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District Anglers (Nelson Acclimatisation District) Notice 1985

PURSUANT to section 71 of the Fisheries Act 1983, the Nelson Acclimatisation Society hereby gives the following District Anglers Notice.

NOTICE

1. Title and commencement—This notice may be cited as the District Anglers (Nelson Acclimatisation District) Notice 1985, and shall come into force on the 1st day of October 1985.

2. Interpretation—Words and expressions in this notice which are defined in the Fisheries Act 1983 or the Freshwater Fisheries Regulations 1983 shall have the meanings so defined.

3. Open season—(1) Subject to subclauses (2) and (3) of this clause and to clause 4 of this notice, there shall be an open season for fishing for acclimatised fish from the 1st day of October in any year to the 30th day of April in the following year (both days inclusive).

(2) There shall be an open season for fishing for acclimatised fish from the 1st day of October in any year to the 30th day of September in the following year (both days inclusive) in the following waters:

- (i) the Cobb Reservoir;
- (ii) the Waimea or Wairoa Rivers downstream from the confluence with the Lee River;
- (iii) the Aorere River downstream from the road bridge at Rockville;
- (iv) the Motueka River downstream from the road bridge at Alexander Bluff.

(3) There shall be an open season for fishing for acclimatised fish from the 1st day of May to the 31st day of August in the same year (both days inclusive) in Lakes Rotoiti and Rotoroa.

(4) No licence holder shall fish for or take any acclimatised fish except during an open season.

4. Closed season—(1) There shall be a closed season for fishing for acclimatised fish in Lake Daniells from the 1st day of October to the 31st day of October in the same year (both days inclusive).

(2) There shall be a closed season for fishing for acclimatised fish in Brook Stream in Nelson City from the 1st day of October in any year to the 30th day of September in the year following (both days inclusive).

5. Authorised tackle—(1) No licence holder shall fish for or take any acclimatised fish except by using a rod and running line.

(2) Notwithstanding subclause (1) of this clause,—

- (a) when playing an acclimatised fish, a landing net or gaff may be used to secure or land any such fish;
- (b) for keeping acclimatised fish alive a keep net of not more than 1.8 metres in length may be used in the water from which that fish was taken.

(3) No licence holder shall use in fishing for acclimatised fish or have under his control more than one assembled rod and running line at any one time.

(4) No licence holder shall fish for acclimatised fish unless he is within 15 metres of the rod he is using and has the rod under his own visual observation.

(5) No licence holder when fishing for acclimatised fish shall use—

- (a) more than 2 lures or baits;
- (b) any lead or weight attached below or so as to hang below any lure or bait;
- (c) in any water in which only artificial fly is permitted, any lead or weight other than the necessary weight of line, cast, and fly;
- (d) any artificial fly having more than one hook or having a multiple hook;
- (e) any bait or lure treated with any medicinal or chemical preparation other than—
 - (i) In the case of artificial fly, oil used solely to give buoyancy to such flies;
 - (ii) In the case of natural baits, a formalin or other preservative preparation;
- (f) any wire, either plain or twisted, or any gimp trace or cast of a greater thickness than 0.82 mm;
- (g) any wire or gimp trace or cast of a greater length than 1.8 metres;
- (h) on or in conjunction with any fly, spoonbait, 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 13 mm between the point and the nearest part of the shank of the hook;
- (i) in conjunction with any spoonbait or artificial minnow, any lead or weight affixed to the trace or line at a distance of less than 38 cm above the lure;
- (j) any unsportsmanlike device or method.

(6) Subject to clause (5) of this clause—No licence holder when fishing for acclimatised fish shall

(a) Use any lure or bait other than artificial fly in the Maitai River (except if the holder of a junior licence and fishing in the Maitai River), Riwaka River, Happy Valley River, Motupiko River, Mangles River, Pearce River, the Cobb River upstream from the first gorge upstream from Cobb Lake (that point being more particularly shown by white posts on the river banks), or in any tributary of any such river or stream or, as the case may be, of the part specified in this paragraph;

(b) Tow or troll any lure in that part of Lake Rotoroa within a radius of 200 m from the centre of the meeting lines with the lake of all rivers and streams entering the Lake, or in that part of the lake within a radius of 200m from the centre of the meeting line with the lake of the outlet from the lake of the Gowan River, as shown in each part by white posts;

(c) Fish from any boat in Lake Rotoiti within a radius of 200m from the centre of the meeting lines with the lake of the Travers River and the Cold Water Creek, or within a radius of 200m from the centre of the outlet of the Buller River from the lake, as shown by white posts on each river bank.

6. Prohibition on unauthorised fishing tackle, etc.—No licence holder shall, when fishing for acclimatised fish, use or have in his possession or under his control or convey or cause to be conveyed to the vicinity of any place where he is fishing or proposes to fish, any paravane, any stroke-hauling or foulhooking gear, or any spear.

7. Use of nets—Subject to clause 5(2) of this notice, no licence holder shall use or cause to be used for taking acclimatised fish a net of any description.

Provided that it shall be a defence for any person charged with a breach of this clause if he proves that he was netting for indigenous fish in accordance with the provisions of any regulations or notices in force in that behalf.

8. Prohibition on possession or control of spear gun—(1) No licence holder shall, when taking any acclimatised fish or when in possession of any acclimatised fish, have in his possession or under his control any spear gun or any pointed missile (other than a bullet) which is propelled by means of any mechanical or explosive device.

(2) Where any person is charged with an offence under subclause (1) of this clause, it shall be a defence to the charge if the defendant proves that the spear gun or pointed missile in his possession or under his control was not used in taking the acclimatised fish.

(3) In this clause the term "explosive" has the same meaning as in the Explosives Act 1957.

9. Authorised lures and baits—No licence holder shall fish for acclimatised fish with any bait or lure other than artificial or natural fly, insect, worm, crustacea, minnow, fish (excluding fish ova or any portion of a fish or any shellfish (mollusca)), or uncoloured bread dough.

10. Daily limit bag—(1) The limit bag for trout and salmon taken from the following waters shall be 10 (of which not more than 4 may be salmon):

- (i) the Motueka River downstream of the confluence with the Wangapeka River;
- (ii) the Buller River downstream of the confluence with the Gowan River;
- (iii) the Maruia River;
- (iv) the Matakaitaki River;
- (v) the Aorere River;
- (vi) Lake Rotoiti;
- (vii) Lake Rotoroa;
- (viii) the Cobb Reservoir.

(2) The limit bag for trout and salmon taken from any waters other than those specified in subclause (1) of this clause shall be 4.

(3) No licence holder shall continue to use a rod and running line to take acclimatised fish on any day on which he has taken or killed a limit bag.

(4) It shall be permissible to make up the difference between a lesser limit bag prescribed in one place and a higher limit bag prescribed in another place.

11. Minimum size to be taken—(1) No licence holder shall take or have in his possession, any trout or salmon which does not exceed in length—

- (a) In the case of any trout or salmon taken from the Maitai River, 25 cm;
- (b) In the case of any trout or salmon taken from any other water, 30 cm.

(2) Every licence holder taking a trout or salmon which does not exceed the specified length shall immediately return it with as little injury as possible into the water from which it was taken.

12. Revocation—The notice published in the supplement to the *Gazette* No. 183 of Thursday, 11 October 1984, on pages 4279–4280 titled District Anglers (Marlborough and Nelson Acclimatisation Districts) Notice 1984, is hereby revoked.

Approved at Wellington this 26th day of July 1985.

B. T. CUNNINGHAM,
for Director-General of Agriculture and Fisheries.

District Anglers (Marlborough Acclimatisation District) Notice 1985

PURSUANT to section 71 of the Fisheries Act 1983, the Marlborough Acclimatisation Society hereby gives the following District Anglers Notice.

NOTICE

1. Title and commencement—This notice may be cited as the District Anglers (Marlborough Acclimatisation District) Notice 1985, and shall come into force on the 1st day of October 1985.

2. Interpretation—Words and expressions in this notice which are defined in the Fisheries Act 1983 or the Freshwater Fisheries Regulations 1983 shall have the meanings so defined.

3. Open season—(1) Subject to subclause (2) of this clause and to clause 4 of this notice there shall be an open season for fishing for acclimatised fish from the 1st day of October in any year to the 30th day of April in the following year (both days inclusive).

(2) There shall be an open season for fishing for acclimatised fish from the 1st day of May to the 31st day of August in the same year (both days inclusive) in the following waters:

- (i) the Awatere River;
- (ii) the Clarence River downstream from the Glen Alton Bridge;
- (iii) the Conway River;
- (iv) the Oaro River;
- (v) Lyell Creek;
- (vi) the Middle Creek downstream of State Highway No. 1;
- (vii) the Kahutara River downstream of the railway bridge;
- (viii) the Pelorus River downstream from its confluence with the Rai River;
- (ix) the Wairau River (including the Diversion) downstream from the Wash Bridge.

(3) No licence holder shall fish for or take any acclimatised fish except during an open season.

4. Closed season—There shall be a closed season in respect of the taking of quinnat salmon from the 1st day of March to the 30th day of April in the same year (both days inclusive) in those waters of the Wairau River lying upstream of the Wash Bridge.

5. Authorised tackle—(1) No licence holder shall fish for or take any acclimatised fish except by using a rod and running line.

(2) Notwithstanding subclause (1) of this clause—

- (a) for playing an acclimatised fish, a landing net or gaff may be used to secure or land any such fish;
- (b) for keeping acclimatised fish alive a keep net of not more than 1.8 metres in length may be used in the waters from which that fish was taken.

(3) No licence holder shall use in fishing for acclimatised fish or have under his control more than one assembled rod and running line at any one time.

(4) No licence holder shall fish for acclimatised fish unless he is within 15 metres of the rod he is using and has the rod under his own visual observation.

(5) No licence holder when fishing for acclimatised fish shall use—

- (a) more than 2 lures or baits;
- (b) any lead or weight attached below or so as to hang below any lure or bait;
- (c) in any water in which only artificial fly fishing is permitted, any lead or weight other than the necessary weight of line, cast and fly;
- (d) any artificial fly having more than one hook or having a multiple hook;
- (e) any bait or lure treated with any medicinal or chemical preparation other than—
 - (i) In the case of artificial fly, oil used solely to give buoyancy to such flies; and
 - (ii) In the case of natural baits, a formalin or other preservative preparation;
- (f) any wire, either plain or twisted, or any gimp trace or cast of a greater thickness than 0.82 mm;
- (g) any wire or gimp trace or cast of a greater length than 1.8 metres;

(h) in conjunction with any fly, spoonbait, 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 13 mm between the point and the nearest part of the shank of the hook;

(i) in conjunction with any spoonbait or artificial minnow, any lead or weight affixed to the trace or line at a distance of less than 38 cm above the lure;

(j) any unsportsmanlike device or method.

(6) No licence holder in fishing for acclimatised fish shall use natural bait except in the Wairau River (including the Diversion) downstream from the No. 1 State Highway Bridge, or if holding a junior licence, in the Taylor River or the Opawa River.

6. Prohibition on unauthorised fishing tackle, etc.—No licence holder shall, when fishing for acclimatised fish, use or have in his possession or under his control or convey or cause to be conveyed to the vicinity of any place where he is fishing or proposes to fish, any paravane, any stroke-hauling or foulhooking gear, or any spear.

7. Use of nets—Subject to clause 5(2) of this notice, no licence holder shall use or cause to be used for taking acclimatised fish a net of any description:

Provided that it shall be a defence for any person charged with a breach of this clause if he proves that he was netting for indigenous fish in accordance with the provisions of any regulations or notices in force in that behalf.

8. Prohibition on possession or control of spear gun—(1) No licence holder shall, when taking any acclimatised fish or when in possession of any acclimatised fish, use or have in his possession or under his control any spear gun or any pointed missile (other than a bullet) which is propelled by means of any mechanical or explosive device.

(2) Where any person is charged with an offence under subclause (1) of this clause, it shall be a defence to the charge if the defendant proves that the spear gun or pointed missile in his possession or under his control was not used in taking the acclimatised fish.

(3) In this clause the term "explosive" has the same meaning as in the Explosives Act 1957.

9. Authorised lures and baits—No licence holder shall fish for acclimatised fish with any bait or lure other than artificial or natural fly, insect, worm, crustacea, minnow, fish (excluding fish ova or any portion of a fish or any shellfish (mollusca)) or uncoloured bread dough.

10. Daily limit bag—(1) No licence holder shall on any one day take or have in his possession, more than 10 acclimatised fish.

(2) Notwithstanding subclause (1) of this clause no licence holder shall on any one day take or have in his possession more than—

- (a) Four salmon;
- (b) Four trout taken from one or more of the following waters—
 - (i) the Goulter Stream;
 - (ii) the Rai River and its tributaries;
 - (iii) Spring Creek;
 - (iv) Wairau River upstream from the Wash Bridge;
 - (v) Tarndale Lakes.

(3) No licence holder shall continue to use a rod and running line to take trout or salmon on any day on which he already has in his possession (whether in a keep net or not) 10 trout or salmon.

(4) It shall be permissible to make up the difference between a lesser limit bag prescribed in one place and a higher limit bag prescribed in another place.

11. Minimum size to be taken—(1) No licence holder shall take or have in his possession, any trout or salmon which does not exceed 30 cm in length.

