, whitefish,
15 goldeyes, and mooneyes not over seven inches in length.

16 E. "Rough fish" means carp, bowfin, redhorse,
17 sheepshead suckers, burbot, gar, buffalo, quillback, mooneyes,
18 goldeyes, shad, eels, bullheads, grass carp, and catfish, except
19 that catfish 15 inches or over in length when taken under
20 commercial license with commercial fishing gear downstream from
21 the Taylors Falls Dam shall be considered rough fish.

22 Subp. 3. Species, seasons, and limits on
23 Minnesota-Wisconsin boundary waters. The following applies to
24 the species, seasons, and limits for taking fish on
25 Minnesota-Wisconsin boundary waters:

26 Species and Open Season	Daily and Possession Limits
27 28 A. Small and large mouth 29 bass	5 in aggregate. 12 inch minimum size limit in
30 31 (1) St. Louis River and 32 St. Croix River. 33 Saturday preceding 34 Memorial Day through 35 March 1.	the St. Louis River and St. Croix River upstream of Highway 70 near Pine City. 14 inch minimum size limit
36 (2) Mississippi River 37 and Lake Pepin. 38 Continuous.	downstream of Highway 70 and Mississippi River including Lake Pepin.
39 40 B. Walleye and sauger	6 of either or in aggregate, except in the St. Louis
41 42 (1) St. Louis River. 43 The Saturday 44 two weeks prior 45 to the Saturday 46 of Memorial Day	River the limit is 2 walleye. 15 inch minimum size limit for walleye on the St. Louis, St. Croix, Mississippi Rivers, and Lake Pepin except no size

1	weekend through	limit in Pool 3 of the
2	March 1.	Mississippi River between the
3		Red Wing Dam and Hastings.
4	(2) St. Croix River.	
5	Saturday nearest May 1	
6	through March 1.	
7	(3) Mississippi River and	
8	Lake Pepin. Continuous.	
9		
10	C. Northern pike	5, except St. Louis River
11		2 northern pike.
12	(1) St. Louis River.	
13	The Saturday	
14	two weeks prior	
15	to the Saturday of	
16	Memorial Day weekend	
17	through March 1.	
18	(2) St. Croix River.	
19	Saturday nearest May 1	
20	through March 1.	
21	(3) Mississippi River and	
22	Lake Pepin. Continuous.	
23		
24	D. Catfish.	10
25	Continuous.	
26		
27	E. Lake sturgeon	
28		
29	(1) All waters below Prescott	
30	and above Taylor's Falls	
31	Dam. Season is closed.	
32	(2) All waters between	1 per season (minimum
33	Prescott and Taylor's	size limit - 50 inches.)
34	Falls Dam. First	
35	Saturday in September	
36	through October 15.	
37	(3) St. Louis River.	
38	Season is closed.	
39		
40	F. Shovelnose sturgeon	
41		
42	(1) All waters below	10
43	Red Wing Dam.	
44	Continuous.	
45	(2) All waters above	
46	Red Wing Dam.	
47	Season is closed.	
48		
49	G. Crappie.	25
50	Continuous.	
51		
52	H. Rock bass.	25
53	Continuous.	
54		
55	I. Sunfish and bluegill.	25
56	Continuous.	
57		
58	J. Perch.	25
59	Continuous.	
60		
61	K. Bullhead.	No limits
62	Continuous.	
63		
64	L. Paddlefish (spoonbill	
65	catfish).	
66	No open season.	
67		
68	M. Rough fish.	No limits
69	Continuous.	
70		
71	N. Muskellunge	1

1 Minimum size limit -
2 36 inches.
3 Saturday nearest Memorial
4 Day through March 1.

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6 O. White (striped) and 25
7 yellow bass.
8 Continuous.

9
10 P. All other species Governed by inland regulations
11 of state in which taken.

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13 Subp. 4. Number of lines allowed. Except as provided, a
14 person may not angle with more than two lines or one line with
15 more than two baits or one line with a single treble hook on
16 Minnesota-Wisconsin boundary waters. A person may not fish with
17 an unattended line or take fish by snagging. A fish hooked in
18 any part of the body, except the mouth, must immediately be
19 unhooked and returned to the water.

20 Subp. 5. Sale of fish prohibited. A person may not buy,
21 sell, or offer to buy or sell any fish taken on
22 Minnesota-Wisconsin boundary waters by angling, except that
23 rough fish may be bought and sold at any time.

24 Subp. 6. Closed areas. A person may not fish from any
25 point or from any boat within the area from the Taylors Falls
26 (St. Croix Falls) dam on the St. Croix River to 50 feet
27 downstream from the pier in the center of the river. Closed
28 areas must be marked with suitable signs or buoys designating
29 the closed areas. A person may not fish in the St. Louis River
30 from Fond du Lac Dam downstream approximately one-half mile to
31 the Minnesota-Wisconsin boundary cable at any time. A person
32 may not fish in the St. Louis River from the Minnesota-Wisconsin
33 boundary cable downstream to the Highway 23 bridge from March 1
34 through May 18 each year.

35 Subp. 7. Shelter house deadline. Buildings, vehicles,
36 tents, fish houses, or similar enclosures may be used on the ice
37 for fishing purposes on Minnesota-Wisconsin boundary waters.
38 All enclosures or shelters must be removed from the ice on or
39 before March 1 of each year. Portable shelters may be used
40 after March 1 by persons actively engaged in fishing, but must
41 be removed daily when not in use. The door of an enclosure or
42 shelter must be equipped with a latch that permits the door to

1 be readily opened from the outside at all times while the
2 enclosure or shelter is occupied.

3 Subp. 8. **Restricted equipment.** No more than two tip-ups
4 may be used for ice fishing on Minnesota-Wisconsin boundary
5 waters. Tip-ups may not be more than 400 feet from the angler.
6 A person may not use a spear, dip net, or bow and arrow in any
7 manner at any time for the purpose of taking game fish or have
8 in possession or under control any fish spear, spring gaff, or
9 similar device in a fish house. Rough fish may be taken by
10 means of a spear or dip net not to exceed 24 inches in diameter,
11 or bow with tethered arrow except crossbow, from sunrise to
12 sunset only, from the Saturday nearest May 1 through March 1. A
13 person may not have in possession on the water or immediate
14 banks of the water a spear, except during the open season for
15 spearing.

16 Subp. 9. **Possession requirement.** Fish taken by angling on
17 Minnesota-Wisconsin boundary waters and not released freely into
18 the water immediately after capture must be considered to be in
19 possession and part of the bag limit and may not be released
20 after such possession.

