

1 Department of Natural Resources

2 Adopted Permanent Rules Relating to Fishing

3 6254.0600 REQUIREMENTS TO HOLD AND MOVE MORE THAN 24 DOZEN
4 MINNOWS.

5 [For text of subs 1 to 4, see M.R.]

6 Subp. 5. Required reporting. Minnow dealers and exporting
7 minnow dealers must report, on forms provided by the
8 commissioner, for the previous calendar year. Reports must be
9 submitted to the address identified on the form so that they are
10 received prior to February 15 of each year. A minnow dealer's
11 license or exporting minnow dealer's license may not be renewed
12 until the yearly report has been received.

13 [For text of subp 6, see M.R.]

14 6256.0050 DEFINITION OF FROGS.

15 "Frogs" means the following species:

- 16 A. northern cricket frog (*Acris crepitans*);
17 B. Cope's gray tree frog (*Hyla chrysoscelis*);
18 C. gray tree frog (*Hyla versicolor*);
19 D. spring peeper (*Pseudacris crucifer*);
20 E. chorus frog (*Pseudacris triseriata*);
21 F. bull frog (*Rana catesbeiana*);
22 G. green frog (*Rana clamitans*);
23 H. pickerel frog (*Rana palustris*);
24 I. northern leopard frog (*Rana pipiens*);
25 J. mink frog (*Rana septentrionalis*);
26 K. wood frog (*Rana sylvatica*);

- 1 L. American toad (*Bufo americanus*);
2 M. great plains toad (*Bufo cognatus*);
3 N. Canadian toad (*Bufo hemiophrys*);
4 O. plains leopard frog (*Rana blain*);
5 P. southern leopard frog (*Rana utricularia*);
6 Q. pig frog (*Rana grylio*); and
7 R. river frog (*Rana becksheri*).

8 6256.0200 SIZE LIMITS FOR LEOPARD FROGS AND BULL FROGS.

9 Northern leopard frogs (*Rana pipiens*) and bull frogs (*Rana*
10 *catesbeiana*) must be more than six inches long when taken or
11 possessed for purposes other than bait.

12 6256.0500 COMMERCIAL TAKING OF TURTLES.

13 [For text of subps 1 to 6, see M.R.]

14 Subp. 7. **Required reporting by turtle seller.** A holder of
15 a turtle seller's license must submit reports for the previous
16 calendar year, on forms provided by the commissioner, so that
17 they are received at the address identified on the form at the
18 time of license renewal or March 1, whichever comes first. The
19 forms must record the numbers and pounds of turtles taken,
20 species of turtles taken, and other information as specified.

21 [For text of subp 8, see M.R.]

22 6258.0100 SEASON FOR HARVESTING MUSSEL SHELLS FOR PERSONAL USE.

23 Live mussels may not be harvested for personal use. During
24 the open season, a person possessing a valid resident or
25 nonresident angling license or a person exempt from licensing
26 may take and possess at any time, for personal use only, not

1 more than 24 whole shells or 48 shell halves of dead freshwater
2 mussels. Mussel shells may be harvested in waters of the state
3 where fish may be taken by angling. Mussel shells must be
4 harvested by hand picking only and may not be purchased or sold.

5 6258.0300 COMMERCIAL PERMITS FOR MUSSELS.

6 Subpart 1. **Commercial permit required.** A person may not
7 take, possess, buy, sell, or transport live freshwater mussels
8 or more than 24 whole shells or 48 shell halves of dead
9 freshwater mussels, or assist another person in such taking,
10 without first obtaining a commercial mussel permit from the
11 commissioner.

12 [For text of subps 2 to 4, see M.R.]

13 6258.0400 SPECIES FOR COMMERCIAL HARVEST.

14 Only three ridge (*Amblema plicata*) mussels may be harvested
15 under a commercial mussel permit. Additional species may be
16 requested for harvest from specific sites by special permit.
17 Three ridge mussels may lawfully be harvested, as live whole
18 mussels or shell halves, provided that they cannot pass through
19 a three-inch diameter hole.

20 6258.0800 PERMITTEE REPORTS, RECORDS, AND INSPECTIONS.

21 [For text of subpart 1, see M.R.]

22 Subp. 2. **Required reports.** A permittee must submit
23 reports monthly while the permit is valid on forms provided by
24 the commissioner. Reports for the previous month must be
25 submitted by the permittee to the address identified on the form
26 so that they are received by the department by the 15th of each

1 month even if no harvest activity took place. All information
2 requested on the report must be provided. Failure to submit
3 required reports may result in revocation of the existing permit
4 and may render the permittee ineligible for permits for one year.

5 [For text of subp 3, see M.R.]

6 6260.0300 COMMERCIAL FISHING PERMIT ISSUANCE.

7 [For text of subps 1 and 2, see M.R.]

8 Subp. 3. **Class B permits.** Class B permits may be issued
9 for:

10 A. permanently or temporarily installed traps in
11 waters of the state with fish migrations;

12 B. the use of seines, hoop nets, and fyke nets by
13 persons other than licensed inland commercial operators;

14 C. licensed inland commercial operators to fish
15 waters other than the core waters of their assigned area;

16 D. licensed inland commercial operators to fish
17 unassigned waters; or

18 E. licensed inland commercial operators to crib fish
19 in waters other than where taken.

20 [For text of subp 4, see M.R.]

21 6260.1700 COMMERCIAL FISHING ON LAKE OF THE WOODS.

22 [For text of subps 1 to 6, see M.R.]