(2) Every licence holder taking a trout or salmon which does not exceed the specified length shall immediately return it with as little injury as possible into the water from which it was taken.

12. Revocation—The notice published in the supplement to the *Gazette* No. 183 of Thursday 11 October 1984, on pages 4279–4280 titled District Anglers (Marlborough and Nelson Acclimatisation Districts) Notice 1984, is hereby revoked.

Approved at Wellington this 26th day of July 1985.

B. T. CUNNINGHAM,
for Director-General of Agriculture and Fisheries.

District Anglers (Southland Acclimatisation District) Notice 1985

PURSUANT to section 71 of the Fisheries Act 1983, the Southland Acclimatisation Society hereby gives the following District Anglers Notice.

NOTICE

1. Title and commencement—This notice may be cited as the District Anglers (Southland Acclimatisation District) Notice 1985,

and shall come into force on the day after the date of its notification in the *Gazette*.

2. Interpretation—Words and expressions in this notice which are defined in the Fisheries Act 1983 or the Freshwater Fisheries Regulations 1983 shall have the meanings so defined.

3. Open season—(1) Subject to subclause (2) of this clause there shall be an open season for fishing for acclimatised fish from the 1st day of October in any year to the 30th day of April in the following year (both days inclusive).

(2) There shall be an open season for fishing for acclimatised fish from the 1st day of June to the 30th day of September in the same year in the following waters:

- (i) The Maitai River downstream from the Gorge Road traffic bridge;
- (ii) The Oreti River downstream from the bridge on the Riverton-Invercargill Road;
- (iii) The Aparima River downstream from the Gummies Bush Road bridge;
- (iv) The Pourakino River downstream from the Pourakino Valley bridge at Waipango;
- (v) The Makarewa River between the bridge on the Riverton-Invercargill Road and its confluence with the Oreti River and the Waihopai River downstream from the Queens Drive bridge;
- (vi) The tidal section of the Waiau River downstream from a signposted point (Map reference S175:725,255), approximately one kilometre from the outer edge of the coastal boulder bank, including the whole area of the Te Wae Wae Lagoon, but excluding the Hollyburn;
- (vii) The Waikiwi Stream downstream from the north Road Bridge.

(3) No licence holder shall fish for or take any acclimatised fish except during an open season.

4. Authorised tackle—(1) No licence holder shall fish for or take any acclimatised fish except by using a rod and running line.

(2) Notwithstanding subclause (1) of this clause,—

- (a) when playing an acclimatised fish, a landing net or gaff may be used to secure or land any such fish;
- (b) for keeping acclimatised fish alive a keep net of not more than 1.8 metres in length may be used in the water from which that fish was taken.

(3) No licence holder shall use in fishing for acclimatised fish or have under his control more than one assembled rod and running line at any one time.

(4) No licence holder shall fish for acclimatised fish unless he is within 15 metres of the rod he is using and has the rod under his own visual observation.

(5) No licence holder when fishing for acclimatised fish shall—

- (a) use more than 2 lures or baits;
- (b) use any lead or weight attached below or so as to hang below any lure or bait;
- (c) use in any water in which only artificial fly is permitted, any lead or weight other than the necessary weight of line, cast, and fly;
- (d) use any artificial fly having more than one hook or having a multiple hook;
- (e) use any bait or lure treated with any medicinal or chemical preparation other than—
 - (i) In the case of artificial fly, oil used solely to give buoyancy to such flies; and
 - (ii) In the case of natural baits, a formalin or other preservative preparation;
- (f) use any wire, either plain or twisted, or any gimp trace or cast of a greater thickness than 0.82 mm;
- (g) use any wire or gimp trace or cast of a greater length than 1.8 metres;
- (h) use on or in conjunction with any fly, spoonbait, 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 13 mm between the point and the nearest part of the shank of the hook;
- (i) use in conjunction with any spoonbait or artificial minnow, any lead or weight affixed to the trace or line at a distance of less than 38 cm above the lure;
- (j) fish from any boat other than a row boat in Lake Thomas;
- (k) fish from any boat or launch in that part of Lake Waituna which lies on the seaward side of a line between 2 white signposts indicating the restriction sited on directly opposite shores near what is the outlet channel when the channel is open to the sea;
- (l) fish from any boat, canoe, pontoon, or any form of floatation device in the Maitai River upstream from the Maitai Island bridge;
- (m) any unsportsmanlike device or method.

5. Prohibition on unauthorised fishing tackle, etc.—No licence holder shall, when fishing for acclimatised fish, use or have in his possession or under his control or convey or cause to be conveyed

to the vicinity of any place where he is fishing or proposes to fish, any paravane, any stroke-hauling or foulhooking gear, or any spear.

6. Use of nets—Subject to clause 4(2) of this notice no licence holder shall use or cause to be used for taking acclimatised fish a net of any description:

Provided that it shall be a defence for any person charged with a breach of this clause if he proves that he was netting for indigenous fish in accordance with the provisions of any regulations or notices in force in that behalf.

7. Prohibition on possession or control of spear gun—(1) No licence holder shall, when taking any acclimatised fish or when in possession of any acclimatised fish, use or have in his possession or under his control any spear gun or any pointed missile (other than a bullet) which is propelled by means of any mechanical or explosive device.

(2) Where any person is charged with an offence under subclause (1) of this clause, it shall be a defence to the charge if the defendant proves that the spear gun or pointed missile in his possession or under his control was not used in taking the acclimatised fish.

(3) In this clause the term "explosive" has the same meaning as in the Explosives Act 1957.

8. Authorised lures and baits—(1) Subject to subclause (2) of this clause no licence holder shall fish for acclimatised fish with any bait or lure other than artificial or natural fly, insect, worm, crustacea, minnow, fish (excluding fish ova or any portion of a fish or any shellfish (mollusca)), or uncoloured bread dough.

(2) No licence holder when fishing for acclimatised fish shall use any lure or bait other than artificial bait in the following waters, including the tributaries of those waters:

- (i) The Aparima River upstream from the Otautau-Mossburn Highway;
- (ii) The Hamiltonburn River upstream from the Otautau-Mossburn Highway;
- (iii) The Oreti River upstream from Rocky Point;
- (iv) The Whitestone River;
- (v) Lake Echo;
- (vi) The Mararoa River upstream from the Mossburn-Te Anau Highway Bridge at the Key;
- (vii) The Mavora Lakes;
- (viii) The Borland Burn;
- (ix) The Wairaki River upstream from the transmission line;
- (x) Flaxy Creek.

9. Daily limit bag—(1) No licence holder shall on any one day take or have in his possession more than 10 trout or salmon.

(2) Notwithstanding subclause (1) of this clause no licence holder shall on any one day take or have in his possession more than 4 trout or salmon from one or more of the following waters, including any tributaries of those waters:

- (i) The Aparima River upstream from the Otautau-Mossburn Highway;
- (ii) The Hamiltonburn River upstream from the Otautau-Mossburn Highway;
- (iii) The Oreti River upstream from Rocky Point;
- (iv) The Mararoa River upstream from its junction with the Waiau River, including the Whitestone, Flaxy Creek and Windon Burn tributaries, the Mavora Lakes and Lake Echo;
- (v) The Borland Burn;
- (vi) The Wairaki River;
- (vii) Lake Thomas;
- (viii) Lake Waituna;
- (ix) The Acton Stream;
- (x) The Cromel River;
- (xi) The Maitai River upstream from the Black Bridge just north of Athol;
- (xii) The Monowai River.

(3) No licence holder shall continue to fish for trout or salmon on any day on which he has already taken or killed 10 trout or salmon.

(4) It shall be permissible to make up the difference between a lesser limit bag prescribed in one place and a higher limit bag prescribed in another place.

10. Minimum size to be taken—(1) No licence holder shall take or have in his possession, any trout or salmon which does not exceed in length:

- (i) In the case of Atlantic salmon, 38 cm;
- (ii) In the case of trout, 25 cm.

(2) Every person taking a trout or salmon which does not exceed the specified length shall immediately return it with as little injury as possible into the water from which it was taken.

12. Revocation—The notice published in the supplement to *Gazette* No. 183 of Thursday, 11 October 1984, on pages 4283–4284 titled District Anglers (Southland Acclimatisation District) Notice 1984, is hereby revoked.

Approved at Wellington this 26th day of July 1985.

B. T. CUNNINGHAM,
for Director-General of Agriculture and Fisheries.

District Anglers (Hawke's Bay Acclimatisation District) Notice
1985

PURSUANT to section 71 of the Fisheries Act 1983, the Hawke's Bay Acclimatisation Society hereby gives the following District Anglers Notice.

NOTICE

1. Title and commencement—This notice may be cited as the District Anglers (Hawke's Bay Acclimatisation District) Notice 1985, and shall come into force on the 1st day of October 1985.

2. Interpretation—Words and expressions in this notice which are defined in the Fisheries Act 1983 or the Freshwater Fisheries Regulations 1983 shall have the meanings so defined.

3. Open season—(1) Subject to subclauses (2), (3), (4) and (5) of this clause, there shall be an open season for fishing for acclimatised fish from the 1st day of October in any year to the 30th day of April in the following year (both days inclusive).

(2) There shall be an open season for fishing for acclimatised fish from the 1st day of October in any year to the 30th day of September in the following year (both days inclusive) in the following waters:

- (i) Lake Tutira, except Sandy Creek and the lake outlet channel;
- (ii) The Tukituki River where it passes through the Tukituki wildlife refuge and between the junction of the Tukituki River and the Mount Herbert Road Extension;
- (iii) The Waipawa River within the boundaries of Waipawa Borough;
- (iv) Lake Opouahi;
- (v) The Manawatu River between the Ngawapurua Bridge and the Gorge Bridge;
- (vi) The Ngaruroro River between the Chesterhope Bridge and Fernhill Bridge;
- (vii) The Mohaka River downstream from the Pakaututu bridge, and the Waipunga, Ripia, and Te Hoe Rivers;
- (viii) Lake Te Pohue.

(3) There shall be an open season for fishing for acclimatised fish from the 1st day of June to the 30th day of September in the same year (both days inclusive) in the following waters:

- (i) The Manawatu River downstream from its confluence with the Mangatewainui Stream to the Ngawapurua Bridge;
- (ii) The Tukituki River downstream from the State Highway 50 road bridge;
- (iii) The Ngaruroro River downstream from its confluence with the Taruarau River;
- (iv) The Tutaekuri River downstream from its confluence with the Mangaone Stream;
- (v) The Waipawa River downstream from State Highway 50 road bridge;
- (vi) The Porangahau River downstream from its confluence with the Mangawhero Stream;
- (vii) The Karamu Stream and its tributaries.

(4) There shall be an open season for fishing for acclimatised fish from the 1st day of May to the 30th day of June in the same year (both days inclusive) in the Mohaka River between the Pakaututu bridge and its confluence with the Mangatainoka River.

(5) There shall be an open season for fishing for acclimatised fish from the 1st day of May to the 31st day of May in the same year (both days inclusive) (except both days of the opening week-end of the shooting season) in the following waters:

- (i) The Tutaekuri River upstream from its confluence with the Mangatutu Stream;
- (ii) The Ohara Stream;
- (iii) The Makaroro River;
- (iv) The Ngaruroro River upstream from its confluence with the Taruarau River;
- (v) the Manawatu River downstream from its confluence with the Mangatewainui to the Ngawapurua Bridge.

(6) No licence holder shall fish for or take any acclimatised fish except during an open season.

4. Authorised tackle—(1) No licence holder shall fish for or take acclimatised fish except by using a rod and running line.

(2) Notwithstanding subclause (1) of this clause,—

- (a) when playing an acclimatised fish a landing net may be used to secure or land any such fish;
- (b) for keeping acclimatised fish alive a keep net of not more than 1.8 metres in length may be used in the water from which that fish was taken.

(3) No licence holder shall use in fishing for acclimatised fish or have under his control more than one assembled rod and running line at any one time.

(4) No licence holder shall fish for acclimatised fish unless he is within 15 metres of the rod he is using and has the rod under his own visual observation.

(5) No licence holder when fishing for acclimatised fish shall use—

- (a) more than 2 lures or baits;
- (b) any lead or weight attached below or so as to hang below any lure or bait;
- (c) in any water in which only artificial fly fishing is permitted, any lead, wooden or plastic bubble, or bubble with or without water, or weight, other than the necessary weight of line, cast, and artificial fly;
- (d) any artificial fly having more than one hook or having a multiple hook;
- (e) any multiple hook;
- (f) any bait or lure treated with any medicinal or chemical preparation other than—
 - (i) In the case of artificial fly, oil used solely to give buoyancy to such flies; and
 - (ii) In the case of natural baits, a formalin or other preservative preparation;
- (g) any wire, either plain or twisted, or any gimp trace or cast of a greater thickness than 0.82 mm;
- (h) any wire or gimp trace or cast of a greater length than 1.8 metres;
- (i) on or in conjunction with any fly, spoonbait, 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 13 mm between the point and the nearest part of the shank of the hook;
- (j) in conjunction with any spoonbait or artificial minnow, any lead or weight affixed to the trace or line at a distance of less than 38 cm above the lure;
- (k) any mechanically propelled boat in Lake Tutira;
- (l) any unsportsmanlike device or method.