21 Subp. 10. **Prohibition on taking fish for bait purposes.**
22 The taking of minnows or other fish for bait purposes from all
23 Minnesota waters of Lake Superior and all waters of the St.
24 Louis River downstream of the Fond du Lac Dam in St. Louis and
25 Carlton counties, including any and all outflows, estuaries,
26 streams, creeks, or waters adjacent to or flowing into these
27 waters is prohibited.

28 6266.0600 MINNESOTA-WISCONSIN BOUNDARY WATERS COMMERCIAL
29 REGULATIONS.

30 Subpart 1. **Commercial operations and equipment.** Licensed
31 commercial operators may take minnows and rough fish as provided
32 in this part. Commercial gear authorized under a commercial
33 fishing license includes set lines (trot lines), seines, gill
34 nets, and traps when used to take minnows. The commissioner may
35 authorize the use of other gear under contract or permit as may

1 be agreed upon between the states of Minnesota and Wisconsin.
2 Commercial gear, unless otherwise specified, may not be used or
3 operated in Pool 4 of the Mississippi River between Mile Post
4 780 and 797 from March 1 through May 31.

5 Subp. 2. **Landing of commercial operations.** Commercial
6 operators licensed in either Minnesota or Wisconsin may land
7 their commercial gear or turtle traps on either the Minnesota or
8 Wisconsin banks of those parts of Lake Pepin, the Mississippi
9 River, Lake St. Croix and the St. Croix River in which that
10 commercial gear landed is permitted. A commercial operator may
11 not operate in the bayous and sloughs beyond the defined
12 boundary waters of the Mississippi River, Lake Pepin, Lake St.
13 Croix or the St. Croix River, except in the state of licensure.

14 Subp. 3. **Commercial fishing restrictions.** The following
15 restrictions apply to commercial fishing on Minnesota-Wisconsin
16 boundary waters:

17 A. Game fish taken in any commercial fishing
18 operation must be returned to the water immediately. Grass carp
19 taken in commercial fishing may not be returned to the water.
20 Carp may not be returned to the water, except as provided by
21 subpart 7.

22 B. A person other than the license holder or a
23 licensed helper may not tend commercial fishing gear.
24 Commercial nets or set lines may not be used or operated in any
25 waters within 900 feet below any dam on the Mississippi River.

26 C. The commissioner may require the operator of any
27 seine, set line, or gill net to cease fishing operations when it
28 has been determined that such operations are detrimental to game
29 fish or other protected wildlife.

30 D. Nets or set lines may not be set, lifted, hauled,
31 or tended in any manner between one-half hour after sunset and
32 one hour before sunrise of the following morning, except when
33 completing an ongoing seine haul with the permission of the
34 commissioner.

35 E. A licensed commercial operator, any crew member,
36 or any person in the boat may not have in possession any game

1 fish or sport angling equipment while operating licensed
2 commercial gear or while traveling to or from the place of
3 operation of such gear.

4 F. A person, other than a person selling commercial
5 gear at wholesale or retail, may not have in possession or under
6 control any unlicensed commercial fishing gear or a basket trap
7 (slat net), trammel net, or wooden trap which could be used for
8 the purpose of taking, catching, or killing fish in any of the
9 counties bordering the boundary waters as specified in part
10 6266.0500.

11 G. Commercial operators required to make reports by
12 law must report, on forms provided by the commissioner, all
13 required information.

14 Subp. 4. Use of set lines. Rough fish may be taken from
15 April 1 through October 31 in the Mississippi River and Lake
16 Pepin by licensed commercial operators with the use of set
17 lines. A person may not set or operate more than a total of
18 four set lines, not to exceed 100 hooks attached to each line or
19 400 hooks in the aggregate, nor place set lines in any manner
20 which obstructs any type of boat travel in more than
21 three-fourths the width of any bay, slough, or channel. A
22 person using set lines may not use any frogs, game fish,
23 bullheads of any size, or their parts for bait. Set lines must
24 have attached the identification tag provided with the license.
25 At one end of every set line there must be a white flag, not
26 less than 16 inches square, the upper end of which must extend
27 at least two feet above the water, which must be legibly
28 numbered with figures at least three inches in height
29 corresponding with the number of the license authorizing the use
30 of the set line, or a nonmetallic buoy of permanent buoyancy and
31 of at least one gallon displacement of white or yellow color
32 bearing the markings described above. Set lines must be lifted
33 and fish removed at least once every 24 hours and must be set or
34 lifted only between one hour before sunrise and one-half hour
35 after sunset.

36 Subp. 5. Use of seines. Rough fish may be taken by

1 commercial operators with the use of seines of any size only in
2 those portions of the Minnesota-Wisconsin boundary waters lying
3 south of the U.S. Highway 8 bridge at St. Croix Falls. From
4 October 1 through April 30, each commercial operator may retain
5 no more than 100 pounds of catfish per day taken incidental to
6 commercial operations. Catfish must have a minimum length of 15
7 inches. Seine hauls may not be made without the operator first
8 having notified the local conservation officer and area
9 fisheries supervisor of the hauls.

10 Subp. 6. Use of gill nets. The following provisions apply
11 to the use of gill nets in commercial fishing operations on
12 Minnesota-Wisconsin boundary waters:

13 A. Rough fish may be taken in the Mississippi River
14 and Lake Pepin by commercial operators with the use of gill nets
15 having a mesh measuring 3-1/2 inches or larger, bar or square
16 measure, measured while in use and inside the knots.
17 Gillnetting may not be used as a drag seine or drift net at any
18 time.

19 B. Gill nets must be attached to an end stake, pole,
20 or anchored buoy bearing a white flag, not less than 16 inches
21 square, the upper end of which must extend at least two feet
22 above the water or ice at all times when the net is set or in
23 operation, which must be legibly numbered with figures at least
24 three inches in height corresponding with the number of the
25 license authorizing the use of such nets.

26 C. Gill nets must be lifted and emptied of fish at
27 least once every 24 hours when set in open water and at least
28 once every 48 hours when set under the ice, unless otherwise
29 authorized by the commissioner.

30 D. Gill nets may not be set in such a manner as to
31 obstruct any type of boat travel in more than three-fourths the
32 width of any slough, bay, or channel.

33 Subp. 7. Taking of minnows. The following provisions
34 apply to the commercial taking of minnows on Minnesota-Wisconsin
35 boundary waters:

36 A. Minnows may be taken in Minnesota-Wisconsin

1 boundary waters, except in the St. Louis River, by seine, dip
2 net, or trap. Seines may not exceed 50 feet in length or five
3 feet in depth, nor have mesh exceeding one-half inch, stretch
4 measure. Dip net frames may not exceed six feet in diameter nor
5 have a net bag more than four feet deep. A trap may not exceed
6 24 inches in length or 16 inches in diameter or have an opening
7 at its throat exceeding 1-1/2 inches in diameter. All traps
8 used in taking minnows must have securely attached a label or
9 tag legibly and permanently bearing the name and address of the
10 operator. All minnow traps must be raised and the minnows
11 removed at least once every 24 hours.