23 Subp. 7. **Required reporting.** Commercial operators
24 licensed to fish Lake of the Woods must submit monthly reports
25 on forms provided by the commissioner for each month that
26 commercial fishing activity takes place. The reports must be

1 sent to the address identified on the form so that they are
2 received by the tenth day of the month following the month that
3 the activity took place.

4 [For text of subps 8 to 11, see M.R.]

5 6260.1800 COMMERCIAL FISHING ON LAKE SUPERIOR.

6 [For text of subps 1 to 6, see M.R.]

7 Subp. 7. **Required reporting.** Commercial fishing operators
8 must submit a record of their commercial fishing operations for
9 each month of the calendar year on forms provided by the
10 commissioner. These reports must be submitted to the address
11 identified on the form so that they are received within ten days
12 after the end of the month for which the report is made.
13 Reports must be made regardless of whether fish are taken and
14 regardless of whether any fishing operations have taken place.
15 Separate records must be kept for each pound or trap net used in
16 Lake Superior and St. Louis Bay. Reports for pound or trap nets
17 must include the number of game fish kept and released, and must
18 be submitted to the Lake Superior Office by the tenth day of
19 each month for the preceding month, whether or not pound or trap
20 nets were fished.

21 6260.2400 DESCRIPTION OF INLAND COMMERCIAL FISHING AREAS.

22 [For text of subps 1 to 27, see M.R.]

23 Subp. 28. **Inland Commercial Fishing Area No. 28.** Inland
24 Commercial Fishing Area No. 28 consists of all of Cook county.

25	Core Waters	Id. No.	Twp.	Rge.	Sec.
26	Pine Lake				
27	Cook Co.	16-41	65	1-3E	Various
28	Greenwood Lake				

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1	Cook Co.	16-77	64	2E	21-28, 34
2	Flour Lake				
3	Cook Co.	16-147	64	1W; 1E	1, 2, 11, 12;
4					5, 6
5	Poplar Lake				
6	Cook Co.	16-239	64	1W; 2W	6, 7, 8; 1,
7					2, 11, 12
8	Seagull Lake				
9	Cook Co.	16-629	65, 66	4, 5W	5-7; 31, 32;
10					9-16
11	Saganaga Lake				
12	Cook Co.	16-633	65, 66	4, 5W	Various

[For text of subps 29 to 32, see M.R.]

15 Subp. 33. Inland Commercial Fishing Area No. 33. Inland
16 Commercial Fishing Area No. 33 consists of all of Todd,
17 Morrison, Benton, and Stearns counties except that part of
18 Stearns county bounded by a line starting at the junction of
19 Stearns County Highway No. 2 and the Meeker County line, near
20 the community of Watkins; thence north on Stearns County Highway
21 No. 2 to State Highway No. 23, near the community of Cold
22 Spring; thence west on State Highway No. 23 to the junction of
23 State Highway No. 55; thence west on State Highway No. 55 to the
24 eastern Kandiyohi County line, plus that part of Wadena county
25 lying south of Wadena County Highway No. 9.

26	Core Waters	Id. No.	Twp.	Rge.	Sec.
27	Little Rock				
28	Benton Co.	5-13	37, 38	31	2, 3, 10, 11,
29					14; 34, 35
30	Two Rivers Lake				
31	Stearns Co.	73-138	125, 126	30, 31	6; 19, 30,
32					31, 36
33	Big Swan Lake				
34	Todd Co.	77-23	128	32	7, 18-20, 29, 30
35	Big Birch Lake				
36	Todd and				
37	Stearns	77-84	126, 127	32, 33	Various
38	Counties				

[For text of subp 34, see M.R.]

1 6262.0200 FISHING REGULATIONS FOR INLAND WATERS.

2 Subpart 1. General inland fishing regulations. Fish may
3 be taken in inland waters by angling during the time specified
4 for each of the following species, however, certain waters of
5 the state are subject to experimental regulations, special
6 regulations, or are closed for the taking and possession of fish:

7 Species and Open Season Daily and Possession
8 Limits
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10 [For text of item A, see M.R.]

11 B. Brown trout.

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13 (1) All streams and rivers from Lake Superior upstream to the posted boundaries, including the St. Louis River upstream to the Minnesota-Wisconsin boundary cable, and Lake Superior tributaries with no posted boundaries. 5 in aggregate with rainbow and brook trout and splake, except the aggregate limit on Carlton county streams is 10 with no more than 5 brown trout. Not more than 1 may be over 16 inches in length and minimum size limit is 10 inches in length.
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22 Open continuously.

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25 Only a single hook may be used for angling, except in the Pigeon River, Cook county, and the St. Louis River, St. Louis and Carlton counties.

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31 (2) In all streams of the Lake Superior watershed in St. Louis, Lake, Carlton, and Cook counties above the posted boundaries and their tributaries, except the St. Louis River and its tributaries upstream of the Fond du Lac Dam. 10 in aggregate with rainbow and brook trout and splake. No more than 1 may be over 16 inches in length. No more than 5 may be brown trout.
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41 Saturday nearest April 15 through September 30.

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44 (3) In all streams in Houston, Fillmore, Mower, Dodge, Olmsted, Winona, Wabasha, and Goodhue counties. 5 in aggregate with rainbow and brook trout and splake. No more than 1 may be over 16
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harvest of trout is
allowed from April
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including the Saturday
nearest April 15 and
from September 15
through September 30.
During these time
periods, all trout
must be immediately
returned to the water
and all hooks must
be barbless.

(4) In all other streams.