5. Prohibition on unauthorised fishing tackle, etc.—No licence holder shall, when fishing for acclimatised fish, use or have in his possession or under his control or convey or cause to be conveyed to the vicinity of any place where he is fishing or proposes to fish, any paravane, any stroke-hauling or foulhooking gear, or any spear.

6. Use of nets—Subject to clause 4(2) of this notice, no licence holder shall use or cause to be used for taking acclimatised fish, a net of any description:

Provided that it shall be a defence for any person charged with a breach of this clause if he proves that he was netting for indigenous fish in accordance with the provisions of any regulations or notices in force in that behalf.

7. Prohibition on possession or control of spear gun—(1) No licence holder shall, when taking any acclimatised fish or when in possession of any acclimatised fish, use or have in his possession or under his control any spear gun or any pointed missile (other than a bullet) which is propelled by means of any mechanical or explosive device.

(2) Where any person is charged with an offence under subclause (1) of this clause, it shall be a defence to the charge if the defendant proves that the spear gun or pointed missile in his possession or under his control was not used in taking the acclimatised fish.

(3) In this clause the term "explosive" has the same meaning as in the Explosives Act 1957.

8. Authorised lures and baits—(1) Subject to subclause (2) of this clause no licence holder shall fish for acclimatised fish with any bait or lure other than artificial fly, or natural fly, spider, insect, or artificial minnow.

(2) Subject to clause 4(5) of this notice, no licence holder when fishing for acclimatised fish shall use—

- (a) Any lure or bait other than artificial fly in—Cochranes Creek, or the Mangaonuku, Maharakiki, Mangaone, Maraetotara, Makaretu, Mangatoro, or Tukipo Rivers, or any tributary of any such river;
- (b) As any lure or bait, any fish ova or any portion of a fish or any shellfish (mollusca), or uncoloured bread dough, or the freshwater crayfish (koura), or worm, or natural nymph, or creeper, or the huhu or matai grub;

Provided that nothing in this paragraph shall apply with respect to any person fishing for perch in Lake Te Pohue, nor restrict the use of live bait in the Manawatu River downstream from the Weber Road Bridge.

9. Daily limit bag—(1) No licence holder shall on any one day take or have in his possession more than 8 trout or salmon, except that there shall be no limit bag on trout taken from Lake Tutira.

(2) No licence holder shall continue to use a rod and running line to take trout or salmon on any day on which he has already taken or killed 8 trout or salmon.

(3) It shall be permissible to make up the difference between a lesser limit bag prescribed in one place and a higher limit bag prescribed in another place.

10. Minimum size to be taken—(1) No licence holder shall take or have in his possession, any trout or salmon which does not exceed 30 cm in length.

(2) Every licence holder taking a trout or salmon which does not exceed the specified length shall immediately return it with as little injury as possible into the water from which it was taken.

11. Revocation—The notice published in the supplement to the *Gazette* No. 183 of Thursday 11 October 1984, on pages 4278–4279 titled *District Anglers (Hawke's Bay Acclimatisation District) Notice 1984*, is hereby revoked.

Approved at Wellington this 26th day of July 1985.

B. T. CUNNINGHAM,
for Director-General of Agriculture and Fisheries.

District Anglers (Otago Acclimatisation District) Notice 1985

PURSUANT to section 71 of the Fisheries Act 1983, the Otago Acclimatisation Society hereby gives the following District Anglers Notice.

NOTICE

1. Title and commencement—This notice may be cited as the *District Anglers (Otago Acclimatisation District) Notice 1985*, and shall come into force on the 1st day of October 1985.

2. Interpretation—Words and expressions in this notice which are defined in the Fisheries Act 1983 or the Freshwater Fisheries Regulations 1983 shall have the meanings so defined.

3. Open season—(1) Subject to subclauses (2) and (3) of this clause and to clause 4 of this notice there shall be an open season for fishing for acclimatised fish from the 1st day of October in any year to the 30th day of April in the following year (both days inclusive).

(2) There shall be an open season for fishing for acclimatised fish from the 1st day of June to the 30th day of September in the same year (both days inclusive) in the Maitara River downstream from the Gorge Road traffic bridge.

(3) There shall be an open season for fishing for acclimatised fish from the 1st day of October in any year to the 30th day of September in the following year (both days inclusive) except for the first Saturday and Sunday of the game season in May of each year, in the following waters:

- (i) The Shag River downstream from the main road bridge;
- (ii) The Clutha River downstream from the main road bridge at Balclutha;
- (iii) The Taieri River downstream from the main road bridge at Allanton;
- (iv) Butcher's Dam;
- (v) Conroy's Dam;
- (vi) Phoenix Dam;
- (vii) Poolburn Dam;
- (viii) Lake Onslow;
- (ix) Lake Waiholo, including the waterway connecting this lake to Lake Waipori and east on that waterway to the railway bridge;
- (x) Lake Waipori;
- (xi) Tomahawk Lagoon;
- (xii) Lake Roxburgh between the dam wall and the bridge on State Highway 8 at Alexandra.

(4) No licence holder shall fish for or take any acclimatised fish except during an open season.

4. Closed season—(1) There shall be a closed season in respect of the taking of acclimatised fish from the 1st day of October to the 31st day of October in the same year (both days inclusive) in the Upper Manorburn Dam or in any tributary of Lake Mahinerangi.

(2) There shall be a closed season in respect of the taking of acclimatised fish from the 1st day of October in any year to the 30th day of September in the following year (both days inclusive) in the following waters:

- (a) The waters lying between the Roxburgh Dam and a line joining the sites of posts marked "Fishing prohibited above this point" placed on each side of the Clutha River at the outlet of the spillway from the Roxburgh powerhouse;
- (b) The waters of the Waipori No. 3 Dam on the Waipori River adjacent to Waipori township;
- (c) The waters lying within 100 metres of the Newhaven Salmon Ranch fish ladder in the Catlins River estuary.

5. Authorised tackle—(1) No licence holder shall fish for or take any acclimatised fish except by using a rod and running line.

(2) Notwithstanding subclause (1) of this clause,

- (a) when playing an acclimatised fish, a landing net or gaff may be used to secure or land any such fish;
- (b) for keeping acclimatised fish alive a keep net of not more than 1.8 metres in length may be used in the water from which that fish was taken.

(3) No licence holder shall use in fishing for acclimatised fish or have under his control more than one assembled rod and running line at any one time.

(4) No licence holder shall fish for acclimatised fish unless he is within 15 metres of the rod he is using and has the rod under his own visual observation.

(5) Subject to subclause (6) of this clause, no licence holder shall troll from a mechanically propelled boat within 200 metres of any person fishing from the shore of a lake or from a riverbank.

(6) No licence holder in fishing for acclimatised fish shall troll from any boat in any river or stream except the Taieri River downstream from Henley Ferry bridge, the Clutha River downstream from Balclutha, and the Maitara River downstream from the Maitara Island bridge, or fish from any boat, canoe, pontoon, or any form of body floatation device in the Maitara River upstream from the Maitara Island Bridge.

(7) No licence holder when fishing for acclimatised fish shall use—

- (a) more than 2 lures or baits;
- (b) any lead or weight attached below or so as to hang below any lure or bait;
- (c) in any water in which only artificial fly fishing is permitted, any lead or weight other than the necessary weight of line, cast, and fly;
- (d) any artificial fly having more than one hook or having a multiple hook;
- (e) any bait or lure treated with any medicinal or chemical preparation other than—
 - (i) In the case of artificial fly, oil used solely to give buoyancy to such flies; and
 - (ii) In the case of natural baits, a formalin or other preservative preparation;
- (f) any wire, either plain or twisted, or any gimp trace or cast of a greater thickness than 0.82 mm;
- (g) any wire or gimp trace or cast of a greater length than 1.8 metres;
- (h) on or in conjunction with any fly, spoonbait, 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 13 mm between the point and the nearest part of the shank of the hook;
- (i) in conjunction with any spoonbait or artificial minnow, any lead or weight affixed to the trace or line at a distance of less than 38 cm above the lure;
- (j) any unsportsmanlike device or method.

6. Prohibition on unauthorised fishing tackle, etc.—No licence holder shall, when fishing for acclimatised fish, use or have in his possession or under his control or convey or cause to be conveyed to the vicinity of any place where he is fishing or proposes to fish, any paravane, any stroke-hauling or foulhooking gear, or any spear.

7. Use of nets—Subject to clause 5 (2) of this notice no licence holder shall use or cause to be used for taking any acclimatised fish, a net of any description:

Provided that it shall be a defence for any person charged with a breach of this clause if he proves that he was netting for indigenous fish in accordance with the provisions of any regulations or notices in force in that behalf.

8. Prohibition on possession or control of spear gun—(1) No licence holder shall, when taking any acclimatised fish or when in possession of any acclimatised fish, use or have in his possession or under his control any spear gun or any pointed missile (other than a bullet) which is propelled by means of any mechanical or explosive device.

(2) Where any person is charged with an offence under subclause (1) of this clause, it shall be a defence to the charge if the defendant proves that the spear gun or pointed missile in his possession or under his control was not used in taking the acclimatised fish.

(3) In this clause the term "explosive" has the same meaning as in the Explosives Act 1957.

9. Authorised lures and baits—No licence holder shall fish for acclimatised fish with any bait or lure other than artificial or natural fly, insect, worm, crustacea, minnow, fish (excluding fish ova or any portion of a fish or any shellfish (mollusca)) or uncoloured bread dough.

10. Daily limit bag—(1) No licence holder shall on any one day take or have in his possession more than 10 trout or salmon.

(2) Notwithstanding subclause (1) of this clause no licence holder shall on any one day take or have in his possession more than four—

- (a) salmon;
- (b) trout taken from the Pomahaka River upstream from Switzer's Bridge.

(3) No licence holder shall continue to use a rod and running line to take trout or salmon on any day on which he has already taken or killed 10 trout or salmon.

(4) It shall be permissible to make up the difference between a lesser limit bag prescribed in one place and a higher limit bag prescribed in another place.

11. Minimum size to be taken—(1) No licence holder shall take or have in his possession, any trout or salmon which does not exceed in length:

- (a) In the case of any trout or salmon taken from the Water of Leith or the Teviot River, 20 cm;
- (b) In the case of any trout or salmon taken from any other water, 25 cm.

(2) Every licence holder taking a trout or salmon which does not exceed the specified length shall immediately return it with as little injury as possible into the water from which it was taken.

12. Revocation—The notice published in the supplement to *Gazette* No. 183 of Thursday, 11 October 1984, on pages 4282–4283 titled District Anglers (Otago Acclimatisation District) Notice 1984, is hereby revoked.

Approved at Wellington this 26th day of July 1985.

B. T. CUNNINGHAM,
for Director-General of Agriculture and Fisheries.

District Anglers (North Canterbury Acclimatisation District) Notice 1985

PURSUANT to section 71 of the Fisheries Act 1983, the North Canterbury Acclimatisation Society hereby gives the following District Anglers Notice.

NOTICE

1. Title and commencement—This notice may be cited as the District Anglers (North Canterbury Acclimatisation District) Notice 1985, and shall come into force on the 1st day of October 1985.

2. Interpretation—(1) Words and expressions in this notice which are defined in the Fisheries Act 1983 or the Freshwater Fisheries Regulations 1983 shall have the meanings so defined.

(2) In this notice the term "high country waters" means Lakes Lillian, Coleridge, Selfe, Evelyn, Grace, Henrietta, Ida, Little Ida, Catherine (also known as Monk), Georgina, Spectacles, Red Lakes, Lyndon Tarn, Lyndon, Rubicon, Pearson, Grasmere, Sarah, Hawdon, Marymere, Vagabonds Inn Tarn, Blackwater, Letitia, Minchin, Sheppard, Taylor, Katrine, Sumner, Mason, Guyon, and Tennyson, and all waters flowing into those lakes; and includes all other lakes and tarns lying west of a line joining—

- (a) The white posts at the Lake Coleridge powerhouse on the Rakaia River; and
- (b) The white posts at Woodstock on the Waimakariri River; and
- (c) The junction of the Hurunui River with the South Branch; and
- (d) The junction of the Waiau and Hope Rivers; and
- (e) The New Zealand Electricity Department's bridge over the Clarence River approximately 2.5km downstream from Lake Tennyson.

3. Open season—(1) Subject to subclauses (2) and (3) of this clause and to clause 4 of this notice there shall be an open season for fishing for acclimatised fish from the 1st day of October in any year to the 30th day of April in the following year (both days inclusive).

(2) There shall be an open season for fishing for acclimatised fish from the first Saturday after Queen's Birthday Weekend to the 31st day of August in the same year (both days inclusive) in the following waters:

- (i) The Waiau River downstream from its junction with the Hope River;
- (ii) The Hurunui River downstream from its junction with the South Branch;
- (iii) The Ashley River downstream from the Ashley Gorge Road Bridge approximately 0.5 km below the Domain;
- (iv) The Waimakariri River downstream from the white posts at Woodstock;
- (v) The Selwyn River downstream from where the South Springston Road meets that river;
- (vi) Lake Forsyth, and the Wairewa and Okuti Rivers downstream from the road bridge over each river on the Little River-Te Oka Bay road;
- (vii) Lakes Taylor, Sumner, Coleridge, Lyndon, and Selfe, except within 200m of any stream flowing into those lakes;
- (viii) The Rakaia River downstream from the bridge on the main South Road.