12 B. Live carp fingerlings, except grass carp, may be
13 transported for sale or for bait only by boat or other floating
14 conveyance and only on the boundary waters where taken.
15 Alewife, ruffe, and white perch may not be possessed or used as
16 bait.

17 Subp. 8. **Taking of turtles.** The following provisions
18 apply to the taking of turtles on Minnesota-Wisconsin boundary
19 waters:

20 A. Turtles may be taken incidental to licensed
21 commercial fishing operations or by persons licensed to take
22 turtles as provided by Minnesota Statutes, section 97A.475, and
23 may be possessed and sold without limit as provided by Minnesota
24 Statutes, sections 97C.605 and 97C.611.

25 B. Turtle traps constructed of webbing must be of
26 mesh size not less than 3-1/2 inches stretch measure or seven
27 inches stretch measure. Turtle traps constructed of wire mesh
28 must be of mesh size not less than 3-1/2 inches, bar measure,
29 and have at least one square opening in the top panel measuring
30 at least four inches on a side and one of the same dimension
31 near the bottom in each of the side panels. Turtle traps must
32 be set in water shallow enough to place the top no deeper than
33 one inch below the water surface. Turtle traps must be checked
34 and serviced at intervals not exceeding 48 hours. Licensees may
35 not operate more than 40 turtle traps. When in use, each turtle
36 trap must have affixed a tag, visible from above, legibly and

1 permanently bearing the name, address, and license number of the
2 operator. Tags must be of dimensions no less than 2-1/2 inches
3 in length by five-eighths inch in width.

4 Subp. 9. **Taking of mussels.** Mussels may be taken from
5 Minnesota-Wisconsin boundary waters as provided by chapter 6258.

6 6266.0700 TAKING OF FISH ON MINNESOTA-CANADA BOUNDARY WATERS.

7 Subpart 1. **Specified waters.** The provisions of this part
8 apply to those portions of the following named Minnesota-Canada
9 boundary waters:

10 A. Basswood Lake (except Jackfish, Pipestone, Hoist
11 and Back Bays), T.64, R.9, 10; T.65, R.9, 10, Lake county;

12 B. Basswood River, T.65, R.10, 11, Lake county;

13 C. Birch Lake, T.64, R.8, 9; T.65, R.8, 9, Lake
14 county;

15 D. Bottle Lake, T.67, R.13, St. Louis county;

16 E. Carp Lake, T.65, R.8, Lake county;

17 F. Clove Lake, T.65, R.4W, Cook county;

18 G. Crooked Lake, T.66, R.11, 12, Lake and St. Louis
19 counties;

20 H. Cypress Lake, T.66, R.6, Lake county;

21 I. Devil's Elbow, T.66, R.4W, Cook county

22 J. Gneiss Lake, T.66, R.4W, Cook county;

23 K. Granite Lake, T.65, 66, R.4W, Cook county;

24 L. Granite River, T.66, R.4W, Cook county;

25 M. Gunflint Lake, T.65, R.2, 3, 4W, Cook county;

26 N. Iron Lake, T.66, R.12, 13; T.67, R.13, St. Louis
27 county;

28 O. Knife Lake (except South Arm of Knife Lake), T.64,
29 R.8; T.65, R.6, 7, 8; T.66, R.6, Lake county;

30 P. Knife River, T.65, R.8, Lake county;

31 Q. Lac La Croix Lake, T.67, R.13, 14, 15; T.68, R.13,
32 14, 15; T.66, R.13, St. Louis county;

33 R. Lake of the Woods, Lake of the Woods and Roseau
34 counties;

35 S. Lily Lakes, T.65, R.2E, Cook county;

- 1 T. Little Gunflint Lake, T.65, R.2W, Cook county;
2 U. Little Knife Lake, T.65, R.6, 7; T.66, R.6, Lake
3 county;
4 V. Little North Lake, T.65, R.2W, Cook county;
5 W. Little Vermillion Lake, T.67, R.16, St. Louis
6 county;
7 X. Loon Lake, T.66, 67, R.15, St. Louis county;
8 Y. Loon River, T.66, R.15, 16; T.67, R.15, 16, St.
9 Louis county;
10 Z. Magnetic Lake, T.65, R.3, 4W, Cook county;
11 AA. Maraboeuf Lake, T.66, R.4W, Cook county;
12 BB. Melon Lake, T.65, R.8, Lake county;
13 CC. Moose Lake, T.65, R.3E, Cook county;
14 DD. Mountain Lake, T.65, R.1, 2E, Cook county;
15 EE. Namakan Lake, T.68, R.17, 18; T.69, R.17, 18, 19,
16 St. Louis county;
17 FF. North Fowl Lake, T.65, R.3E, Cook county;
18 GG. North Lake, T.65, R.2W, Cook county;
19 HH. Pigeon River, T.64, R.3, 4, 5, 6, 7E, Cook
20 county;
21 II. Pine River, T.65, R.3, 4W, Cook county;
22 JJ. Rainy Lake (including Black Bay), T.69, R.18, 19;
23 T.70, R.18, 19, 20, 21, 22, T.71, R.20, 21, 22, 23, 24,
24 Koochiching and Lake of the Woods counties;
25 KK. Rainy River, T.70-71 and T.158-162, R.24-32,
26 Koochiching and Lake of the Woods counties;
27 LL. Rat Lake, T.65, R.1W, Cook county;
28 MM. Rove Lake, T.65, R.1E, Cook county;
29 NN. Saganaga Lake, T.66, R.4, 5W; T.67, R.4, 5W, Cook
30 county;
31 OO. Sand Point Lake, T.67, R.16, 17; T.68, R.16, 17;
32 T.69, R.17, St. Louis county;
33 PP. Seed Lake, T.65, R.8, Lake county;
34 QQ. South Lake, T.65, R.1, 2W, Cook county;
35 RR. South Fowl Lake, T.64, 65, R.3E, Cook county;
36 SS. Sucker Lake, T.64, R.8, 9, Lake county;

1 TT. Swamp Lake, T.66, R.6, Lake county; and

2 UU. Watab Lake, T.65, R.1E, Cook county.

3 Subp. 2. Species, seasons, and limits on Minnesota-Canada
4 boundary waters. The following applies to the species, seasons,
5 and limits for taking fish on Minnesota-Canada boundary waters.