Saturday nearest April 15
through September 30.

5 in aggregate with
rainbow and brook
trout and splake.
No more than 1 may
be over 16 inches
in length.

(5) In lakes only:

5 in aggregate with
rainbow and brook
trout and splake.
No more than 3 may
be over 16 inches
in length.

Statewide.
Saturday two weeks prior to
Saturday of Memorial Day
weekend through October 31.

All lakes entirely within the
Boundary Waters Canoe Area
Wilderness except Ram Lake.
Saturday nearest January 1
through March 31.

All lakes entirely or partly
outside the Boundary Waters Canoe
Area Wilderness and exceptions.
Saturday nearest January 15
through March 15.

Lakes lying partly outside the
Boundary Waters Canoe Area
Wilderness and exceptions
include Ram, Meditation, and
Lizz Lakes.

Lakes in Aitkin, Becker,
Beltrami, Cass, Crow Wing,

1 and Hubbard counties.
2 Closed for the winter season.

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4 C. Brook trout and splake.

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6 (1) All streams and rivers from Lake Superior upstream to the posted boundaries, including the St. Louis River upstream to the Minnesota-Wisconsin boundary cable, and Lake Superior tributaries with no posted boundaries, except for Lake Superior tributaries in Carlton county. 5 in aggregate with brown and rainbow trout. The aggregate limit for brook trout and splake is 1 and the minimum size limit is 20 inches in length.

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17 Saturday nearest April 15 through Labor Day.

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20 Only a single hook may be used for angling, except in the Pigeon River, Cook county, and the St. Louis River, St. Louis and Carlton counties.

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27 (2) In all streams of the Lake Superior watershed in St. Louis, Lake, and Cook counties above the posted boundaries and their tributaries; and the entire length of Carlton county streams, except the St. Louis River and its tributaries upstream of the Fond du Lac Dam. 10 in aggregate with brown and rainbow trout. No more than 1 may be over 16 inches in length.

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39 Saturday nearest April 15 through September 30.

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42 (3) On that portion of the Knife River and its tributaries lying upstream of Lake County Road 9. 10 in aggregate with brown and rainbow trout. No more than 1 may be over 16 inches in length.

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46 May 15 through September 30.

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48 This subitem expires on February 28, 1999.

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51 (4) In all streams in Houston, Fillmore, Mower, Dodge, Olmsted, Winona, Wabasha, and Goodhue counties. 5 in aggregate with rainbow and brown trout and splake. No more

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the Saturday nearest
April 15 and from
September 15 through
September 30. During
these time periods, all
trout must be
immediately returned
to the water
and all hooks must
be barbless.

(5) In all other streams.
Saturday nearest April 15
through September 30.

5 in aggregate
with brown and rainbow
trout. No more
than 1 may be
over 16 inches
in length.

(6) In lakes only:

5 in aggregate with
brown and rainbow
trout. No more than 3
may be over 16 inches
in length.

Statewide.
Saturday two weeks prior to
Saturday of Memorial Day
weekend through October 31.

All lakes entirely within the
Boundary Waters Canoe Area
Wilderness except Ram Lake.
Saturday nearest January 1
through March 31.

All lakes entirely or partly
outside the Boundary Waters Canoe
Area Wilderness and exceptions.
Saturday nearest January 15
through March 15.

Lakes lying partly outside
the Boundary Waters Canoe
Area Wilderness and exceptions
include Ram, Meditation,
and Lizz Lakes.

Lakes in Aitkin, Becker,

1 Beltrami, Cass, Crow Wing,
2 and Hubbard counties.
3 Closed for the winter season.

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5 D. Rainbow trout, including
6 steelhead.

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8 (1) All streams and rivers from
9 Lake Superior upstream to the
10 posted boundaries, including
11 the St. Louis River upstream
12 to the Minnesota-Wisconsin
13 boundary cable, and Lake
14 Superior tributaries with
15 no posted boundaries.

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18 Open continuously.

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20 Only a single hook may be
21 used for angling, except
22 in the Pigeon River,
23 Cook county, and the
24 St. Louis River, St. Louis
25 and Carlton counties.

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31 (2) In all streams of the Lake
32 Superior watershed in St.
33 Louis, Lake, Carlton, and
34 Cook counties above the
35 posted boundaries and their
36 tributaries.

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43 Saturday nearest April 15
44 through September 30.

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46 (3) In all streams in
47 Houston, Fillmore, Mower,
48 Dodge, Olmsted,
49 Winona, Wabasha, and
50 Goodhue counties.

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52 April 1 through
53 September 30.

3 clipped rainbow
trout. The minimum
size limit for
clipped rainbow trout
is 16 inches in length.
Clipped rainbow trout
have their adipose fin
removed and must show
a healed scar. No
harvest of unclipped
rainbow trout is
allowed. All unclipped
rainbow trout must be
returned to the water
immediately and it is
unlawful for anyone to
have in possession,
regardless of where
taken, any unclipped
rainbow trout while on
or fishing in the
listed waters.

No harvest of rainbow
trout is allowed. All
rainbow trout must be
returned to the water
immediately and it is
unlawful for anyone to
have in possession,
regardless of where
taken, any rainbow
trout while on or
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(4) In all other streams.
Saturday nearest April 15 through September 30.

5 in aggregate with brook and brown trout and splake. No more than 1 may be over 16 inches in length.

(5) In lakes only

5 in aggregate with brook and brown trout and splake. No more than 3 may be over 16 inches in length.

Statewide.
Saturday two weeks prior to Saturday of Memorial Day weekend through October 31.