(3) There shall be an open season for fishing for acclimatised fish from the 1st day of October in any year to the 30th day of September in the following year (both days inclusive) in the Heathcote River, and the Avon River except as provided in clause 4 (1)(c) of this notice.

(4) No licence holder shall fish for or take any acclimatised fish except during an open season.

4. Closed season—(1) There shall be a closed season for fishing for acclimatised fish

(a) From the 1st day of October in any year and ending with the Friday immediately preceding the first Saturday in November in the same year (both days inclusive) in any high country waters;

(b) From the 1st day of March to the 30th day of April in the same year (both days inclusive) in the Rakaia River and its tributaries above the Lake Coleridge powerhouse, that point being more particularly shown by white posts on the river banks or in any tributary flowing into Lake Coleridge, whether artificial or natural;

Provided that this paragraph shall not apply to any lakes draining into the Rakaia River above the point specified;

(c) From the 1st day of October in any year to the 30th day of September in the following year (both days inclusive) in Taylor's Drain from its source to its junction with the Wairarapa Stream, in the Avon River from the Armagh Street bridge at Hagley Park to the Barbadoes Street Bridge, in the canal commonly called the Wilberforce Diversion which connects Lake Coleridge with the Wilberforce River, and in Lake Marion.

(2) There shall be a closed season for fishing for quinnat salmon from the 1st day of March to the 30th day of April in the same year (both days inclusive) in the following waters:

- (a) The Clarence River above the New Zealand Electricity Department's bridge approximately 2.5km below Lake Tennyson, or any tributary of that part of the river;
- (b) The Hurunui River above the junction of the South Branch with that river, or any tributary of that part of that river, including Lake Sumner;
- (c) The Waiau River above the junction of that river with the Hope River, or any tributary of that part of the Waiau River;
- (d) The Waimakariri River above the white posts at Woodstock, or any tributary of that part of that river or the Kowhai River and its tributaries.

5. Authorised tackle—(1) No licence holder shall fish for or take any acclimatised fish except by using a rod and running line.

(2) Notwithstanding subclause (1) of this clause,—

- (a) when playing an acclimatised fish, a landing net or gaff may be used to secure or land any such fish;
- (b) for keeping acclimatised fish alive a keep net of not more than 1.8 metres in length may be used in the water from which that fish was taken.

(3) No licence holder shall use in fishing for acclimatised fish or have under his control more than one assembled rod and running line at any one time.

(4) No licence holder shall fish for acclimatised fish unless he is within 15 metres of the rod he is using and has the rod under his own visual observation.

(5) No licence holder when fishing for acclimatised fish shall use—

- (a) more than 2 lures or baits;
- (b) any lead or weight attached below or so as to hang below any lure or bait;
- (c) in any water in which only artificial fly fishing is permitted, any lead or weight other than the necessary weight of line, cast, and fly;
- (d) any artificial fly having more than one hook or having a multiple hook;
- (e) any bait or lure treated with any medicinal or chemical preparation other than—
 - (i) In the case of artificial fly, oil used solely to give buoyancy to such flies; and
 - (ii) In the case of natural baits, a formalin or other preservative preparation;
- (f) any wire, either plain or twisted, or any gimp trace or cast of a greater thickness than 0.82 mm;
- (g) any wire or gimp trace or cast of a greater length than 1.8 metres;
- (h) on or in conjunction with any fly, spoonbait, 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 13 mm between the point and the nearest part of the shank of the hook;
- (i) in conjunction with any spoonbait or artificial minnow, any lead or weight affixed to the trace or line at a distance of less than 38 cm above the lure;
- (j) any unsportsmanlike device or method.

(6) Notwithstanding subclause (5) of this clause, no licence holder in fishing for acclimatised fish shall—

- (a) Use any natural lure or bait in any high country waters;
- (b) Fish from any mechanically propelled boat in any lakes except in Lakes Ellesmere, Forsyth, Coleridge, and Sumner at a distance of at least 200m from any person fishing from the shore;
- (c) Fish from any boat or any floatation device in any high country waters except Lakes Coleridge, Georgina, Lyndon, Pearson, Taylor, Katrine, and Sumner, in which lakes any non-mechanically propelled boat may be used;

- (d) Use any lure or bait other than artificial fly in Lakes Ida, Little Ida, Catherine (also known as Monk), Sarah, Marymere, or Sheppard;
- (e) During the period commencing on the 1st day of January and ending with the 30th day of April in any year (both days inclusive), use in the Rakaia River more than one lure or bait when any weight is attached.

6. Prohibition on unauthorised fishing tackle, etc.—No licence holder shall, when fishing for acclimatised fish, use or have in his possession or under his control or convey or cause to be conveyed to the vicinity of any place where he is fishing or proposes to fish, any paravane, handline, any stroke-hauling or foulhooking gear, any spear, or any gaff.

7. Use of nets—Subject to clause 5(2) of this notice no licence holder shall use or cause to be used for taking acclimatised fish a net of any description:

Provided that it shall be a defence for any person charged with a breach of this clause if he proves that he was netting for indigenous fish in accordance with the provisions of any regulations or notices in force in that behalf.

8. Prohibition on possession or control of spear gun—(1) No licence holder shall, when taking any acclimatised fish or when in possession of any acclimatised fish, use or have in his possession or under his control any spear gun or any pointed missile (other than a bullet) which is propelled by means of any mechanical or explosive device.

(2) Where any person is charged with an offence under subclause (1) of this clause, it shall be a defence to the charge if the defendant proves that the spear gun or pointed missile in his possession or under his control was not used in taking the acclimatised fish.

(3) In this clause the term "explosive" has the same meaning as in the Explosives Act 1957.

9. Authorised lures and baits—No licence holder shall fish for acclimatised fish with any bait or lure other than artificial or natural fly, insect, worm, crustacea, minnow, or fish (excluding fish ova or any portion of a fish or any shellfish (mollusca)).

10. Daily limit bag—(1) No licence holder shall on any one day take or have in his possession more than 14 trout or salmon.

(2) Notwithstanding subclause (1) of this clause, no licence holder shall on any one day take or have in his possession more than:

- (a) 10 quinnat salmon or trout taken from Lake Coleridge;
 (b) 4 quinnat salmon taken from any other water;
 (c) 10 trout taken from any other water.

(3) No licence holder shall continue to fish for trout or salmon on any day on which he has already taken or killed 14 trout or salmon.

(4) It shall be permissible to make up the difference between a lesser limit bag prescribed in one place and a higher limit bag prescribed in another place.

11. Minimum size to be taken—(1) No licence holder shall take or have in his possession any trout or salmon which does not exceed 25 cm in length.

(2) Every licence holder taking a trout or salmon which does not exceed the specified length shall immediately return it with as little injury as possible into the water from which it was taken.

12. Revocation—The notice published in the supplement to the *Gazette* No. 183 of Thursday, 11 October 1984, on pages 4280–4282 titled District Anglers (North Canterbury Acclimatisation District) Notice 1984, is hereby revoked.

Approved at Wellington this 26th day of July 1985.

B. T. CUNNINGHAM,
 for Director-General of Agriculture and Fisheries.

*District Anglers (South Canterbury and Waitaki Valley
 Acclimatisation Districts) Notice 1985*

PURSUANT to section 71 of the Fisheries Act 1983, the South Canterbury and Waitaki Valley Acclimatisation Societies hereby give the following District Anglers Notice.

NOTICE

1. Title and commencement—This notice may be cited as the District Anglers (South Canterbury and Waitaki Valley Acclimatisation Districts) Notice 1985, and shall come into force on the 1st day of October 1985.

2. Interpretation—(1) Words and expressions in this notice which are defined in the Fisheries Act 1983 or the Freshwater Fisheries Regulations 1983 shall have the meanings so defined.

3. Open season—(1) Subject to subclauses (2) and (3) of this clause and to clause 4 of this notice, there shall be an open season for fishing for acclimatised fish from the 1st day of October in any year to the 30th day of April in the following year (both days inclusive).

(2) There shall be an open season for fishing for acclimatised fish from the first Saturday after Queen's Birthday Weekend to the 31st

day of August in the same year (both days inclusive) in the Rangitata River downstream from the bridge on the Main North Road;

(3) There shall be an open season for fishing for acclimatised fish from the 1st day of May to the 31st day of August in the same year (both days inclusive) in Lakes Tekapo, Aviemore, Benmore, and in the Tekapo-Pukaki canal;

(4) There shall be an open season for fishing for acclimatised fish from the 1st day of October in any year to the 30th day of September in the year following (both days inclusive) in the Pukaki-Ohau hydro canal.

(5) No licence holder shall fish for or take any acclimatised fish except during an open season.

4. Closed season—(1) There shall be a closed season for fishing for acclimatised fish—

(a) from the 1st day of October to the Friday preceding the first Saturday in November in the same year (both days inclusive), in Lake Alexandrina, Lake McGregor, Lake Murray, Lake Ohau, or Lake Middleton, or in any small high-country tarn, or in the tributaries of the said lakes and tarns, or in Deep Stream (a tributary of the Waitaki River) east of the bridge where it enters Lake Aviemore, or in the Ahuriri River or its tributaries, or in the Otematata River or its tributaries, or in the Ohau River or its tributaries;

(b) from the 1st day of March to the 30th day of April in the same year (both days inclusive) in Lynn Creek and its tributaries, in the Rangitata River and its tributaries above the point known as Red Rocks Bluff, that point being more particularly shown by white posts on the river banks;

(c) from the 1st day of March to the 30th day of April in the same year (both days inclusive) in the Rangitata River from the west end of the Rangitata Gorge downstream to its confluence with Boundary Creek, both points being more particularly shown by white posts on the river banks;

(d) from the 1st day of February to the 30th day of April in the same year (both days inclusive) in Larch Stream;

(e) from the 1st day of October to the Friday preceding the first Saturday in December in the same year (both days inclusive) in the Ahuriri River upstream from its confluence with Longslip Creek, or in any of its tributaries, or tarns or lagoons in the Ahuriri Valley upstream from this confluence;

(f) from the 1st day of March to the 30th day of April in the same year (both days inclusive) in that part of the Waitaki River enclosed by a line drawn from the site of a white post on the north bank situated approximately 100m west of the Waitaki Salmon Company's fish farm discharge channel; to the site of a white post set opposite on the south bank; then in a generally easterly direction along the south bank to the site of a white post situated approximately 100 m east of the aforesaid discharge channel; then to the site of a white post set opposite on the north bank; then in a generally westerly direction along the north bank to the point of commencement; or the Waitaki Salmon Company's fish farm discharge channel between Bells Pond and the Waitaki River;

(g) from the 1st day of October in any year to the 30th day of September in the following year (both days inclusive)—

- (i) in the outlet creek between Lake Alexandrina and Lake McGregor;
 (ii) in any boat harbour or from either side of any mole at any boat harbour in Lake Aviemore or Lake Benmore;
 (iii) in the Awakino Stream or from the south bank of Lake Waitaki between the notice at the east end of the spawning race and the Aviemore Dam.

(2) There shall be a closed season for fishing for salmon from the 1st day of April to the 30th day April in the same any year (both days inclusive) in the Waitaki River between the Waitaki Hydro Dam and a line running beneath and parallel to the power lines across the river southwest of Bortons, or in any tributary of that part of the Waitaki River.

5. Authorised tackle—(1) No licence holder shall fish for or take any acclimatised fish except by using a rod and running line.

(2) Notwithstanding subclause (1) of this clause,—

(a) when playing an acclimatised fish, a landing net or gaff may be used to secure or land any such fish;

(b) for keeping acclimatised fish alive a keep net of not more than 1.8 metres in length may be used in the water from which that fish was taken.

(3) No licence holder person shall use in fishing for acclimatised fish or have under his control more than one assembled rod and running line at any one time.

(4) No licence holder shall fish for acclimatised fish unless he is within 15 metres of the rod he is using and has the rod under his own visual observation.

(5) No licence holder when fishing for acclimatised fish shall use—

- (a) more than 2 lures or baits;
- (b) any lead or weight attached below or so as to hang below any lure or bait;
- (c) in any water in which only artificial fly fishing is permitted, any lead or weight other than the necessary weight of line, cast, and fly;
- (d) any artificial fly having more than one hook or having a multiple hook;
- (e) any bait or lure treated with any medicinal or chemical preparation other than—

(i) In the case of artificial fly, oil used solely to give buoyancy to such flies;

(ii) In the case of natural baits, a formalin or other preservative preparation;

- (f) any wire, either plain or twisted, or any gimp trace or cast of a greater thickness than 0.82 mm;
- (g) any wire or gimp trace or cast of a greater length than 1.8 metres;
- (h) on or in conjunction with any fly, spoonbait, minnow, or other lure any single or other fixed multiple assembly or hooks any one hook of which has a greater distance than 13 mm between the point and the nearest part of the shank of the hook;
- (i) in conjunction with any spoonbait or artificial minnow, any lead or weight affixed to the trace or line at a distance of less than 38 cm above the lure;
- (j) any unsportsmanlike device or method.