	Species	Open Season	Daily and Possession Limits
9	A. Walleye and sauger	Saturday two weeks prior to the Saturday of Memorial Day weekend through April 14.	6 in the aggregate, except Lake of the Woods where 14 in the aggregate, of which not more than 6 may be walleye, and Rainy Lake where 12 in the aggregate, of which not more than 6 may be walleye and not more than 1 over 19.5 inches, and Rainy River where 6 in aggregate with not more than 1 walleye over 19.5 inches except no walleye over 19.5 inches may be taken from March 1 through April 14, and Saganaga Lake including Sea Gull River and Gull Lake where the limit is 6 walleye with only 1 walleye over 19.5 inches.
34	B. Sturgeon (minimum size 45 inches total length)	June 30 through May 15.	1
41	C. Lake trout	In all bodies of water entirely or partly outside of the Boundary Waters Canoe Area Wilderness and exceptions from the Saturday nearest January 15 through March 15; lakes partly outside of the Boundary Waters Canoe Area Wilderness and exceptions include Saganaga Lake; in all bodies of water lying entirely within the Boundary Waters Canoe Area Wilderness from the Saturday nearest January 1 through March 31; and in all waters from the Saturday two weeks prior to Saturday of Memorial Day weekend	3

- 1 through September 30.
2
3 D. Trout Saturday nearest Same as listed in
4 (except May 1 through part 6262.0200.
5 lake September 30.
6 trout)
7
8 E. Northern No closed season. 6, except Rainy Lake 3,
9 pike with only 1 over 28
10 inches.
11
12 F. Muskellunge Third Saturday in 1
13 (minimum June through
14 size 40 November 30.
15 inches
16 total
17 length)
18
19 G. Large and No closed season. 6 in aggregate.
20 smallmouth
21 bass
22
23 H. Crappie No closed season. 30 except on Black Bay
24 of Rainy Lake 15.
25
26 I. All other No closed season. Same as listed in
27 species part 6262.0200.
28
29 Subp. 3. Number of lines allowed. Only one line may be
30 used to angle on Minnesota-Canada boundary waters, except two
31 lines may be used while angling through the ice. Fish with
32 length limits may not be possessed as fillets on the water while
33 angling. Any fish that is hooked in any part of the body,
34 except the mouth, must be immediately unhooked and returned to
35 the water, whether dead or alive.
36 Subp. 4. Single limit requirement. The provisions in
37 items A and B apply to the limits for taking and possessing fish
38 on Minnesota-Canada boundary waters.
39 A. While in this state, a person permitted to take
40 and possess fish in this state and licensed by the Canadian
41 province of Ontario or Manitoba may not possess fish taken from
42 Minnesota-Canada boundary waters in excess of this state's limit.
43 B. While in this state, a person permitted to take
44 and possess fish in this state and licensed by the Canadian
45 province of Ontario or Manitoba may not possess fish taken from
46 the inland waters of Ontario or Manitoba in excess of this
47 state's limit unless the excess fish are accompanied by proof of
48 taking from inland Canadian waters. When accompanied by such
49 proof, one Canadian limit and one Minnesota limit may be
50 possessed simultaneously. The following is considered

1 sufficient proof for a period of seven days after date of
2 issuance:

3 (1) Written verification issued by United States
4 Customs of having entered the United States at a time consistent
5 with the time of having taken fish in inland Canadian waters.

6 (2) A receipt from a resort, campground, or place
7 of lodging located on inland Canadian waters issued at a time
8 consistent with the time of having taken fish in inland Canadian
9 waters.

10 Subp. 5. **Shelter house deadline.** On Minnesota-Canada
11 boundary waters, a dark house, fish house, or shelter may remain
12 on the ice no later than March 31. Portable shelters may be
13 used after March 31 only when occupied for angling.

14 **AQUATIC NUISANCE CONTROL**

15 **6280.0100 DEFINITIONS.**

16 Subpart 1. **Scope.** The terms used in this chapter have the
17 meanings given them in this part.

18 Subp. 2. **Aquatic macrophytes.** "Aquatic macrophytes" means
19 rooted plants, either submerged, floating leafed, or emergent,
20 and floating or floating leaf plants growing in public waters.

21 Subp. 3. **Aquatic nuisance.** "Aquatic nuisance" means the
22 presence of leeches, snails that carry swimmer's itch, or any
23 growth of aquatic vegetation or algae in such numbers or such
24 abundance as to interfere with boating, swimming, or other
25 aquatic recreation or beneficial water use.

26 Subp. 4. **Bog.** "Bog" means a mat, either attached to or
27 resting on the bottom or floating, that is normally made up of
28 dead organic matter held together by various types of living
29 plants.

30 Subp. 5. **Dense growth of submerged vegetation.** "Dense
31 growth of submerged vegetation" means that a condition exists
32 where the vegetation occurs at 90 percent or more of sampling
33 stations within a proposed treatment area and has an average
34 recovery of three or more, when percent occurrence and average
35 recovery are determined according to the method described by

1 Jessen and Lound in Game Investigational Report No. 6, Minnesota
2 Department of Conservation (1962), the original filed in the
3 Office of the Director of Fish and Wildlife, Saint Paul,
4 Minnesota.

5 Subp. 6. **Excessive algae bloom.** "Excessive algae bloom"
6 means that some or all of the following conditions are present:

7 A. algae population is dominated by blue-green algae;

8 B. secchi disc reading is typically two feet or less;

9 C. floating mats or scums of algae have accumulated
10 on the downwind shore; or

11 D. decomposition of accumulated algae has occurred
12 releasing a blue-green pigment and causing an offensive odor.

13 Subp. 7. **Field inspection.** "Field inspection" means an
14 on-site determination by department personnel of relevant
15 characteristics of a proposed treatment area.

16 Subp. 8. **Label registration.** "Label registration" means
17 the application rate and site where a pesticide can be applied,
18 vegetation it will control, and other important information that
19 is contained on a pesticide's label. To use a pesticide in a
20 manner inconsistent with its label is a violation of state and
21 federal law.

22 Subp. 9. **Littoral area.** "Littoral area" means any part of
23 a body of water 15 feet deep or less.

24 Subp. 10. **Monitoring.** "Monitoring" means assessment by
25 the commissioner of the status, progress, or efficacy of
26 activities authorized by permit and observation of control
27 operations being done under permit.

28 Subp. 11. **Ordinary high water level.** "Ordinary high water
29 level" has the meaning given in Minnesota Statutes, section
30 103G.005.

31 Subp. 12. **Pesticide.** "Pesticide" means a substance or
32 mixture of substances intended to prevent, destroy, repel, or
33 mitigate a pest, and a substance or mixture of substances
34 intended for use as a plant regulator, defoliant, or desiccant.

35 Subp. 13. **Public waters.** "Public waters" means those
36 waters of the state identified as public waters or wetlands

1 under Minnesota Statutes, section 103G.005.