All lakes entirely within the Boundary Waters Canoe Area Wilderness except Ram Lake.
Saturday nearest January 1 through March 31.

All lakes entirely or partly outside the Boundary Waters Canoe Area Wilderness and exceptions.
Saturday nearest January 15 through March 15.

Lakes lying partly outside the Boundary Waters Canoe Area Wilderness and exceptions include Ram, Meditation, and Lizz Lakes.

Lakes in Aitkin, Becker,

1 Beltrami, Cass, Crow Wing,
2 and Hubbard counties.
3 Closed for the winter season.

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5 E. Lake trout. 3
6 Statewide.
7 Saturday two weeks prior to
8 Saturday of Memorial Day weekend
9 through September 30.

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11 All lakes entirely within
12 the Boundary Waters Canoe Area
13 Wilderness except Saganaga and
14 Ram Lakes.
15 Saturday nearest January 1
16 through March 31.

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18 All lakes lying entirely or
19 partly outside the Boundary
20 Waters Canoe Area Wilderness
21 and exceptions.
22 Saturday nearest January 15
23 through March 15.

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25 Lakes partly outside the
26 Boundary Waters Canoe Area
27 Wilderness and exceptions include
28 Snowbank, Magnetic, Ram, Seagull,
29 Clearwater, East Bearskin,
30 and Saganaga.

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32 All streams and rivers from Lake
33 Superior upstream to the posted
34 boundaries, including the St.
35 Louis River upstream to the
36 Minnesota-Wisconsin boundary
37 cable and Lake Superior
38 tributaries with no posted
39 boundaries.
40 December 1 through September 30.

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42 [For text of items F to R, see M.R.]

43 [For text of subp 2, see M.R.]

44 ~~Subp. 3. Fishing regulations for Pool 3 of the Mississippi~~
45 ~~River. On Pool 3 of the Mississippi River, from the confluence~~
46 ~~with the St. Croix River at Prescott, Wisconsin, upstream to the~~
47 ~~dam at Hastings, Minnesota, the open seasons, daily and~~
48 ~~possession limits, size limits, and other fishing regulations~~

1 ~~are-the-same-as-fishing-regulations-for-the-boundary-water~~
2 ~~portion-of-Pool-3-as-provided-by-part-6266-05007-subparts-37-47~~
3 ~~77-87-and-97~~

4 6262.0300 FISHING REGULATIONS FOR LAKE SUPERIOR.

5 [For text of subps 1 to 5, see M.R.]

6 Subp. 6. Lake Superior open season, daily and possession
7 limits. Angling season and daily and possession limits for Lake
8 Superior are as follows:

9	Species	Open Season	Daily and Possession
10			Limits

11 [For text of items A and B, see M.R.]

12	C. Brown trout	Continuous	5 in aggregate
13			with rainbow and
14			brook trout and
15			splake. Not more
16			than 1 may be over
17			16 inches
18			and the minimum
19			size limit is 10
20			inches in length.

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22 [For text of items D to H, see M.R.]

23 6262.0500 WATERS CLOSED TO TAKING FISH.

24 Subpart 1. Waters permanently closed to taking fish. The
25 following waters or designated portions are closed to the taking
26 of all fish at all times, except by permit according to part
27 6260.0300, subpart 1, and Minnesota Statutes, section 97C.041:

28 [For text of items A to U, see M.R.]

29 V. Lake and St. Louis counties: Knife River, between
30 the cables upstream of the Knife River fish trap in S.36, T.52,
31 R.12, and downstream of the Knife River fish trap in S.31, T.52,
32 R.11.

1 Subp. 2. Waters seasonally closed to taking fish. The
2 following waters in the portions designated are closed to the
3 taking of all fish during the periods specified:

4 [For text of items A to F, see M.R.]

5 G. Lake county: Knife River and tributaries, S.4,5,
6 T.52, R.11, upstream of Lake County Road 9 are closed from
7 October 1 through May 14.

8 Subp. 2a. Waters closed to possession of fish. The
9 following waters have restrictions on the possession of fish:

10 [For text of items A and B, see M.R.]

11 C. Ida Lake in Blue Earth county, T.105, R.28, S.1,
12 12, and Loon Lake in Waseca county, T.107, R.22, S.7, 18, are
13 closed to the possession of largemouth bass and northern pike
14 until March 1, 2000.

15 D. The Otter Tail River from the Wilkin County Road
16 19 crossing in S.26, T.132, R.45 to the Friberg Dam in S.31,
17 T.134, R.42, including the Orwell, Dayton Hollow, Pisgah,
18 Central, and Diversion impoundments, S.25, 26, 35, 36, T.132,
19 R.45, in Wilkin county and S. Various, T.132-134, R.42-44, in
20 Otter Tail county, is closed to the possession of smallmouth
21 bass until March 1, 2008.

22 Anglers must immediately return to the water the fish
23 species noted for each water. It shall be unlawful for anyone
24 to have in possession or under control, regardless of where
25 taken, fish species noted for each water while on or fishing on
26 these waters. Possession includes personal possession and
27 possession in a vehicle.

1 6262.0600 SEASONS AND METHODS FOR TAKING ROUGH FISH.

2 Rough fish may be taken in accordance with Minnesota
3 Statutes, sections 97C.345, 97C.371, and 97C.375. Rough fish
4 may be taken by the following methods from May 1 through the
5 third Sunday in February between sunrise and sunset in all
6 inland waters, except where the taking of fish is otherwise
7 prohibited by law or rule. Nonresidents may not spear from a
8 fish house or darkhouse.