(6) No licence holder when fishing for acclimatised fish shall

- (a) Fish from any unmoored boat in Lake McGregor, Lake Alexandrina, or Lake Middleton;
- (b) Fish from a moving or moored boat in Lake Ohau within 200 m of the mouth of the Dobson River or within 200 m of the outlet of the lake or within 200 m of any person fishing from the shore of the lake;
- (c) Fish from a moving or moored boat in the Waitaki Valley Acclimatisation District in any man-made lakes, including Lakes Benmore, Aviemore, and Waitaki, within 200m of the mouth of any river entering any of those lakes or within 200 m of any person fishing from the shore of any of those lakes;
- (d) Tow or troll any lure from any mechanically propelled or mechanically drawn boat in the mouths of the Rangitata, Opihi, or Orari Rivers;
- (e) Use in the Opihi River upstream from a designated line between Milford Reserve and Smith's property (both ends of the line so designated being more particularly marked by poles on the river banks)—
 - (i) More than one lure or bait, except when fishing with artificial fly; or
 - (ii) More than one hook-unit (single or multiple), except when fishing with natural bait; or
 - (iii) Any hook of wire with a diameter larger than 1 mm, or with a gap greater than 9 mm.
- (f) In the South Canterbury Acclimatisation District use any wire trace, or metal line, except when trolling in Lake Benmore;
- (g) During the period commencing on the 1st day of January and ending with the 30th day of April, use in the Rangitata River, the Orari River, or their tributaries, more than one lure or bait when any weight is attached, or more than one hook (single or multiple), or any hook with a gap greater than 13 mm;
- (h) Cast other than from the reel, or retrieve the line other than by winding the reel, in the Rangitata River, except when
 - (i) using an artificial fly or natural lure (except where this is otherwise prohibited);
 - (ii) fishing with a single hook feathered lure (the total weight of which must not exceed 28 grams) seaward of a line drawn between two poles situated on either side of the upstream limit of the estuarine area.

(7) Every person taking any quinnat salmon in the South Canterbury Acclimatisation District by any means other than by hooking it through the mouth shall immediately return it alive with as little injury as possible into the waters from which it was taken, and no person shall have in his possession any quinnat salmon taken in such district by any means other than by being hooked through the mouth, except for the purpose of returning it into those waters in accordance with this provision.

6. Prohibition on unauthorised fishing tackle, etc.—No licence holder shall, when fishing for acclimatised fish, use or have in his possession or under his control or convey or cause to be conveyed to the vicinity of any place where he is fishing or proposes to fish,

any paravane or handline, any stroke-hauling or foulhooking gear, any gaff, or any spear.

7. Use of nets— Subject to clause 5(2) of this notice no licence holder shall use or cause to be used for taking acclimatised fish, a net of any description:

Provided that it shall be a defence for any person charged with a breach of this clause if he proves that he was netting for indigenous fish in accordance with the provisions of any regulations or notices in force in that behalf.

8. Prohibition on possession or control of spear gun—(1) No licence holder shall, when taking any acclimatised fish or when in possession of any acclimatised fish, use or have in his possession or under his control any spear gun or any pointed missile (other than a bullet) which is propelled by means of any mechanical or explosive device.

(2) Where any person is charged with an offence under subclause (1) of this clause, it shall be a defence to the charge if the defendant proves that the spear gun or pointed missile in his possession or under his control was not used in taking the acclimatised fish.

(3) In this clause the term "explosive" has the same meaning as in the Explosives Act 1957.

9. Authorised lures and baits—(1) Subject to subclauses (2) and (3) of this clause and to clause 5 (5) of this notice, no licence holder shall fish for acclimatised fish with any bait or lure other than artificial or natural fly, insect, worm, crustacea, minnow, fish (excluding fish ova or any portion of a fish or any shellfish (mollusca)) or uncoloured bread dough.

(2) No licence holder when fishing for acclimatised fish shall—

- (a) Use any crustacea or huhu grub except in that part of the Waihao River which lies between the Main North Road Bridge and the sea;
- (b) Use with a natural minnow more than one lure or bait or any single or multiple hook with a gap larger than 9 mm;
- (c) Use any lure or bait other than artificial fly in the Tengawai River or its tributaries, in the Ohape River or its tributaries, in Lake McGregor, in the Hakataramea River or its tributaries, in the Maerewhenua River or its tributaries, in Deep Stream (a tributary of the Waitaki River), or in any small high-country tarn;
- (d) Use any lure or bait other than artificial fly, artificial minnow, or spoon in Lake Middleton or its tributaries, or in the Ahuriri River or its tributaries, or in the Otematata River or its tributaries, or in the Kakanui River upstream from Forks Bridge, or in the Waihao River upstream from Forks Bridge, or in Lake Alexandrina.

(3) During the period commencing on the 1st day of January and ending with the 30th day of April in the same year (both days inclusive), in the Opihi River downstream from a designated line between Milford Reserve and Smith's property (both ends of the line so designated being more particularly marked by poles on the river banks) no licence holder in fishing for acclimatised fish shall—

- (a) use any lure or bait that does not fall in one of the following categories, that is, artificial fly, natural bait, or artificial minnow (that artificial minnow being a spinner, wobbler, finnie spoon, or other such type made solely of metal which in effect spins and wobbles when fished);
- (b) use with any lure, not being natural bait, more than one hook-unit (single or multiple) or any hook with a gap greater than 13 mm or any hook which is rigidly attached to any lure or bait;
- (c) use more than one lure or bait, except when using artificial fly;
- (d) use any trace or cast of a greater length than 1m, except when fishing with artificial fly or natural bait;
- (e) use any lure or bait the total weight of which exceeds 28 grams;
- (f) fish by any method other than casting from and retrieving on a reel except when using artificial fly or natural bait.

10. Daily limit bag—(1) No licence holder shall on any one day take or have in his possession more than 14 trout or salmon.

(2) Notwithstanding subclause (1) of this clause no licence holder shall on any one day take or have in his possession more than—

- (a) 4 salmon from any waters within the South Canterbury Acclimatisation District, except Lake Alexandrina, and Lake McGregor;
- (b) 10 trout from any waters within the South Canterbury Acclimatisation District, except Lake Alexandrina and Lake McGregor;
- (c) 6 trout or salmon taken from Lake Alexandrina and Lake McGregor of which not more than 4 may be salmon;
- (d) 10 acclimatised fish from any waters in the Waitaki Valley Acclimatisation District of which not more than 4 may be quinnat salmon taken from the Waitaki River and not more than 5 may be trout taken from Deep Stream, the Otematata River, or the Maerewhenua River.

(3) No licence holder shall continue to use a rod and running line to take trout or salmon on any day on which he has already taken a limit bag.

(4) It shall be permissible to make up the difference between a lesser limit bag prescribed in one place and a higher limit bag prescribed in another place.

11. Minimum size to be taken—(1) No licence holder shall take or have in his possession any acclimatised fish which does not exceed:

- (a) 35 cm in length if taken from Lake Alexandrina or McGregor;
- (b) 25 cm in length if taken from any other waters.

(2) Every licence holder taking a trout or salmon which does not exceed the specified length shall immediately return it with as little injury as possible into the water from which it was taken.

12. Revocation—The notice published in the supplement to *Gazette* No. 183 of Thursday, 11 October 1984, on pages 4284–4286 titled District Anglers (South Canterbury and Waitaki Valley Acclimatisation Districts) Notice 1984, is hereby revoked.

Approved at Wellington this 26th day of July 1985.

B. T. CUNNINGHAM,
for Director-General of Agriculture and Fisheries.

District Anglers (Auckland Acclimatisation District) Notice 1985

PURSUANT to section 71 of the Fisheries Act 1983, the Auckland Acclimatisation Society hereby gives the following District Anglers Notice.

NOTICE

1. Title and commencement—This notice may be cited as the District Anglers (Auckland Acclimatisation District) Notice 1985, and shall come into force on the 1st day of October 1985.

2. Interpretation—Words and expressions in this notice which are defined in the Fisheries Act 1983 or the Freshwater Fisheries Regulations 1983 shall have the meanings so defined.

3. Open season—(1) Subject to subclauses (2), (3), and (4) of this clause and clauses 4 and 5 of this notice, there shall be an open season for fishing for acclimatised fish from the 1st day of October in any year to the 30th day of April in the following year (both days inclusive).

(2) There shall be an open season for fishing for acclimatised fish from the 1st day of May to the 30th day of June in the same year (both days inclusive) in the Wanganui River upstream from its confluence with the Whakapapa River.

(3) There shall be an open season for fishing for acclimatised fish from the 1st day of October in any year to the 30th day of September in the following year (both days inclusive) in the following waters—

- (i) All lakes within the Auckland Acclimatisation District except Parkinson's Lake;
- (ii) The Wairoa River;
- (iii) The Waihou River and its tributary, the Waimakariri Stream;
- (iv) The Maratoto Stream, from the ford on the old Whangamata track (also known locally as the Wires Track) near the junction with the Hamuti Stream, to its confluence with the Waihou River;
- (v) The Ohinemuri River, from the concrete bridge (known as the Victoria Street Bridge on the boundary between Waihi Borough and Ohinemuri County) to its confluence with the Waihou River;
- (vi) The Waitawheta Stream, from the upstream end of the public vehicle access on Franklin road (as shown by a signpost) to its confluence with the Ohinemuri River;
- (vii) The Waikato River;
- (viii) The Waipa River downstream from Toa Bridge (some 16 km upstream from Otorohanga) to its confluence with the Waikato River;
- (ix) The Puniu River downstream from the Wharepapa Road bridge to its confluence with the Waipa River;
- (x) The Mangawhio River between the Waikato River and the falls;
- (xi) The Marokopa River from its junction with the Mangatuhaua Stream to its mouth;
- (xii) The Mangaotaki River, from Battley's Bridge (as shown by a signpost on the Mangaotaki Road (Pio Pio), to its confluence with the Mokau River;
- (xiii) The Wanganui River, downstream from its confluence with the Whakapapa River.

(4) No licence holder shall fish for or take any acclimatised fish except during an open season.

4. Closed Season—There shall be a closed season in respect of the taking of acclimatised fish from Parkinson's Lake.

5. Fishing prohibited between certain hours—In the Wanganui River no person shall take trout during the period between the hours of 12 midnight and 5 a.m.

6. Authorised tackle—(1) No licence holder shall fish for or take any acclimatised fish except by using a rod and running line.

(2) Notwithstanding subclause (1) of this clause,

- (a) when playing an acclimatised fish a landing net or gaff may be used to secure or land any such fish, except that a gaff may not be used in the Wanganui River;
- (b) for keeping alive non-salmonid acclimatised fish, a keep net of not more than 2 metres in depth and placed so as to have the entry above the waterline may be used in the following waters—
 - (i) Lake Kuwakatai;
 - (ii) Lake Kereta;
 - (iii) Lake Okaihou;
 - (iv) Lake Pupuke;
 - (v) Smales Quarry Lake;
 - (vi) Lake Puketū;
 - (vii) The Mangatawhiri River from the bridge on State Highway 2, to its confluence with the Waikato River;
 - (viii) The Whangamarino River;
 - (ix) Quarry Road Dam Ardmore;
 - (x) Papakura City Water Supply Dam;
 - (xi) Any other pond or lake contained within any freehold land title.

(3) No licence holder shall use in fishing for acclimatised fish or have under his control more than one assembled rod and running line at any one time.

(4) No licence holder shall fish for acclimatised fish unless he is within 15 metres of the rod he is using and has the rod under his own visual observation, except in the Wanganui River where a person must remain in attendance of the rod and line at all times.

(5) No licence holder shall cast with any fly line within 50 m of the shore of Hamilton Lake, except within the boundaries of that portion of the shore allocated as a casting range.

(6) No licence holder shall fish for acclimatised fish from any boat or launch in that part of the Waikato River between the upper limits of Lake Karapiro and the tail race of Lake Arapuni, unless such boat or launch is securely anchored.

(7) No licence holder when fishing for acclimatised fish shall use—

- (a) more than 2 lures or baits;
- (b) any lead or weight attached below or so as to hang below any lure or bait;
- (c) in any water in which only artificial fly fishing is permitted, any lead or weight other than the necessary weight of line, cast, and fly;
- (d) any artificial fly having a multiple hook, or a hook which has a greater distance than 14 mm between the point and the nearest part of the shank;
- (e) any bait or lure treated with any medicinal or chemical preparation other than—
 - (i) In the case of artificial fly, oil used solely to give buoyancy to such flies; and
 - (ii) In the case of natural baits, a formalin or other preservative preparation;
- (f) any wire, either plain or twisted, or any gimp trace or cast of a greater thickness than 0.82 mm;
- (g) any wire or gimp trace or cast of a greater length than 1.8 metres;
- (h) on or in conjunction with any spoonbait, minnow, or other lure any single or other fixed multiple assembly of hooks any one hook of which has a greater distance than 13 mm between the point and the nearest part of the shank of the hook;
- (i) in conjunction with any spoonbait or artificial minnow, any lead or weight affixed to the trace or line at a distance of less than 38 cm above the lure;
- (j) as a lure or bait any fish taken from any water other than that in which it is being used as a lure or bait;
- (k) any lure or bait other than artificial fly in the following waters—
 - (i) The Hingaia Stream and its tributaries;
 - (ii) The Wairoa River and its tributaries above the Hunua Falls;
 - (iii) The Tairua River and its tributaries;
 - (iv) The Kauaeranga River and its tributaries;
 - (v) The Komata Stream and its tributaries;
 - (vi) The Maratoto Stream and its tributaries from its source to the ford on the old Whangamata track;
 - (vii) The Kakahu Stream (north-east of Okoroire) and its tributaries;
 - (viii) The Waipapa River and its tributaries upstream from the first waterfall situated approximately 0.5 km from Lake Waipapa;
 - (ix) The Mangatutu Stream and its tributaries from its source to the Lethbridge Road Bridge;
 - (x) The Puniu River and its tributaries from its source to the Bayly Road Bridge;
 - (xi) The Kaniwhaniwha Stream and its tributaries from its source on Pirongia Mountain to its confluence with the Waipa River;
 - (xii) The Ngakoahia Stream from its source on Pirongia Mountain to the bridge on State Highway 31;

(xiii) The Awakino River and its tributaries from its source to the Mahoenui Bridge;

(xiv) The Little Waipa River from its source to its point of entry into Lake Karapiro;

- (l) any multiple hook in the Wanganui River;
(m) any unsportsmanlike device or method.