2 Subp. 14. **Storm water retention ponds.** "Storm water
3 retention ponds" means those bodies of public water, usually
4 less than ten acres in size, lying within home rule charter or
5 statutory cities or towns and that have as a principal public
6 value the retention of storm water.

7 Subp. 15. **Viable.** "Viable" means that any plant or plant
8 part is capable of taking root or living when introduced into
9 another body of water.

10 6280.0200 AQUATIC NUISANCE CONTROL PERMITS.

11 Subpart 1. **Application process.** Application for an
12 aquatic nuisance control permit for any body of public waters
13 may be made by a riparian owner to that body of water or by the
14 representative of a group of riparian owners. Application for
15 an aquatic nuisance control permit must be made on forms
16 provided by the commissioner and must be submitted to the
17 address specified in the instructions. All information
18 requested on the application form must be provided.

19 Subp. 2. **Requirements.** An aquatic nuisance control permit
20 is required to:

21 A. apply pesticides to public waters;

22 B. mechanically remove from or transplant into public
23 waters any aquatic plants or a bog of any size whether
24 free-floating or lodged in an area other than its original
25 location;

26 C. destroy emergent aquatic vegetation in public
27 waters, except as provided by subpart 3;

28 D. destroy aquatic vegetation within a posted fish
29 spawning area;

30 E. use a machine that mechanically sifts lake bottom
31 material from public waters; or

32 F. destroy or prevent the growth of aquatic plants or
33 invertebrate life in public waters by other means except as
34 provided by subpart 3.

35 Subp. 3. **Actions not requiring a permit.** Unless otherwise

1 required by subpart 2, an aquatic nuisance control permit is not
2 required for items A to E.

3 A. Cutting or pulling aquatic plants for the purpose
4 of constructing shooting and observation blinds in amounts
5 sufficient for that purpose.

6 B. Gathering aquatic plants or plant parts, other
7 than wild rice and American lotus, for personal use only.

8 C. Cutting or pulling submerged and floating-leaf
9 aquatic vegetation in order to maintain a site for swimming or
10 boat docking not to extend along more than 50 feet of the
11 owner's shoreline or one-half the length of the owner's total
12 shoreline, whichever is less, and that does not exceed 2,500
13 square feet in area, except that a boat channel extending to
14 open water, not to exceed 15 feet in width, may be maintained.
15 The boating channel is included in the maximum shoreline feet
16 allowed. Cutting or pulling may only be done under the
17 following conditions:

18 (1) with power-operated cutters, rakes, or
19 similar equipment that does not significantly alter the course,
20 current, or cross-section of the lake bottom. Draglines,
21 bulldozers, hydraulic jets, suction dredges, or other
22 power-operated earth-moving equipment may not be used;

23 (2) cutting or pulling takes place in the same
24 location each year unless an aquatic nuisance control permit has
25 been obtained authorizing a change in location; and

26 (3) aquatic plants that have been cut or pulled
27 must immediately and permanently be removed from the water.

28 D. Destroying aquatic vegetation incidental to soil
29 removal or water removal authorized by a department permit for
30 work in public waters as provided by Minnesota Statutes, section
31 103G.245.

32 E. Cutting or pulling purple loosestrife (*lythrum*
33 *salicaria*) does not require a permit.

34 Subp. 4. Deadline for permit application. Applications
35 for permits to control submerged or floating aquatic vegetation
36 with pesticides will not be accepted after August 1 annually,

1 unless the commissioner determines that sufficient justification
2 exists for late-season pesticide treatment.

3 Subp. 5. **Regulations of other programs apply.** Aquatic
4 nuisance control permits issued as provided by this part may not
5 be construed to supersede the requirements of shoreland
6 conservation ordinances, floodplain management ordinances, lake
7 management plans and programs, wild and scenic river plans and
8 programs, or pertinent local ordinances and regulations.

9 6280.0300 PROHIBITED AQUATIC PLANT CONTROL ACTIVITIES FOR
10 AQUATIC NUISANCE PERMITS.

11 Aquatic nuisance permits will not be issued for the
12 following purposes:

13 A. placing plastic mats or plastic sheets or similar
14 materials on the bed of public waters to destroy or prevent the
15 growth of aquatic vegetation;

16 B. to improve the appearance of undeveloped
17 shoreline;

18 C. for esthetic purposes alone; and

19 D. for the control of aquatic vegetation in areas
20 posted or designated by the commissioner as scientific and
21 natural areas or for the protection of lotus (*Nelumbo lutea*) or
22 other kinds of aquatic plants and animals.

23 6280.0400 STANDARDS FOR ISSUING AQUATIC NUISANCE CONTROL PERMITS.

24 Subpart 1. **Standards for issuance of permits.** Aquatic
25 nuisance control permits may be issued to applicants requesting
26 control of:

27 A. snails that carry swimmer's itch, or leeches;

28 B. aquatic nuisance conditions at established public
29 swimming beaches;

30 C. dense growths of submerged vegetation or floating
31 bog that interfere with watercraft use or swimming;

32 D. excessive filamentous algae;

33 E. excessive algae blooms;

34 F. aquatic nuisance conditions created by floating
35 bogs; and

1 G. purple loosestrife (*lythrum salicaria*).

2 Subp. 2. **Justification required for issuance of permits.**

3 Permits for the destruction of emergent and floating-leaf
4 vegetation including wild rice, bulrush, water lilies, and other
5 vegetation will not be issued unless the commissioner determines
6 sufficient justification exists.

7 Subp. 3. **Mechanical control.** The provisions in items A to
8 C apply to conditions for mechanical control of aquatic
9 vegetation.

10 A. A person who cuts or pulls aquatic vegetation must
11 immediately and permanently remove the vegetation from the water
12 and dispose of it above the ordinary high water level of any
13 public water and not on marsh or bog areas.

14 B. Organized lake-wide cutting and removal programs
15 are restricted to a maximum area not to exceed 50 percent of the
16 total littoral area as determined by the commissioner. Devices
17 that sift debris and vegetation from shallow water areas may not
18 be used unless no other method of mechanical control, as
19 determined by the commissioner, is possible in that location.

20 C. Applications for lake-wide or bay-wide mechanical
21 control of aquatic macrophytes must include a written statement
22 of the plan and a map showing proposed areas to be controlled.
23 The commissioner may reduce the littoral area proposed for
24 harvest. An application for mechanical control of aquatic
25 macrophytes must include the name, address, and location on the
26 lake of all property owners whose shoreline will be controlled.