9 A. Rough fish may be taken by harpooning with a
10 rubber powered gun, spring gun, or compressed air gun.
11 Harpooning equipment may not be used within 1,000 feet of an
12 established swimming beach. Harpooning equipment may be
13 discharged only when both the equipment and operator are
14 entirely beneath the surface of the water and may not be carried
15 in a cocked position while out of the water.

16 B. Rough fish may be taken by archery provided that
17 the arrows used are tethered or controlled by an attached line.
18 The use of crossbows is prohibited.

19 C. Rough fish may be taken by means of hand-held dip
20 nets having a diameter not exceeding 24 inches.

21 D. Rough fish may be taken by hand-held spears in
22 open water or through the ice.

23 6262.0650 DAILY AND POSSESSION LIMIT OF ROUGH FISH TAKEN BY
24 SPEARING, HARPOONING, ARCHERY, AND DIP NETS.

25 Daily and possession limits of rough fish taken by
26 spearing, harpooning, archery, and dip nets are:

- 1 A. suckers, 50;
- 2 B. redhorse, 50;
- 3 C. bullheads, 100; and
- 4 D. other species, no limit.

5 6262.0800 OPEN SEASONS FOR TAKING WHITEFISH AND CISCOES.

6 [For text of subpart 1, see M.R.]

7 Subp. 2. Schedule I. All bodies of water listed in this
8 schedule may be opened and closed on a 48-hour notice posted at
9 lake accesses and other public places based on a determination
10 of the following:

- 11 A. the abundance of game fish;
- 12 B. climatic conditions that affect the vulnerability
13 of game fish to accidental harvest; and
- 14 C. the abundance of whitefish or ciscoes.

15 For Upper Red Lake only, it is permissible to set portions
16 of gill nets in water deeper than six feet, provided that one
17 end of the gill net is set in water no deeper than six feet,
18 measured from the lake bottom to the top surface of the water or
19 ice.

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21		mesh	mesh
22		size	size
23		3-1/2	1-3/4
24		inches	inches
25	County	allowed	allowed
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27	Balsam, Big, T.58, 59, R.24,	Itasca	
28	S.5 + Various		X
29	Basswood, T.64, 65, R.9,	Lake	
30	10, 11, S. Var.		X
31	Bear Island, T.61, R.13,	St. Louis	
32	S. Var.		X
33	Deer, T.56, R.26, 27; T.57,	Itasca	
34	R.26, 27, S. Var.		X

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1	Ely, T.57, 58, R.17,			
2	S. Var.	St. Louis		X
3	Fall, T.63, R.11, 12,	Lake		
4	S. Var.; T.64, R.11,			
5	S. Var.	St. Louis		X
6	Flour, T.64, R.1E, 1W	Cook		X
7	Green, T.120, R.33, 34;	Kandiyohi		
8	T.121, R.33, 34		X	
9	Ida, T.129, 130, R.38	Douglas	X	
10	Mille Lacs	Aitkin		
11		Crow Wing		
12		Mille Lacs	X	
13	Nashwauk, T.57, R.23, 24,	Itasca		
14	S.7 + Var.			X
15	Newton, T.63, 64, R.11,	Lake		
16	S. Var.		X	
17	Ojibway, T.63, R.9, 10,	Lake		
18	S. Var.			X
19	Poplar, T.64, R.1W, 2W	Cook	X	
20	Rachel, T.127, R.39	Douglas		X
21	Red, Upper, T.153, R.31-	Beltrami		
22	34; T.154, R.31-			
23	34; T.155, R.30-			
24	32; outside Red			
25	Lake Indian			
26	Reservation		X	
27	Reilley (O'Reilly), T.56,	Itasca		
28	R.24, S.5, 6			X
29	Shagawa, T.63, R.12, S. Var.	St. Louis	X	
30	Straight, T.140, R.36,	Becker		
31	S.6 + Var.		X	
32	Turtle, Big, T.59, R.26, 27;	Itasca		
33	T.60, R.26, 27		X	
34	Vermillion, T.61, R.16; T.62,	St. Louis		
35	R.14, 15, 16, 17;			
36	T.63, R.15, 16, 17,			
37	18 - all except			
38	Pike Bay, south and			
39	west of a north-			
40	south line at			
41	narrowest portion			
42	between Echo Point			
43	and Punchers Point,			
44	T.62, R.15, S.19 +			
45	Var.		X	

46 Subp. 3. Schedule II. All bodies of water listed in this
47 schedule are open during the dates indicated by one of the
48 following symbols:

49 A = Second Friday of October through the first Sunday of
50 December;

1 B = First Friday of November through the second Sunday of
2 December; or

3 C = Second Friday of November through the second Sunday of
4 December.

		Minimum mesh size 3-1/2 inches allowed	Minimum mesh size 1-3/4 inches allowed	Open dates
5				
6				
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9				
10	County			
11				
12	Ball Club, T.144, R.25, 26;			
13	T.145, R.26	X		B
14	Bass, T.137, R.28	X		B
15	Bass, north basin and Snyder			
16	Bay to the narrows, T.56,			
17	R.26	X		B
18	Bass, Big, T.140, R.26,			
19	S.27 + Various		X	B
20	Beltrami, T.148, R.32, 33	X		B
21	Bemidji, Little, T.142,			
22	R.39, S.23 + Var.	X		B
23	Benedict, T.142, R.32	X		B
24	Black Bear, T.46, R.29, 30;			
25	T.47, R.29, 30		X	B
26	Blackduck, T.149, R.31	X		B
27	Blackwater, T.140, R.29,			
28	S.25 + Var.	X		B
29	Bowstring, T.146, R.25, 26;			
30	T.147, R.25, 26	X		B
31	Bowstring, Little, T.58,			
32	R.27, S.23 + Var.	X		B
33	Boy, T.142, R.27, 28	X		B
34	Buffalo, T.140, R.40, 41;			
35	T.141, R.40	X		C
36	Burgen, T.127, 128, R.37	X		B
37	Buzzle, Big, T.148, R.35		X	B
38	Caribou, T.65, R.1E	X		A
39	Carr, T.146, R.33	X		B
40	Cass, T.145, 146, R.30, 31			
41		X		B
42	Clear, T.137, R.28		X	B
43	Clearwater, T.149, R.35, 36			
44		X		B
45	Cotton, T.139, 140, R.40	X		B
46	Crane, T.67, R.16, 17		X	A
47	Crooked, T.144, R.31	X		B
48	Crooked, T.45, R.28, S.16			
49	+ Var.	X		B
50	Crow Wing, Fifth and Sixth			

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1	Lakes (channel between),				
2	T.140, R.33, S.20		X		B
3	Crow Wing, Seventh and	Hubbard			
4	Eighth Lakes (channel				
5	between), T.140, R.33,				
6	S.12 + Var.		X		B
7	Crow Wing, Ninth, T.140,	Hubbard			
8	141, R.32		X		B
9	Crystal, T.136, R.42	Otter Tail	X		C
10	Curfman, T.138, R.41	Becker	X		B
11	Cut Foot Sioux, T.146, 147,	Itasca			
12	R.27		X		B
13	Deer, T.148, R.34	Beltrami	X		B
14	Deer, T.64, R.1E, S.4 + Var.;	Cook			
15	T.65, R.1E, S.32 + Var.			X	A
16	Deer, T.62, R.24, S. Var.	Itasca	X		B
17	Detroit, T.138, 139, R.41	Becker	X		B
18	Eagle, T.45, R.29	Crow Wing		X	B
19	Elbow, Big, T.142, R.38, 39	Becker	X		C
20	Eunice, T.138, R.42, S.26	Becker			
21	+ Var.		X		B
22	Fish, T.137, R.42	Otter Tail	X		C
23	Fish Hook, T.140, R.34, 35	Hubbard	X		B
24	Floyd, Big, T.139, R.41	Becker	X		B
25	Fox, East, T.138, R.27	Crow Wing	X		B
26	Fox, West, T.138, R.27	Crow Wing	X		B
27	Franklin, T.136, 137, R.42	Otter Tail	X		C
28	Gilstad, T.148, 149, R.30	Beltrami	X		B
29	Graham, T.137, 138, R.40	Becker			
30		Otter Tail	X		B
31	Grant, T.146, 147, R.34	Beltrami		X	B
32	Graves, T.58, R.26	Itasca	X		B
33	Gull, T.134, R.29, 30;	Cass			
34	T.135, R.29	Crow Wing	X		B
35	Gull, Upper, T.135, R.29	Cass	X		B
36	Hanging Horn, Big, T.46, R.19	Carlton		X	B
37	Howard, T.141, R.31	Cass		X	B
38	Ice Cracking, T.141, R.38, 39	Becker	X		C
39	Isabella, T.61, R.8; T.62,	Lake			
40	R.7, 8		X		A
41	Island, T.141, R.35	Hubbard	X		B
42	Island, T.150, R.28	Itasca	X		B
43	Jack, T.141, 142, R.30	Cass		X	B
44	Jessie, T.147, 148, R.25	Itasca	X		B
45	Jessie, Little, T.147, R.25	Itasca		X	B
46	Jewett, T.134, R.43	Otter Tail	X		C
47	Kabekona, T.142, R.32;	Hubbard			
48	T.143, R.32, 33		X		B
49	Kabetogama, T.69, 70,	Koochiching			
50	R.19-22	St. Louis		X	A
51	Kimble, T.137, R.28	Crow Wing		X	B
52	Kitchie, T.146, 147, R.30	Beltrami	X		B
53	Lake of the Woods	Lake of the			
54		Woods			