7. Prohibition on unauthorised fishing tackle, etc.—No licence holder shall, when fishing for acclimatised fish, use or have in his possession or under his control or convey or cause to be conveyed to the vicinity of any place where he is fishing or proposes to fish, any paravane, any stroke-hauling or foulhooking gear, or any spear.

8. Use of nets—Subject to clause 6 (1) of this notice, no licence holder shall use or cause to be used for taking any acclimatised fish, a net of any description:

Provided that it shall be a defence for any person charged with a breach of this clause if he proves that he was netting for indigenous fish in accordance with the provisions of any regulations or notices in force in that behalf.

9. Prohibition on possession or control of spear gun—(1) No licence holder shall, when taking any acclimatised fish or when in possession of any acclimatised fish, use or have in his possession or under his control any spear gun or any pointed missile (other than a bullet) which is propelled by means of any mechanical or explosive device.

(2) Where any person is charged with an offence under sub-clause (1) of this clause, it shall be a defence to the charge if the defendant proves that the spear gun or pointed missile in his possession or under his control was not used in taking the acclimatised fish.

(3) In this clause the term "explosive" has the same meaning as in the Explosives Act 1957.

10. Authorised lures and baits—No licence holder shall fish for acclimatised fish with any bait or lure other than artificial or natural fly, insect, worm, crustacea, minnow, fish (excluding fish ova or any portion of a fish or any shellfish (mollusca)), except in the following waters:

- (i) Lake Kuwakatai;
- (ii) Lake Kereta;
- (iii) Lake Okaihau;
- (iv) Lake Pupuke;
- (v) Smales Quarry Lake;
- (vi) Lake Puketī;
- (vii) The Mangatawhiri River from the bridge on State Highway 2 its confluence with the Waikato River;
- (viii) The Whangamarino River;
- (ix) Quarry Road Dam Ardmore;
- (x) Papakura City Water Supply Dam;
- (xi) Any other pond or lake contained within any freehold land title: where any bait (excluding fish ova or any portion of a fish or any shellfish (mollusca)) may be used.

11. Daily limit bag—(1) No licence holder shall on any one day take or have in his possession more than 8 trout or salmon.

(2) Notwithstanding subclause (1) of this clause no licence holder shall on any one day take or have in his possession more than a total of 5 trout or salmon from one or more of the following waters—

- (i) Lake Pupuke;
- (ii) Lake Moananui;
- (iii) Lake Tomarata;
- (iv) Lake Ototoa;
- (v) Lake Whatihua (Thomson's Lake);
- (vi) Lake Otamatearoa (Muir's Lake);
- (vii) The Hikutaia Cut;
- (viii) Smales Quarry Lake.

(3) No person shall continue to use a rod and running line to take trout or salmon on any day on which he has already taken 8 trout or salmon.

(4) It shall be permissible to make up the difference between a lesser limit bag prescribed in one place and a higher limit bag prescribed in another place.

12. Minimum size to be taken—(1) Subject to subclause (2) of this clause no licence holder shall take or have in his possession, any trout or salmon which does not exceed 30 cm in length.

(2) No licence holder shall take or have in his possession any trout or salmon which does not exceed 22 cm in length taken from—

- (a) These waters specified in clause 11(2); or
- (b) The Waihou River and its tributary the Waimakariri Stream.

(3) Every licence holder taking a trout or salmon which does not exceed the specified length shall immediately return it, whether it is alive or dead, with as little injury as possible, into the water from which it was taken.

13. Revocation—The notice published in the supplement to *Gazette* No. 183 of Thursday, 11 October 1984, on pages 4275–4276 titled District Anglers (Auckland Acclimatisation District) Notice 1984, is here by revoked.

Approved at Wellington this 26th day of July 1985.

B. T. CUNNINGHAM,
for Director-General of Agriculture and Fisheries.

District Anglers (Ashburton Acclimatisation District) Notice 1985

PURSUANT to section 71 of the Fisheries Act 1983, the Ashburton Acclimatisation Society hereby gives the following District Anglers Notice.

NOTICE

1. Title and commencement—This notice may be cited as the District Anglers (Ashburton Acclimatisation District) Notice 1985, and shall come into force on the 1st day of October 1985.

2. Interpretation—(1) In this notice—"Total weight" in relation to any rod fishing shall include the weight of anything attached to the line.

(2) Words and expressions in this notice which are defined in the Fisheries Act 1983 or the Freshwater Fisheries Regulations 1983 shall have the meanings so defined.

3. Open season—(1) Subject to subclause (2) of this clause and to clause 4 of this notice, there shall be an open season for fishing for acclimatised fish from the 1st day of October in any year to the 30th day of April in the following year (both days inclusive).

(2) There shall be an open season for fishing for acclimatised fish from:

- (a) the 1st day of May to the 31st day of May in the same year (both days inclusive) in Lake Camp (also known as Howard);
- (b) from the first Saturday following Queen's Birthday weekend to the 31st day of August in the same year (both days inclusive) in the Rakaia, Ashburton, and Rangitata Rivers downstream from the bridge spanning each of those rivers on the main south road;
- (c) from the 1st day of May to the 30th day of September in the same year (both days inclusive) in the Rangitata Diversion Race between the point known as the Klondyke Intake and the central structure at the intake pipe of the Highbank power station.

(3) No licence holder shall fish for or take any acclimatised fish except during an open season.

4. Closed season—(1) There shall be a closed season for fishing for acclimatised fish

- (a) from the 1st day of March to the 30th day of April in the same year (both days inclusive) in the Rakaia River and its tributaries above Lake Coleridge powerhouse, that point being more particularly shown by white posts on the river banks;

Provided that this paragraph shall not apply to any lakes draining into the Rakaia River above the point specified:

- (b) from the 1st day of March to the 30th day of April in the same year (both days inclusive) in the Rangitata River and its tributaries above the point known as Red Rocks Bluff, that point being more particularly shown by white posts on the river banks;
- (c) from the 1st day of March to the 30th day of April in the same year (both days inclusive) in the Rangitata River from the west end of the Rangitata Gorge downstream to the confluence with Boundary Creek, both points being more particularly shown by white posts on the river banks;
- (d) from the 1st day of October to the Friday preceding the first Saturday in November in the same year (both days inclusive), in any high country lake or tarn or any tributary of any such lake or tarn;
- (e) from the 1st day of April to the 30th day of April in the same year (both days inclusive), in Bowyers Stream or in Taylors Stream or in the south branch of the Ashburton River from its source downstream to its confluence with Taylors Stream;
- (f) from the 1st day of October in any year to the 30th day of September in the following year (both days inclusive) in the tail race from the Highbank power station or in the stream or side channel in the flood bed of the Rakaia River by which the waters from the said tail race enter the first main branch of the Rakaia River, the stream or side channel being indicated at its upper and lower ends by iron posts painted white.

(2) There shall be a closed season for fishing for quinnat salmon from the 1st day of March to the 30th day of April in any year (both days inclusive) in Lake Heron and its tributaries.

5. Authorised tackle—(1) No licence holder shall fish for or take any acclimatised fish except by using a rod and running line.

(2) Notwithstanding subclause (1) of this clause,

- (a) when playing an acclimatised fish, a landing net or gaff may be used to secure or land any such fish;
- (b) for keeping acclimatised fish alive a keep net of not more than 1.8 metres in length may be used in the water from which that fish was taken.

(3) No licence holder shall use in fishing for acclimatised fish or have under his control more than one assembled rod and running line at any one time.

(4) No licence holder shall fish for acclimatised fish unless he is within 15 metres of the rod he is using and has the rod under his own visual observation.

(5) No licence holder when fishing for acclimatised fish shall use—

- (a) more than 2 lures or baits;
- (b) any lead or weight attached below or so as to hang below any lure or bait;
- (c) in any water in which only artificial fly fishing is permitted, any lead or weight other than the necessary weight of line, cast, and fly;
- (d) any artificial fly having more than one hook or having a multiple hook;
- (e) any bait or lure treated with any medicinal or chemical preparation other than—
 - (i) In the case of artificial fly, oil used solely to give buoyancy to such flies; and
 - (ii) In the case of natural baits, a formalin or other preservative preparation;
- (f) any wire, either plain or twisted, or any gimp trace or cast of a greater thickness than 0.82 mm;
- (g) any wire or gimp trace or cast of a greater length than 1.8 metres;
- (h) on or in conjunction with any fly, spoonbait, minnow, or other lure, any single or other fixed multiple assembly of hooks any one hook of which has a greater distance than 13 mm between the point and the nearest part of the shank of the hook;
- (i) in conjunction with any spoonbait or artificial minnow, any lead or weight affixed to the trace or line at a distance of less than 38 cm above the lure;
- (j) any unsportsmanlike device or method.

(6) No licence holder when fishing for acclimatised fish shall—

- (a) With any natural bait, use more than on such bait, or more than 3 single hooks or 2 single and 1 triple hook, or any hook with a gap greater than 9 mm;
- (b) Troll from any boat or launch, or fish in any lake from any boat or launch—

Provided that any licence holder may fish from a securely anchored boat in—

- (i) The Maori Lakes, Lake Emma, and Lake Heron;
- (ii) Lake Clearwater (also known as Tripp) at a distance of at least 70 m from any bank or island;
- (c) During the period commencing on the 1st day of January and ending with the 30th day of April, use in the Ashburton River more than one artificial fly, lure, or bait, or more than one hook (single or multiple), or any single hook of wire with a diameter larger than 1 mm, or with a gap greater than 9 mm, or any multiple hook with a gap greater than 13 mm;
- (d) During the period commencing on the 1st day of January and ending with the 30th day of April, use in the Rakaia River or the Rangitata River more than one lure or bait when any weight is attached, or more than one hook (single or multiple), or any hook with a gap greater than 13 mm;
- (e) Cast other than from the reel, or retrieve the line other than by winding the reel, in the Rangitata, Ashburton and Rakaia rivers except when—

(i) using an artificial fly or natural lure (except where this is otherwise prohibited);

(ii) fishing with a single hook feathered lure (the total weight of which must not exceed 28 grams) seaward of a line drawn between two poles situated on either side of the upstream limit of the estuarine area.

(7) Every licence holder taking any quinnat salmon by any means other than by hooking it through the mouth shall immediately return it alive with as little injury as possible into the waters from which it was taken and no licence holder shall have in his possession any quinnat salmon taken by any means other than by being hooked through the mouth, except for the purpose of returning it into those waters in accordance with this provision.

6. Prohibition on unauthorised fishing tackle, etc.—No licence holder shall, when fishing for acclimatised fish, use or have in his possession or under his control or convey or cause to be conveyed to the vicinity of any place where he is fishing or proposes to fish, any paravane, any stroke-hauling or foulhooking gear, or any spear.

7. Use of nets—Subject to clause 5(2) of this notice no licence holder shall use or cause to be used for taking acclimatised fish a net of any description:

Provided that it shall be a defence for any person charged with a breach of this clause if he proves that he was netting for indigenous fish in accordance with the provisions of any regulations or notices in force in that behalf.

8. Prohibition on possession or control of spear gun—(1) No licence holder shall, when taking any acclimatised fish or when in possession of any acclimatised fish, use or have in his possession or under his

control any spear gun or any pointed missile (other than a bullet) which is propelled by means of any mechanical or explosive device.

(2) Where any person is charged with an offence under subclause (1) of this clause, it shall be a defence to the charge if the defendant proves that the spear gun or pointed missile in his possession or under his control was not used in taking the acclimatised fish.

(3) In this clause the term “explosive” has the same meaning as in the Explosives Act 1957.

9. Authorised lures and baits—(1) Subject to subclause (2) of this clause no licence holder shall fish for acclimatised fish with any bait or lure other than artificial or natural fly, insect, worm, crustacea, minnow, fish (excluding fish ova or any portion of a fish or any shellfish (mollusca)) or uncoloured bread dough.