27 Subp. 4. **Pesticide control of aquatic vegetation in water**
28 **courses.** Permits may be issued for pesticide control of aquatic
29 vegetation in flowing waters, provided that nuisance vegetation
30 is present to such a degree that it impedes the flow of water
31 and that the flow rate will not carry the pesticide beyond the
32 treatment area during the period of water use restriction
33 specified on the pesticide label. The pesticide to be used must
34 have label registration for use in flowing water.

35 Subp. 5. **Chemical control of aquatic macrophytes.** Except
36 as otherwise specified in this part, items A to D apply to the

1 pesticide control of aquatic macrophytes.

2 A. On all lakes and watercourses outside or partially
3 outside a home rule charter or statutory city or a town, the
4 lesser of ten percent of the littoral area or 100 feet of
5 shoreline per site belonging to an individual riparian property
6 owner may be treated. On all lakes or watercourses entirely
7 within a home rule charter or statutory city or a town, the
8 lesser of 15 percent of the littoral area or 100 feet of
9 shoreline per site belonging to an individual riparian property
10 owner may be treated. These limitations do not apply in the
11 circumstances described in subitems (1) to (4).

12 (1) For resorts, apartments, condominium
13 complexes, public swimming beaches, and marinas, the
14 commissioner must make an individual determination, taking into
15 consideration the total impact on the protected water.

16 (2) Larger percentages of the littoral area may
17 be treated at the discretion of the commissioner when authorized
18 by previous aquatic nuisance control permits.

19 (3) For riparian property owners' associations,
20 watershed districts, lake-improvement districts, municipalities,
21 or similar entities, or for bay-wide vegetation control programs
22 on lakes that have distinct bays, only the percentage limitation
23 on littoral area applies. Treatment areas may be distributed
24 along the shore at the applicant's discretion, provided that
25 spawning areas and protected plants may not be treated.

26 (4) On storm water retention ponds, treatment may
27 occur on up to five acres or one-half the surface area of the
28 pond, whichever is less.

29 B. Applications from riparian property owners'
30 associations for large area or bay-wide treatment must include a
31 written statement of the plan and a map showing areas proposed
32 to be treated. The commissioner may reduce the amount of
33 littoral area which the applicant proposes to control. Any
34 application for treatment must include the names, addresses,
35 location on lake, and signatures of all property owners whose
36 shorelines will be treated. A notarized statement signed by an

1 officer of a sponsoring riparian property owners' association or
2 similar organization, listing all properties whose shoreline
3 will be treated, may be substituted for signatures.

4 C. Waterfowl feeding and resting areas established as
5 provided by Minnesota Statutes, sections 97A.095 and 97A.101,
6 and lakes designated as waterfowl feeding and resting areas,
7 natural environment lakes established pursuant to part
8 6120.3000, or wildlife management lakes may not be treated for
9 control of submerged vegetation.

10 D. Watercourses or portions of watercourses
11 classified as wild as defined under either the Minnesota or
12 federal Wild and Scenic Rivers Acts as provided by Minnesota
13 Statutes, section 103F.325, and Public Law Number 90-542, United
14 States Code, title 16, section 1271 et seq., as amended, may not
15 be treated.

16 Subp. 6. Control of algae. An application for proposed
17 lake-wide control of algae must be accompanied by evidence that
18 a majority of the riparian property owners are in favor of the
19 proposed treatment.

20 Subp. 7. Pesticide treatment of drinking water. The
21 commissioner may not issue a permit for pesticide treatment of
22 waters used by humans for drinking unless approval is obtained
23 from the Minnesota Department of Health.

24 6280.0500 AQUATIC NUISANCE CONTROL PERMIT FEES.

25 Subpart 1. Permit application fees. The provisions in
26 items A to C apply to aquatic nuisance control permit fees.

27 A. When application is made to control two or more
28 nuisance conditions, only the larger fee applies. A permit
29 application fee, in the form of a check or money order payable
30 to the State Treasurer, must accompany each permit application
31 when required by the following fee schedule:

32 (1) to control rooted vegetation by chemical
33 means: \$20 plus 40 cents per shoreline foot of the proposed
34 treatment area, up to a maximum of \$200;

35 (2) to control emergent vegetation, or to control

1 submerged or floating-leaf aquatic vegetation in an area larger
2 than 2,500 square feet, by mechanical control: \$20 for the
3 first acre or portion of an acre and \$2 for each additional acre
4 or portion to be controlled, up to a maximum of \$200;

5 (3) to gather or harvest aquatic plants or plant
6 parts other than wild rice, for sale purposes: no charge;

7 (4) to transplant aquatic plants or bog into
8 protected waters: no charge;

9 (5) to control chara, filamentous algae, snails
10 that carry swimmer's itch, or leeches, singly or in
11 combination: \$4 per 100 shoreline feet or portion proposed to
12 be treated, up to a maximum of \$200;

13 (6) to control algae by lake-wide application of
14 copper sulfate or other approved algicide: \$20 plus 40 cents
15 per acre to be treated, up to a maximum of \$200; and

16 (7) to control purple loosestrife (*lythrum*
17 *salicaria*) by chemical means: no charge.

18 B. If the fee does not accompany the application, the
19 applicant will be notified and no action will be taken on the
20 application until the fee is received.

21 C. The fee is not refundable, whether the application
22 is permitted, modified, denied, or withdrawn, unless the
23 commissioner determines that the activity does not require a
24 permit.

25 Subp. 2. Fees for inspection, supervision, and monitoring.
26 The provisions in items A to C apply to fees for the inspection,
27 supervision, and monitoring of aquatic nuisance control programs.

28 A. If field inspection, supervision, or monitoring is
29 required as a permit condition, the applicant or permittee will
30 be charged \$60, provided the commissioner has notified the
31 applicant of the potential fee and the applicant has chosen to
32 continue the application. There will be only one inspection fee
33 per application. Inspection fees are not refundable for any
34 reason.

35 B. Supervision by a department employee will be
36 required, unless waived, for initial lake-wide treatment of

1 excessive algae blooms by inexperienced permittees and may be
2 periodically required for treatments by experienced groups.

3 C. Field inspections will be made in cases of new
4 applications for pesticide treatment or mechanical control of
5 areas one acre or larger. Field inspection of other previously
6 permitted areas will also be required at intervals to evaluate
7 conditions and the need for continued control measures.

8 Subp. 3. **Fees for state and federal agencies.** The fees
9 set forth by this part will not be required of any state agency
10 as defined in Minnesota Statutes, section 15.01, or of any
11 federal agency.

12 6280.0600 APPROVAL OF PESTICIDES AND METHODS USED FOR AQUATIC
13 NUISANCE CONTROL.