1		Roseau	X		A
2	Latoka, T.128, R.38	Douglas	X		B
3	Leaf, East, T.134, R.37, 38	Otter Tail	X		C
4	Leaf, Middle, T.134, R.38	Otter Tail	X		C
5	Leaf, West, T.134, R.38	Otter Tail	X		C
6	Leavitt, T.139, R.25, 26	Cass	X		B
7	Leech, including Kabekona	Cass			
8	Bay and all other bays,	Hubbard			
9	T.141, R.29, 31; T.142,				
10	R.28, 29, 30, 31, 32;				
11	T.143, R.28, 29, 30, 31;				
12	T.144, R.28, 29, 30		X		A
13	Lida, T.135, 136, R.42	Otter Tail	X		C
14	Lizzie, T.136, 137, R.42	Otter Tail	X		C
15	Long, T.138, 139, R.41	Becker	X		B
16	Long, T.139, 140, R.34	Hubbard	X		B
17	Long, T.134, R.42, 43	Otter Tail	X		C
18	Long, Lower South, T.44,	Crow Wing			
19	R.29, 30		X		B
20	Long, North, T.134, R.28,	Crow Wing			
21	29; T.135, R.28			X	B
22	McCraney, T.143, R.40, S.25	Mahnomen			
23	+ Var.		X		B
24	Many Point, T.141,	Becker			
25	R.38; T.142, R.38, 39		X		B
26	Maple, T.60, R.27	Itasca	X		B
27	Margaret (Kilpatrick),				
28	T.135, R.29	Cass	X		B
29	Marquette, T.146, R.33	Beltrami	X		B
30	Maud, T.138, R.42	Becker	X		B
31	Melissa, T.138, R.41	Becker	X		B
32	Mitchell, T.138, R.27	Crow Wing	X		B
33	Moore, T.142, R.38, S.5;	Becker			
34	T.143, R.38, S.32	Clearwater	X		B
35	Movil, T.147, 148, R.33	Beltrami	X		B
36	Murphy, T.137, R.39, S.6;	Becker			
37	T.138, R.39, S.31	Otter Tail	X		B
38	Namakan, T.68, R.17, 18;	St. Louis			
39	T.69, R.17, 18, 19,				
40	except the narrows				
41	between Namakan and				
42	Sand Point Lakes			X	A
43	Net (Burnett), T.142, R.40,	Becker			
44	S.17 + Var.		X		B
45	Nisswa, T.135, R.29	Crow Wing	X		B
46	Oak (Mud), T.143, R.32, S.27	Hubbard	X		B
47	Osakis, T.128, R.35, 36;	Douglas			
48	T.129, R.35	Todd	X		B
49	Ossawinamakee (Long), T.136,	Crow Wing			
50	137, R.28		X		B
51	Pelican, T.135, R.27, 28;	Crow Wing			
52	T.136, R.27, 28		X		B
53	Pelican, Big, T.137, R.42, 43	Otter Tail	X		C
54	Pike, T.142, R.38	Becker	X		B

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1	Pike, East, T.65, R.2E, 3E	Cook		X	A
2	Pike Bay, T.145, R.30, 31	Cass	X		B
3	Pillager, T.133, 134, R.30	Cass		X	B
4	Pimushe, T.147, 148, R.30, 31	Beltrami	X		B
5	Pine, Big, T.136, 137, R.38	Otter Tail	X		C
6	Pine, Little, T.136, R.39;	Otter Tail			
7	T.137, R.38, 39		X		C
8	Pine Mountain, T.138, R.30;	Cass			
9	T.139, R.30, 31			X	B
10	Plantaganette, T.145, R.33,	Beltrami			
11	34; T.146, R.33	Hubbard	X		B
12	Pokegama, T.54, R.25, 26;	Itasca			
13	T.55, R.25, 26			X	B
14	Portage, T.141, R.31	Cass		X	B
15	Portage, T.45, R.28, S.29	Crow Wing			
16	+ Var.		X		B
17	Potato and Eagle Lakes	Hubbard			
18	(channel between), T.141,				
19	R.35, S.22		X		B
20	Prairie, T.50, R.20	St. Louis	X		B
21	Pug Hole Lake, T.140, R.26,	Cass			
22	S.2 + Var.			X	B
23	Rainy, T.69-71, R.17-24	Koochiching			
24		St. Louis		X	A
25	Round, T.141, R.38, 39	Becker	X		B
26	Round, T.134, R.28, 29;	Crow Wing			
27	T.135, R.28, 29		X		B
28	Round, T.148, R.27, 28	Itasca		X	B
29	Roy, T.135, R.29	Cass			
30		Crow Wing	X		B
31	Rush Island, T.148, R.26,	Itasca			
32	S.15 + Var.		X		B
33	Sand, Big, T.147, 148, R.26	Itasca	X		B
34	Sand Point, T.67, R.16, 17;	St. Louis			
35	T.68, R.16, 17,				
36	except the narrows				
37	between Sand Point				
38	and Namakan Lakes				
39	and Sand Point and				
40	Little Vermillion				
41	Lakes			X	A
42	Sandy, T.149, R.35	Beltrami	X		B
43	Sandy, Big, T.49, R.23, 24;	Aitkin			
44	T.50, R.23, 24		X		B
45	Sauk, Big, T.126, 127, R.34	Stearns			
46		Todd	X		B
47	Serpent, T.46, R.28, 29	Crow Wing		X	B
48	Silver Island, T.60, R.6;	Lake			
49	T.61, R.6, 7		X		A
50	Snyder (Snider), T.143,	Mahnomen			
51	R.39, 40		X		B
52	Stalker, T.132, R.41	Otter Tail	X		C
53	Star, T.137, R.28	Crow Wing	X		B
54	Star, T.135, R.40, 41;	Otter Tail			