(2) No licence holder when fishing for acclimatised fish shall

- (a) Use any lure or bait other than artificial fly in the Maori Lakes or Lakes Emily, Roundabout, Spider, Denny, Donn, or Clearwater (also known as Tripp), or in the Hinds River, or in the tributaries of any such lake or of the Hinds River;

Provided that a primary school pupil may fish with any lawful lure or bait in the Hinds River upstream from the Lynnford Bridge;

- (b) Use any natural bait in Lake Camp (also known as Howard), Lake Emma, or in the Ashburton River except from its mouth to a point downstream of the junction of the South Ashburton River and Taylors Stream, and inclusive of the North Ashburton River.

10. Daily limit bag—(1) No licence holder shall on any one day take or have in his possession more than 14 trout or salmon.

(2) Notwithstanding subclause (1) of this clause no licence holder shall on any one day take or have in his possession more than—

- (a) 4 salmon taken from any waters other than Lake Heron;
- (b) 10 trout, of which trout not more than 6 may be taken from any lake or lakes, including any tributaries of lakes.

(3) No licence holder shall continue to use a rod and running line to take trout or salmon on any day on which he has already taken 14 trout or salmon.

(4) It shall be permissible to make up the difference between a lesser limit bag prescribed in one place and a higher limit bag prescribed in another place.

11. Minimum size to be taken—(1) No licence holder shall take or have in his possession, any trout or salmon which does not exceed in length—

- (a) In the case of any trout taken from any lake, including any tributary of any lake, 30 cm;
- (b) In the case of any salmon or trout, other than a trout taken as provided in paragraph (a) hereof, 25 cm.

(2) Every licence holder taking a trout or salmon which does not exceed the specified length shall immediately return it with as little injury as possible into the water from which it was taken.

12. Revocation—The notice published in the supplement to the *Gazette* No. 183 of Thursday, 11 October 1984, on pages 4273–4274, titled District Anglers (Ashburton Acclimatisation District) Notice 1984, is hereby revoked.

Approved at Wellington this 26th day of July 1985.

B. T. CUNNINGHAM,
for Director-General of Agriculture and Fisheries.

District Anglers (Wellington Acclimatisation District) Notice 1985

PURSUANT to section 71 of the Fisheries Act 1983, the Wellington Acclimatisation Society hereby gives the following District Anglers Notice.

NOTICE

1. Title and commencement—This notice may be cited as the District Anglers (Wellington Acclimatisation District) Notice 1985, and shall come into force on the 1st day of October 1985.

2. Interpretation—Words and expressions in this notice which are defined in the Fisheries Act 1983 or the Freshwater Fisheries Regulations 1983 shall have the meanings so defined.

3. Open season—(1) Subject to subclause (2) of this clause, there shall be an open season for fishing for acclimatised fish from the 1st day of October in any year to the 30th day of April in the following year (both days inclusive).

(2) There shall be an open season for fishing for acclimatised fish from the 1st day of October in any year to the 30th day of September in the year following (both days inclusive), in the following waters:

- (i) All coastal dune lakes;
- (ii) Hokowhitu lagoon;
- (iii) Hutt River;
- (iv) Kawhataua River;
- (v) Lake Namu Namu;
- (vi) Lake Wairarapa;
- (vii) Makakahi River, downstream from the road bridge at Eketahuna;
- (viii) Manawatu River, downstream from Ngawapurua Bridge;
- (ix) Mangahao River, downstream from Marima Reserve Bridge;
- (x) Mangaone River (being a tributary of the Tiraumea River);
- (xi) Mangatainoka River, downstream from the junction with the Makakahi River;
- (xii) Moawhango River;
- (xiii) Ohau River;
- (xiv) Oroua River;
- (xv) Otaki River, downstream from the railway bridge;
- (xvi) Pohangina River;
- (xvii) Rangitikei River, downstream from the Mangaohane Bridge;
- (xviii) Ruamahanga River;
- (xix) Tauherenikau River;
- (xx) Tiraumea River;
- (xxi) Turakina River;
- (xxii) Upper Kourarau Dam;
- (xxiii) Waikanae River;
- (xxiv) Waingawa River;
- (xxv) Waiohine River.

(3) No licence holder shall fish for or take any acclimatised fish except during an open season.

4. Authorised tackle—(1) No licence holder shall fish for or take any acclimatised fish except by using a rod and running line.

(2) Notwithstanding subclause (1) of this clause, for playing an acclimatised fish, a landing net may be used to secure or land any such fish.

(3) No licence holder shall use in fishing for acclimatised fish or have under his control more than one assembled rod and running line at any one time.

(4) No licence holder shall fish for acclimatised fish unless he is within 15 metres of the rod and has the rod under his own visual observation.

(5) Subject to subclause (6) of this clause, no licence holder in fishing for acclimatised fish shall use any lure or bait other than artificial fly in the following waters and all their tributaries:

- (a) Hautapu, above the Ngawaka Road Bridge;
 - (b) Kopuaranga;
 - (c) Makuri, above the township bridge;
 - (d) Mangatainoka, above the road bridge on the Hamua-Hukanui road;
 - (e) Mangatarere;
 - (f) Wainuiomata, below main township bridge;
 - (g) Waitohou;
 - (h) Waipoua, above Miki Miki bridge.
- (6) No licence holder when fishing for acclimatised fish shall use
- (a) more than 2 lures or baits;
 - (b) any lead or weight heavier than 28g, unless fishing for perch;
 - (c) in any water in which only artificial fly fishing is permitted, any lead or weight other than the necessary weight of line, cast, and fly;
 - (d) any bait or lure treated with any medicinal or chemical preparation other than—
 - (i) In the case of artificial fly, oil used solely to give buoyancy to such flies;
 - (ii) In the case of natural baits, a formalin or other preservative preparation;
 - (e) any wire, either plain or twisted, or any gimp trace or cast of a greater thickness than 0.82 mm;
 - (f) any wire or gimp trace or cast of a greater length than 1.8 metres;
 - (g) in conjunction with any spoonbait or artificial minnow, any lead or weight affixed to the trace or line at a distance of less than 38 cm above the lure;
 - (h) any unsportsmanlike device or method.

5. Prohibition on unauthorised fishing tackle, etc.—No licence holder shall, when fishing for acclimatised fish, use or have in his possession or under his control or convey or cause to be conveyed to the vicinity of any place where he is fishing or proposes to fish, any paravane, any stroke-hauling or foulhooking gear, or any spear.

6. Use of nets—Subject to clause 4 (2) of this notice, no licence holder shall use or cause to be used for taking any acclimatised fish a net of any description:

Provided that it shall be a defence for any person charged with a breach of this clause if he proves that he was netting for indigenous fish in accordance with the provisions of any regulations or notices in that behalf for the time being in force.

7. Prohibition on possession or control of spear gun—(1) No licence holder shall, when taking any acclimatised fish or when in possession of any acclimatised fish, use or have in his possession or under his control any spear gun or any pointed missile (other than a bullet) which is propelled by means of any mechanical or explosive device.

(2) Where any person is charged with an offence under subclause (1) of this clause, it shall be a defence to the charge if the defendant proves that the spear gun or pointed missile in his possession or under his control was not used in taking the acclimatised fish.

(3) In this clause the term "explosive" has the same meaning as in the Explosives Act 1957.

8. Authorised lures and baits—No licence holder shall fish for acclimatised fish with any bait or lure other than artificial or natural fly, insect, worm, crustacea, minnow, fish (excluding fish ova or any portion of a fish or any shellfish (mollusca)) or bread dough.

9. Daily limit bag—(1) No licence holder shall on any one day take or have in his possession more than 12 trout or salmon.

(2) Notwithstanding subclause (1) of this clause no licence holder shall on any one day take or have in his possession more than a total of four trout or salmon from the Hutt or Wainuiomata Rivers, including all tributaries of those rivers.

(3) No licence holder shall continue to use a rod and running line to take trout or salmon on any day on which he has already taken or killed 12 trout or salmon.

(4) It shall be permissible to make up the difference between a lesser limit bag prescribed in one place and a higher limit bag prescribed in another place.

10. Revocation—The notice published in the supplement to the *Gazette* No. 183 of Thursday, 11 October 1984, on pages 4288–4289 titled District Anglers (Wellington Acclimatisation District) Notice 1984, is hereby revoked.

Approved at Wellington this 26th day of July 1985.

B. T. CUNNINGHAM,
for Director-General of Agriculture and Fisheries.

District Anglers (Tauranga Acclimatisation District) Notice 1985

PURSUANT to section 71 of the Fisheries Act 1983, the Tauranga Acclimatisation Society hereby gives the following District Anglers Notice.

NOTICE

1. Title and commencement—This notice may be cited as the District Anglers (Tauranga Acclimatisation District) Notice 1985, and shall come into force on the 1st day of October 1985.

2. Interpretation—Words and expressions in this notice which are defined in the Fisheries Act 1983 or the Freshwater Fisheries Regulations 1983 shall have the meanings so defined.

3. Open season—(1) Fishing for acclimatised fish by licence holders shall be permitted during the period from the 1st day of October in any year to the 30th day of June in the following year (both days inclusive).

(2) No licence holder shall fish for or take any acclimatised fish except during an open season.

4. Authorised tackle—(1) No licence holder shall fish for or take any acclimatised fish except by using a rod and running line.

(2) Notwithstanding subclause (1) of this clause,—

- (a) for playing an acclimatised fish, a landing net or gaff may be used to secure or land any such fish;
- (b) for keeping acclimatised fish alive a keep net of not more than 1.8 metres in length may be used in the water from which that fish was taken.

(3) No licence holder shall use in fishing for acclimatised fish or have under his control more than one assembled rod and running line at any one time.

(4) No licence holder shall fish for acclimatised fish unless he is within 15 metres of the rod he is using and has the rod under his own visual observation.

(5) No licence holder when fishing for acclimatised fish shall use—

- (a) more than 2 lures or baits;
- (b) any lead or weight attached below or so as to hang below any lure or bait;
- (c) in any water in which only artificial fly fishing is permitted, any lead or weight other than the necessary weight of line, cast, and fly;

- (d) any artificial fly having more than one hook or having a multiple hook;
- (e) any bait or lure treated with any medicinal or chemical preparation other than—
 - (i) In the case of artificial fly, oil used solely to give buoyancy to such flies; and
 - (ii) In the case of natural baits, a formalin or other preservative preparation;
- (f) any wire, either plain or twisted, or any gimp trace or cast of a greater thickness than 0.82 mm;
- (g) any wire or gimp trace or cast of a greater length than 1.8 metres;
- (h) on or in conjunction with any fly, spoonbait, 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 13 mm between the point and the nearest part of the shank of the hook;
- (i) in conjunction with any spoonbait or artificial minnow, any lead or weight affixed to the trace or line at a distance of less than 38 cm above the lure;
- (j) any unsportsmanlike device or method.

5. Prohibition on unauthorised fishing tackle, etc.—No licence holder shall, when fishing for acclimatised fish, use or have in his possession or under his control or convey or cause to be conveyed to the vicinity of any place where he is fishing or proposes to fish, any paravane, any stroke-hauling or foulhooking gear, or any spear.

6. Use of nets—Subject to clause 4 (2) of this notice no licence holder shall use or cause to be used for taking acclimatised fish, a net of any description:

Provided that it shall be a defence for any person charged with a breach of this clause if he proves that he was netting for indigenous fish in accordance with the provisions of any regulations or notices in force in that behalf.

7. Prohibition on possession or control of spear gun—(1) No licence holder shall, when taking any acclimatised fish or when in possession of any acclimatised fish, use or have in his possession or under his control any spear gun or any pointed missile (other than a bullet) which is propelled by means of any mechanical or explosive device.

(2) Where any person is charged with an offence under subclause (1) of this clause, it shall be a defence to the charge if the defendant proves that the spear gun or pointed missile in his possession or under his control was not used in taking the acclimatised fish.

(3) In this clause the term "explosive" has the same meaning as in the Explosives Act 1957.

8. Authorised lures and baits—(1) No licence holder shall fish for acclimatised fish with any bait or lure other than artificial or natural fly, insect, worm, crustacea, minnow, fish (excluding fish ova or any portion of a fish or any shellfish (mollusca)), or uncoloured bread dough.

(2) Notwithstanding subclause (1) of this clause, no person when fishing for trout shall use:

- (a) any creeper, worm, huhu grub, or koura, or any fish, except that in the Kaituna and Pongakawa Rivers inanga may be used;
- (b) any lure or bait other than artificial fly in the Ohourere Stream (commonly known as the Minden Stream);
- (c) any single hook with a gap greater than 12 mm, or use any multiple hook;
- (d) any spoonbait, minnow, or other lure of a weight greater than 40 g, or attach any weight to any such lure or to the line or trace near it, so that the total weight exceeds 40 g.

9. Daily limit bag—(1) No licence holder shall on any one day take or have in his possession more than 8 trout or salmon.

(2) No licence holder shall continue to use a rod and running line to take trout or salmon on any day on which he has already taken 8 trout or salmon.

(3) It shall be permissible to make up the difference between a lesser limit bag prescribed in one place and a higher limit bag prescribed in another place.

10. Minimum size to be taken—(1) No licence holder shall take or have in his possession, any trout or salmon which does not exceed 25 cm in length.

(2) Every licence holder taking a trout or salmon which does not exceed the specified length shall immediately return it with as little injury as possible into the water from which it was taken.