14 Subpart 1. **Chemicals must be registered as aquatic**
15 **herbicides or algicides.** Only chemicals registered with the
16 United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) as aquatic
17 herbicides or algicides and registered with the Minnesota
18 Department of Agriculture, and approved for use in public waters
19 by the commissioner, may be used for chemical control of aquatic
20 vegetation or algae in public waters. Permits may be granted
21 for experimental use of unregistered chemicals and methods in a
22 bona fide experimental program under an experimental use permit
23 from the EPA, the Minnesota Department of Agriculture, and the
24 commissioner.

25 Subp. 2. **Instructions and precautions of pesticides must**
26 **be followed.** Pesticides must be applied according to the label
27 registration rates provided by the manufacturer and other
28 restrictions imposed by the department. Pesticide-treated areas
29 must be posted with signs provided by the department bearing the
30 permit number; the name of pesticide used; the date of
31 treatment; and dates on which water from the treated area may be
32 safely used for swimming, fishing, and other uses, as specified
33 on the product label or by the department. When differences in
34 instructions exist, the department recommendations must be
35 followed. The permittee or agent is responsible for the

1 placement and removal of required signs. The treatment area
2 must be posted in such a way that people entering from any
3 direction can see the signs, or as otherwise prescribed in the
4 permit.

5 6280.0700 COMMERCIAL APPLICATORS AND OPERATORS.

6 Subpart 1. **Pesticide applicators.** A person or firm may
7 not apply pesticides of any kind for hire for aquatic nuisance
8 control on protected waters unless a commercial pesticide
9 applicator's license has been obtained from the Minnesota
10 Department of Agriculture. A pesticide applicator's license
11 must be endorsed by the department before pesticides may be
12 applied under an aquatic nuisance control permit.

13 Subp. 2. **Nonchemical operators.** A person or firm may not
14 cut, pull, or remove aquatic vegetation by nonchemical methods
15 on public waters for hire without first obtaining an aquatic
16 operator's permit issued by the department. Issuance of an
17 aquatic operator's permit is contingent upon determination by
18 the commissioner that the applicant has adequate equipment and
19 knowledge to properly control aquatic vegetation in public
20 waters. This subpart does not apply to persons or firms using
21 power-operated earth-moving equipment in public waters under
22 terms of permits issued by the department for work in the bed of
23 public waters as provided by Minnesota Statutes, section
24 103G.245. Persons or firms that use aquatic vegetation cutting
25 and harvesting equipment must thoroughly remove and properly
26 dispose of all viable residual plants and viable plant parts
27 from the equipment before transporting it to another body of
28 water.

29 6280.0800 ANNUAL REPORTS AND TREATMENT NOTICES.

30 Subpart 1. **Annual report.** The holder of an aquatic
31 operator's permit, commercial pesticide applicator's license, or
32 aquatic nuisance control permit must, no later than November 15
33 of each year, report to the commissioner, on the forms provided,
34 information on aquatic nuisance control operations requested.
35 Failure to report will be grounds for refusing to issue such

1 permits in the future.

2 Subp. 2. **Treatment notice.** Holders of aquatic nuisance
3 control permits or their agents must give notice of the proposed
4 date of treatment to all persons specified on the permit. The
5 notification must be received prior to beginning any work under
6 the permit. Failure to give notice is grounds for revocation of
7 any existing permit or refusal to issue future permits.
8 Notification is not required for mechanical control of
9 vegetation where no permit is required.

10 6280.0900 REVOCATION.

11 The commissioner may revoke any aquatic operator's permit,
12 aquatic endorsement of a commercial pesticide applicator's
13 license, or aquatic nuisance control permit without prior notice
14 whenever it has been determined that it is necessary to protect
15 the interests of the public, to protect human life, or to
16 protect fish and wildlife, or for violation of the terms and
17 conditions of permits, this chapter, or other applicable laws or
18 rules.

19 6280.1000 VARIANCE.

20 Provisions of this chapter may be waived under special
21 circumstances when deemed necessary by the commissioner for the
22 protection and preservation of the natural resources of the
23 state.

24 6280.1100 APPEAL OF PERMIT DETERMINATION.

25 The terms, conditions, or denial of a permit application
26 may, within 30 days of receipt of written notice, be appealed to
27 the commissioner by filing a written request for review. If
28 written request for review is not submitted within 30 days, the
29 permit decision becomes final.

30 GINSENG

31 6282.0100 OPEN DATES FOR TAKING WILD GINSENG.

32 Wild ginseng (*Panax quinquefolium*) may be harvested, in
33 accordance with this chapter, statewide from September 1 to
34 December 31.

1 6282.0200 HARVEST LIMITS FOR WILD GINSENG.

2 Wild ginseng may be harvested during only the open season.
3 There is no limit on wild ginseng during the open season.

4 6282.0300 HARVESTING WILD GINSENG IN WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT AREAS
5 AND STATE PARKS.

6 Subpart 1. **Harvesting in wildlife management areas.** A
7 person may not harvest wild ginseng within any state-owned
8 wildlife management area without first obtaining a permit from a
9 state wildlife manager.

10 Subp. 2. **Harvesting in state parks.** A person may not
11 harvest wild ginseng within a state park or other area under the
12 administration of the Department of Natural Resources, Division
13 of Parks and Recreation.

14 6282.0400 REGULATIONS ON WILD GINSENG DEALERS.

15 Subpart 1. **Dealer's license required.** A person must
16 possess a wild ginseng dealer's license to purchase wild ginseng
17 from a harvester (digger); sell wild ginseng to an unlicensed
18 dealer or to a processor, broker, wholesaler, or retailer; or
19 carry, ship, or export wild ginseng out of the state.

20 Subp. 2. **Restrictions on issuing dealer's license.** A wild
21 ginseng dealer's license may be issued annually and only to
22 residents of Minnesota.

23 Subp. 3. **Dealers must keep records.** Licensed wild ginseng
24 dealers must keep complete, accurate, and up-to-date business
25 records on forms provided by the commissioner. Each purchase or
26 sale of any ginseng grown in Minnesota, whether wild or
27 artificially propagated, must be recorded in the record book
28 within 48 hours. Record books must be open to inspection by the
29 commissioner during all reasonable hours. Records must contain
30 the following information for each transaction:

31 A. names of all persons from whom wild ginseng was
32 purchased or to whom ginseng was sold;

33 B. date of each transaction;

34 C. quantity by weight of all ginseng purchased and

1 all ginseng sold; and

2 D. whether the ginseng purchased or sold is
3 artificially propagated or wild, and the quantity by weight of
4 each.

5 Subp. 4. **Reporting by dealers.** On or before March 15 of
6 each year, licensed wild ginseng dealers must submit, on a form
7 provided by the commissioner, a report of their transactions in
8 ginseng during the preceding license year. This report must
9 consist of a summary of the records kept as provided by this
10 part and must be in the format specified on the form.