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1	T.136, R.41		X		C
2	Steamboat, T.144, R.31, 32	Cass			
3		Hubbard	X		B
4	Strawberry, T.141, 142, R.40	Becker		X	B
5	Sucker, Lower (Big Sucker),	Cass			
6	T.144, R.30;				
7	T.145, R.29, 30		X		B
8	Swan, T.55, 56, R.22, 23,	Itasca			
9	S. Var.			X	B
10	Ten Mile, T.140, R.30, 31;	Cass			
11	T.141, R.30, 31			X	C
12	Thunder, Big, T.140, R.26	Cass	X		B
13	Tulaby, T.142, 143, R.39	Becker			
14		Mahnomen	X		B
15	Turtle, Big, T.148, R.33	Beltrami	X		B
16	Turtle, Little, T.148, R.31,	Beltrami			
17	32		X		B
18	Turtle River Lake, T.147,	Beltrami			
19	148, R.32		X		B
20	Twin Lakes, T.56, R.23, 24	Itasca	X		B
21	Victoria, T.128, R.37	Douglas	X		B
22	Wabedo, T.140, R.28	Cass	X		B
23	Washburn, T.139, 140, R.26	Cass	X		B
24	White Earth, T.142, 143, R.40	Becker			
25		Mahnomen	X		B
26	Wilson Bay, T.134, R.29, 30	Cass	X		B
27	Wimer, T.137, R.40	Otter Tail	X		C
28	Winnibigoshish, T.145, R.27,	Cass			
29	28, 29; T.146, R.27, 28,	Itasca			
30	29; T.147, R.27, 28		X		B
31	Winnibigoshish, Little,	Cass			
32	T.145, R.26, 27;	Itasca			
33	T.146, R.26, 27,				
34	except those				
35	portions within				
36	one-fourth mile of				
37	river channels			X	B
38	Wolf, Big, T.145, 146,	Beltrami			
39	R.32, S. Var.	Hubbard	X		B
40	Woman, T.140, R.28, 29;	Cass			
41	T.141, R.28, 29		X		B

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43 Subp. 4. [See repealer.]

44 [For text of subp 5, see M.R.]

45 6262.3050 REQUIRED RECORDKEEPING.

46 Licensed Lake Superior fishing guides must keep accurate
47 records on forms provided by the commissioner. Records must be
48 kept on a monthly basis and must be submitted by the licensee so

1 that they are received by the Lake Superior area fisheries
 2 supervisor on or before the tenth day of each month for the
 3 preceding month. Records must be submitted whether or not the
 4 licensee engaged in guiding during the reporting month, except
 5 that records need not be submitted for the months of November
 6 through April unless the licensee has engaged in guiding during
 7 those months.

8 Failure to submit any required records three times or more
 9 in a two-year period will invalidate any subsequent application
 10 for licensure as a guide for up to a three-year period, upon
 11 determination by the commissioner.

12 6266.0500 TAKING OF FISH ON MINNESOTA-WISCONSIN BOUNDARY WATERS.

13 [For text of subps 1 and 2, see M.R.]

14 Subp. 3. Species, seasons, and limits on
 15 Minnesota-Wisconsin boundary waters. The following applies to
 16 the species, seasons, and limits for taking fish on
 17 Minnesota-Wisconsin boundary waters:

18	Species and Open Season	Daily and Possession Limits
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20 [For text of items A to M, see M.R.]

21	N. Muskellunge	1
22	Minimum size limit -	
23	40 inches.	
24	Saturday nearest Memorial	
25	Day through March 1.	

26		
27	O. White (striped) and	25
28	yellow bass.	
29	Continuous.	

30		
31	P. All other species	Governed by inland regulations
32		of state in which taken.

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34 [For text of subps 4 to 10, see M.R.]

1 6266.0600 MINNESOTA-WISCONSIN BOUNDARY WATERS COMMERCIAL
2 REGULATIONS.

3 [For text of subps 1 and 2, see M.R.]

4 Subp. 3. **Commercial fishing restrictions.** The following
5 restrictions apply to commercial fishing on Minnesota-Wisconsin
6 boundary waters:

7 [For text of items A to F, see M.R.]

8 G. **Commercial operators licensed to fish**
9 Minnesota-Wisconsin boundary waters must submit monthly reports
10 on forms provided by the commissioner, regardless of whether
11 fish are taken or whether any fishing operations have taken
12 place. Reports must be sent to the address identified on the
13 form so that they are received by the tenth day of the month
14 following the month that the activity took place.

15 [For text of subps 4 to 9, see M.R.]

16 6266.0700 TAKING OF FISH ON MINNESOTA-CANADA BOUNDARY WATERS.

17 [For text of subpart 1, see M.R.]

18 Subp. 2. **Species, seasons, and limits on Minnesota-Canada**
19 **boundary waters.** The following applies to the species, seasons,
20 and limits for taking fish on Minnesota-Canada boundary waters.

21	Species	Open Season	Daily and Possession Limits
22			
23			
24	A. Walleye	Saturday two weeks	6 in the aggregate,
25	and	prior to the	except (i) Lake of the
26	sauger	Saturday of Memorial	Woods, 14 in the
27		Day weekend through	aggregate, of which not
28		April 14.	more than 6 may be
29			walleye; (ii) Rainy
30			Lake, 12 in the
31			aggregate, of which
32			not more than 6 may be

1 walleye and not more
 2 than 1 over 19.5
 3 inches; (iii) Rainy
 4 River, 6 in the
 5 aggregate, with not more
 6 than 1 walleye over 19.5
 7 inches except from March 1
 8 through April 14 2 in the
 9 aggregate and no walleye
 10 over 19.5 inches may be
 11 taken; and (iv) Saganaga
 12 Lake including Sea Gull
 13 River and Gull Lake, where
 14 the limit is 6 walleye
 15 with only 1 walleye over
 16 19.5 inches.

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 18 [For text of items B to I, see M.R.]

19 [For text of subps 3 to 5, see M.R.]

20 **REPEALER.** Minnesota Rules, part 6262.0800, subpart 4, is
 21 repealed.

22 **EFFECTIVE DATE.** The amendments to parts 6258.0100; 6258.0300;
 23 6260.2400; 6262.0200, subpart 1, item B, subitem (1), item C,
 24 subitems (1) and (2), and item D, subitem (2), and subpart 3;
 25 6262.0300; 6262.0500, subparts 1 and 2; and 6266.0700, are
 26 effective March 1, 1999.