11. Revocation—The notice published in the supplement to the *Gazette* No. 183 of Thursday, 11 October 1984, on pages 4286–4287 titled District Anglers (Tauranga Acclimatisation District) Notice 1984, is hereby revoked.

Approved at Wellington this 26th day of July 1985.

B. T. CUNNINGHAM,
for Director-General of Agriculture and Fisheries.

District Anglers (Wanganui Acclimatisation District) Notice 1985

PURSUANT to section 71 of the Fisheries Act 1983, the Wanganui Acclimatisation Society hereby gives the following District Anglers Notice.

NOTICE

1. Title and commencement—This notice may be cited as the District Anglers (Wanganui Acclimatisation District) Notice 1985, and shall come into force on the 1st day of October 1985.

2. Interpretation—Words and expressions in this notice which are defined in the Fisheries Act 1983 or the Freshwater Fisheries Regulations 1983 shall have the meanings so defined.

3. Open season—(1) Subject to clause 4 of this notice there shall be an open season for fishing for acclimatised fish from the 1st day of October in any year to the 30th day of April in the following year (both days inclusive), and from the 1st day of June to the 30th day of September in the same year (both days inclusive).

(2) No licence holder shall fish for or take any acclimatised fish except during an open season.

4. Closed season—There shall be a closed season for fishing for acclimatised fish from the 15th day of April in any year to the last day of the duck shooting season in the same year (both days inclusive) in Lake Wairitoa and Lake Pauri.

5. Authorised tackle—(1) No licence holder shall fish for or take any acclimatised fish except by using a rod and running line.

(2) Notwithstanding subclause (1) of this clause,—

- (a) when playing an acclimatised fish, a landing net or gaff may be used to secure or land any such fish;
- (b) for keeping acclimatised fish alive a keep net of not more than 1.8 metres in length may be used in the water from which that fish was taken.

(3) No licence holder shall use in fishing for acclimatised fish or have under his control more than one assembled rod and running line at any one time.

(4) No licence holder shall fish for acclimatised fish unless he is within 15 metres of the rod he is using and has the rod under his own visual observation.

(5) No licence holder when fishing for acclimatised fish shall use—

- (a) more than 2 lures or baits;
- (b) any lead or weight attached below or so as to hang below any lure or bait;
- (c) in any water in which only artificial fly is permitted, any lead or weight other than the necessary weight of line, cast, and fly;
- (d) any artificial fly having more than one hook or having a multiple hook;
- (e) any bait or lure treated with any medicinal or chemical preparation other than—
 - (i) In the case of artificial fly, oil used solely to give buoyancy to such flies; and
 - (ii) In the case of natural baits, a formalin or other preservative preparation;
- (f) any wire, either plain or twisted, or any gimp trace or cast of a greater thickness than 0.82 mm;
- (g) any wire or gimp trace or cast of a greater length than 1.8 metres;
- (h) on or in conjunction with any fly, spoonbait, 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 13 mm between the point and the nearest part of the shank of the hook;
- (i) in conjunction with any spoonbait or artificial minnow, any lead or weight affixed to the trace or line at a distance of less than 38 cm above the lure;
- (j) any unsportsmanlike device or method.

6. Prohibition on unauthorised fishing tackle, etc.—No licence holder shall, when fishing for acclimatised fish, use or have in his possession or under his control or convey or cause to be conveyed to the vicinity of any place where he is fishing or proposes to fish, any paravane, any stroke-hauling or foulhooking gear, or any spear.

7. Use of nets—(1) Subject to clause 5 (2) of this notice no licence holder shall use or cause to be used for taking acclimatised fish, a net of any description:

Provided that it shall be a defence for any person charged with a breach of this clause if he proves that he was netting for indigenous fish in accordance with the provisions of any regulations or notices in force in that behalf.

8. Prohibition on possession or control of spear gun—(1) No licence holder shall, when taking any acclimatised fish or when in possession of any acclimatised fish, use or have in his possession or under his control any spear gun or any pointed missile (other than a bullet) which is propelled by means of any mechanical or explosive device.

(2) Where any person is charged with an offence under subclause (1) of this clause, it shall be a defence to the charge if the defendant

proves that the spear gun or pointed missile in his possession or under his control was not used in taking the acclimatised fish.

(3) In this clause the term "explosive" has the same meaning as in the Explosives Act 1957.

9. Authorised lures and baits—No licence holder shall fish for acclimatised fish with any bait or lure other than artificial or natural fly, insect, worm, crustacea, minnow, fish (excluding fish ova or any portion of a fish or any shellfish (mollusca)), or uncoloured bread dough.

10. Daily limit bag—(1) No licence holder shall on any one day take or have in his possession more than 20 trout or salmon.

(2) No licence holder shall continue to use a rod and running line to take trout or salmon on any day on which he has already taken or killed 20 trout or salmon.

(3) It shall be permissible to make up the difference between a lesser limit bag prescribed in one place and a higher limit bag prescribed in another place.

11. Minimum size to be taken—(1) No licence holder shall take or have in his possession any trout or salmon which does not exceed 26 cm in length.

(2) Every licence holder taking a trout or salmon which does not exceed the specified length shall immediately return it with as little injury as possible into the water from which it was taken.

12. Revocation—The notice published in the supplement to the *Gazette* No. 183 of Thursday, 11 October 1984, on pages 4287-4288 titled District Anglers (Wanganui Acclimatisation District) Notice 1984, is hereby revoked.

Approved at Wellington this 26th day of July 1985.

B. T. CUNNINGHAM,
for Director-General of Agriculture and Fisheries.

District Anglers (West Coast and Westland Acclimatisation Districts) Notice 1985

PURSUANT to section 71 of the Fisheries Act 1983, the West Coast and Westland Acclimatisation Societies hereby give the following District Anglers Notice.

NOTICE

1. Title and commencement—This notice may be cited as the District Anglers (West Coast and Westland Acclimatisation Districts) Notice 1985, and shall come into force on the 1st day of October 1985.

2. Interpretation—Words and expressions in this notice which are defined in the Fisheries Act 1983 or the Freshwater Fisheries Regulations 1983 shall have the meanings so defined.

3. Open Season—(1) Subject to subclauses (2) and (3) of this clause and to clause 4 of this notice there shall be an open season for fishing for acclimatised fish from the 1st day of October in any year to the 30th day of April in the following year (both days inclusive).

(2) There shall be an open season for fishing for acclimatised fish from the 1st day of September to the 30th day of September in the same year (both days inclusive) in all lakes in the Westland Acclimatisation District.

(3) Notwithstanding subclause (2) of this clause there shall be an open season for fishing for acclimatised fish from the 1st day of October in any year to the 30th day of September in the following year (both days inclusive) in the following waters:

- (i) Lake Brunner, except within 30 m of the mouth of any river, stream, or creek flowing into the lake;
- (ii) Lake Mahinapua;
- (iii) Big Waitaha River;
- (iv) Big Wanganui River;
- (v) Cook River;
- (vi) Fox River, within the Westland Acclimatisation District;
- (vii) Hokitika River, downstream from the Lower Gorge;
- (viii) Karangarua River;
- (ix) Waiho River;
- (x) Whataroa River;
- (xi) Buller River;
- (xii) Grey River, downstream from the confluence with the Clark River;
- (xiii) Karamea River, downstream from the cableway at the mouth of the Lower Gorge;
- (xiv) Little Wanganui River, downstream from the Main Road Bridge;
- (xv) Mokihinui River, downstream from the cableway;
- (xvi) Nile River, downstream from the confluence with the Awakere River;
- (xvii) Taramakau River, downstream from the Stanley Goosman Bridge at Jacksons;
- (xviii) Arnold River, between Lake Brunner and the Arnold Dam;
- (xix) Arahura River downstream from the Lower Gorge (Humphries Road);

(xx) Kokotahi River downstream from its confluence with the Styx River;

(xxi) Lake lanthe;

(xxii) All waters within tidal influence in the Westland Acclimatisation District.

(4) No licence holder shall fish for or take any acclimatised fish except during an open season.

4. Closed season—(1) There shall be a closed season for fishing for acclimatised fish—

(a) from the 1st day of February to the 30th day of April in the same year (both days inclusive) in Kaniere River;

(b) from the 1st day of October to the 31st day of October in the same year (both days inclusive) in Lake Poerua (inclusive of all tributaries);

(c) from the 1st day of October in any year to the 30th day of September in the following year (both days inclusive) in any stream flowing into Lake Wahapo (except in the Waitangi-Taona river), Lake Mapourika, Lake Kaniere, or Lake Christabel.

(2) There shall be a closed season for fishing for salmon from the 1st day of April to the 31st day of August in the same year (both days inclusive).

5. Authorised tackle—(1) No licence holder shall fish for or take acclimatised fish except by using a rod and running line.

(2) Notwithstanding subclause (1) of this clause,—

(a) when playing an acclimatised fish, a landing net or gaff may be used to secure or land any such fish;

(b) for keeping acclimatised fish alive a keep net of not more than 1.8 metres in length may be used in the water from which that fish was taken.

(3) No licence holder shall use in fishing for acclimatised fish or have under his control more than one assembled rod and running line at any one time.

(4) No licence holder shall fish for acclimatised fish unless he is within 15 metres of the rod he is using and has the rod under his own visual observation.

(5) No licence holder when fishing for acclimatised fish shall use—

(a) more than 2 lures or baits;

(b) any lead or weight attached below or so as to hang below any lure or bait;

(c) any artificial fly having more than one hook or having a multiple hook;

(d) any bait or lure treated with any medicinal or chemical preparation other than—

(i) In the case of artificial fly, oil used solely to give buoyancy to such flies; and

(ii) In the case of natural baits, a formalin or other preservative preparation;

(e) any wire, either plain or twisted, or any gimp trace or cast of a greater thickness than 0.82 mm;

(f) any wire or gimp trace or cast of a greater length than 1.8 metres;

(g) on or in conjunction with any fly, spoonbait, 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 13 mm between the point and the nearest part of the shank of the hook;

(h) in conjunction with any spoonbait or artificial minnow, any lead or weight affixed to the trace or line at a distance of less than 38 cm above the lure;

(i) In the waters of Lake Mapourika use any spoon, spinner, minnow or other similar lure having attached to it any more than 1 hook or a hook which is not single pointed or single barbed;

(j) any unsportsmanlike device or method.

6. Prohibition on unauthorised fishing tackle, etc.—No licence holder shall, when fishing for acclimatised fish, use or have in his possession or under his control or convey or cause to be conveyed to the vicinity of any place where he is fishing or proposes to fish, any paravane, any stroke-hauling or foulhooking gear, or any spear.

7. Use of nets—Subject to clause 5 (2) of this notice no licence holder shall use or cause to be used for taking acclimatised fish, a net of any description:

Provided that it shall be a defence for any person charged with a breach of this clause if he proves that he was netting for indigenous fish in accordance with the provisions of any regulations or notices in force in that behalf.

8. Prohibition on possession or control of spear gun—(1) No licence holder shall, when taking any acclimatised fish or when in possession of any acclimatised fish, use or have in his possession or under his control any spear gun or any pointed missile (other than a bullet) which is propelled by means of any mechanical or explosive device.

(2) Where any person is charged with an offence under subclause (1) of this clause, it shall be a defence to the charge if the defendant proves that the spear gun or pointed missile in his possession or under his control was not used in taking the acclimatised fish.

(3) In this clause the term "explosive" has the same meaning as in the Explosives Act 1957.

9. Authorised lures and baits—No licence holder shall fish for acclimatised fish with any bait or lure other than artificial or natural fly, insect, worm, crustacea, minnow, fish (excluding fish ova or any portion of a fish or any shellfish (mollusca)), uncoloured bread dough, or artificial mice or frogs.

10. Daily limit bag—(1) No licence holder shall on any one day take or have in his possession more than 7 trout or salmon.

(2) Notwithstanding subclause (1) of this clause no licence holder shall on any one day take or have in his possession more than—

(a) 1 salmon:

(b) 6 trout of which trout not more than 2 may be taken from either the Murray Creek, Harris Creek or Duck Creek and not more than 1 rainbow trout may be taken in the Arnold River Catchment which includes Lake Brunner, Lake Poerua, Orangipuku River, Crooked River and any other tributaries of these rivers:

(2) No licence holder shall continue to use a rod and running line to take trout or salmon on any day on which he has already taken 7 trout or salmon.

(3) It shall be permissible to make up the difference between a lesser limit bag prescribed in one place and a higher limit bag prescribed in another place.

11. Minimum size to be taken—(1) There shall be no minimum size limit for either trout or salmon except that in the waters of Lake Mapourika no licence holder shall take or have in his possession any trout which does not exceed 25 cm in length or any salmon which does not exceed 30 cm in length.

(2) Every licence holder taking a trout or salmon which does not exceed the specified length shall immediately return it with as little injury as possible into the water from which it was taken.

12. Revocation—The notice published in the supplement to *Gazette* No. 183 of Thursday, 11 October 1984, on pages 4289–4290 titled District Anglers (West Coast and Westland Acclimatisation Districts) Notice 1984, is hereby revoked.

Approved at Wellington this 26th day of July 1985.

B. T. CUNNINGHAM,
for Director-General of Agriculture and Fisheries.