

Serial Number 1951/7

**THE QUINNAT SALMON REGULATIONS MODIFICATION
NOTICE 1951**

Marine Department,
Wellington, 30th January, 1951.

PURSUANT to the Fisheries Act, 1908, and the Freshwater Fisheries Regulations 1936, the Minister of Marine hereby gives notice as follows.

NOTICE

1. (1) This notice may be cited as the Quinnat Salmon Regulations Modification Notice 1951.

(2) This notice shall come into force on the day after the date of its notification in the *Gazette*.

2. The Quinnat Salmon Regulations 1940* (hereinafter referred to as the said regulations) are hereby modified as follows :—

(a) Notwithstanding anything in paragraph (b) of regulation 35 of the said regulations, no person shall fish with a net for salmon in the waters of the Waimakariri River except in the tidal portion thereof within 80 yards from the north bank of the said river between the two posts on that bank marked respectively “upper salmon netting limits” and “lower salmon netting limits” :

(b) Notwithstanding anything in the said regulations or in any other regulations, no person shall fish with rod and line for salmon or trout in the tidal portion of the Waimakariri River within 50 yards of the north bank of the said river between the posts on that bank marked respectively “upper salmon netting limits” and “lower salmon netting limits” at any time when salmon nets are being used there or when net fishermen with boats and nets are on the said bank between those posts :

(c) Notwithstanding anything in the said regulations or in any other regulations, the confluence of the tailrace from the Highbank Power Station and the Rakaia River shall—

(i) Between the 1st day of October in any year and the 31st day of January in the next succeeding year (both days inclusive) be deemed to be the point of discharge of the waters of the tailrace from the prepared channel into the flood bed of the Rakaia River, as indicated by a post marked “upper angling limit to 31st January” ; and

*Statutory Regulations 1940, Serial number 1940/48, page 120.

Amendment No. 1 : Statutory Regulations 1945, Serial number 1945/117, page 290.

Amendment No. 2 : Statutory Regulations 1946, Serial number 1946/160, page 438.

Amendment No. 3 : Statutory Regulations 1948, Serial number 1948/155, page 483.

- (ii) Between the 1st day of February and the 30th day of April in any year (both days inclusive) be deemed to be the junction of the watercourse into which the said tailrace discharges in the flood bed of the Rakaia River and the first main branch of the Rakaia River which that watercourse enters as indicated by a post marked "upper angling limit after 31st January":
- (d) Notwithstanding anything in the said regulations or in any other regulations, no person in fishing for salmon or for trout in any river (except the Clutha River) containing quinnat salmon shall, between the 1st day of January and the 30th day of April in any year (both days inclusive), use—
- (i) With a spoon-bait or artificial minnow, any other lure:
- (ii) On or in conjunction with any spoon-bait, more than one hook or one fixed assembly of hooks:
- (iii) On or in conjunction with any spoon-bait, minnow, or other lure, any double or treble hook or other fixed multiple assembly of hooks any one hook of which has a greater distance than half an inch between the point and the nearest part of the shank of the hook:
- (iv) Any lead or weight affixed to the trace or line at a distance of less than fifteen inches above the lure.

W. S. GOOSMAN,
Minister of Marine.

Issued under the authority of the Regulations Act, 1936.
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These regulations are administered in the Marine Department.