11 Subp. 5. **Personal use of wild ginseng.** This part does not
12 apply to persons possessing, for personal use only, not more
13 than ten ounces of dried wild ginseng, except that such wild
14 ginseng may not be sold.

15 6282.0500 GENERAL PROVISIONS FOR HARVESTING WILD GINSENG.

16 Subpart 1. **Restriction on green roots.** A person may not
17 sell, purchase, or possess any green roots of wild ginseng,
18 except during the open season.

19 Subp. 2. **Restriction on exportation.** A dealer licensed
20 under part 6282.0400 may not carry, ship, or export out of the
21 state any ginseng grown in Minnesota, whether wild or
22 artificially propagated, without first presenting the ginseng to
23 a conservation officer who must inspect it and attach to each
24 container or package a label provided and signed by the officer
25 verifying the contents, and containing the following information:

26 A. dealer's name and license number;

27 B. date of inspection;

28 C. quantity by weight of ginseng contained in the
29 package; and

30 D. whether the ginseng contained is wild or
31 artificially propagated, and the quantity by weight of each.

32 Subp. 3. **Harvest restrictions on wild ginseng.** A person
33 may not harvest, dig, or disturb any wild ginseng plant unless
34 the plant has at least three prongs (leaves) with five leaflets
35 each.

1 Subp. 4. Removing and planting seeds. Immediately after
2 digging or removing any wild ginseng plant, the digger must
3 remove all of the seeds from the plant's berries and plant them
4 in the area where the plant was dug. Seeds must be planted by
5 removing surface litter, planting each seed at a depth of
6 one-half inch in the underlying soil, and replacing the surface
7 litter over the planting site.

8 WILD RICE

9 6284.0100 OPEN DATES FOR HARVESTING WILD RICE.

10 The opening date for the harvesting of wild rice is no
11 earlier than August 1 and no later than September 30. Except as
12 provided by this chapter, the opening date, days, and hours of
13 harvest are established by the wild rice director in writing not
14 less than 72 hours prior to the opening and will be announced by
15 issuance of a news release.

16 6284.0200 RESTRICTIONS ON DEPUTY WILD RICE DIRECTORS.

17 A deputy director of the wild rice harvest may not harvest
18 any wild rice on any waters for the purpose of testing the
19 ripeness of the rice, or for any other purpose, at any time
20 before the waters have been opened for harvesting.

21 6284.0300 METHODS OF HARVESTING WILD RICE.

22 In addition to the restrictions in Minnesota Statutes,
23 section 84.111, a boat, skiff, or canoe may not have any
24 extension or appliance built onto it or attached to it which
25 will increase its normal or ordinary height or its capacity to
26 carry wild rice. Flails used to harvest wild rice must be round
27 and smooth.

28 6284.0400 PERMIT REQUIRED ON FEDERALLY DESIGNATED AREAS.

29 A person must obtain the required federal permits before
30 harvesting wild rice in Voyageur's National Park, on the Tamarac
31 National Wildlife Refuge, or on the Sherburne National Wildlife
32 Refuge.

33 6284.0500 HARVESTING WILD RICE IN WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT AREAS.

1 All wildlife management areas are closed to the harvest of
2 wild rice, except for the following:

- 3 A. Mud-Goose, Cass county;
- 4 B. Kettle Lake, Carlton county;
- 5 C. Hubbel Pond, Becker county; and
- 6 D. Duck Lake, Crow Wing county.

7 6284.0600 HARVESTING WILD RICE IN WHITE EARTH, LEECH LAKE, BOIS
8 FORTE, GRAND PORTAGE, FOND DU LAC, AND MILLE LACS INDIAN
9 RESERVATIONS.

10 Subpart 1. **Allowable methods for harvesting.** The methods
11 for harvesting wild rice on public waters within the original
12 boundaries of the White Earth, Leech Lake, Bois Forte, Grand
13 Portage, Fond du Lac, and Mille Lacs Indian reservations are
14 subject to the provisions of this chapter, to the extent these
15 provisions are not inconsistent with this part.

16 Subp. 2. **Persons eligible to harvest.** Only the
17 commissioner, tribal members, and persons who are residents of
18 the reservation on which they are harvesting, may harvest or
19 gather wild rice within the boundaries of the reservation.

20 Subp. 3. **Wild rice management.** The harvest of all native
21 wild rice within a reservation is managed by the wild rice
22 committee of that reservation's business committee. Every
23 member of a wild rice committee is appointed a deputy director
24 of the wild rice harvest.

25 Subp. 4. **Open dates for harvesting in reservations.** The
26 opening date, days, and hours of harvest must be established by
27 the wild rice committees not less than 24 hours prior to the
28 designated opening and must be publicly announced by issuance of
29 a news release.

30 Subp. 5. **Alterations to open dates in reservations.** Once
31 opened, the wild rice committees may alter the days and the
32 hours of harvest on any of the waters by posting notice of the
33 change at the major entrances to the waters affected not less
34 than 12 hours prior to the time the alterations are to take
35 effect.

1 Subp. 6. **Harvesting license required in reservations.**

2 Persons, other than tribal members, harvesting wild rice within
3 a reservation must possess a license to harvest wild rice.

4 Subp. 7. **Dealer license required in reservations.** Every

5 non-Indian wild rice buyer purchasing wild rice on a reservation
6 must possess a wild rice dealer's license.

7 6284.0700 HARVESTING WILD RICE IN LEECH LAKE RESERVATION.

8 Subpart 1. **Allowable methods for harvesting.** In addition
9 to the following subparts, the methods for harvesting on public
10 waters within the original boundaries of the Leech Lake Indian
11 Reservation are subject to the provisions of this chapter to the
12 extent that these provisions are not inconsistent with this part.

13 Subp. 2. **Permit requirements in the reservation.** Persons
14 eligible to harvest wild rice in the reservation must adequately
15 identify themselves to the reservation business committee or its
16 agents and obtain a reservation permit to harvest wild rice.

17 The reservation business committee may charge a fee for
18 reservation permits. The fee for reservation permits sold to
19 nontribal members must be the same as that charged to tribal
20 members. The reservation permit must be carried upon the person
21 while engaged in harvesting and displayed to authorized state or
22 reservation conservation officers upon request.

23 Subp. 3. **Harvesting license required in reservation.**

24 Persons, other than tribal members, harvesting wild rice on the
25 reservation must possess a license to harvest wild rice in
26 addition to the reservation permit.

27 Subp. 4. **Dealer license required in reservation.**

28 Non-Indian wild rice buyers buying wild rice within the
29 reservation must possess a buyer's permit from the reservation
30 business committee in addition to a state wild rice dealer's
31 license.