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FOYLE FISHERIES

Foyle Area (Returns by Licence Holders) Regulations 1971

REGULATIONS, DATED 25TH JUNE 1971, MADE BY THE FOYLE FISHERIES COMMISSION WITH THE APPROVAL OF THE MINISTER FOR AGRICULTURE AND FISHERIES IN THE IRISH REPUBLIC UNDER SECTION 13 OF THE FOYLE FISHERIES ACT 1952 AND OF THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE FOR NORTHERN IRELAND UNDER SECTION 13 OF THE FOYLE FISHERIES ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1952.

The Foyle Fisheries Commission hereinafter referred to as "the Commission" in exercise of its powers under Section 13 of the Foyle Fisheries Act 1952 and section 13 of the Foyle Fisheries Act (Northern Ireland) 1952(a) hereby makes the following regulations:—

1. These regulations may be cited as the Foyle Area (Returns by Licence Holders) Regulations 1971, and shall come into operation on the 1st day of October 1971.

2.—(1) In the article the expression "scheduled licence" means any of the kinds of licence specified in the First Schedule hereto and issued by the Commission in pursuance of the Foyle Area (Licensing of Fishing Engines) Regulations 1960(b) and the Foyle Area (Licensing of Fishing Engines) (Amendment) Regulations 1968(c).

(2) Every holder of a scheduled licence for any year shall, not later than three days after the expiration of every week which or part of which is in the fishing season of such year, make to the Commission a return of the catch of salmon and sea trout taken during such week by the net or other engine of the kind specified in such licence.

(3) Where a person is the holder of more than one scheduled licence he shall make separate returns under these regulations in respect of each such licence.

(4) Every return under this article shall be in the form set out in the Second Schedule hereto and shall contain the particulars, relevant to the week to which such return relates, indicated in such form.

(5) If a person who is the holder of a scheduled licence fails to catch any salmon or sea trout in any week of the fishing season he shall write the word "NIL" on the return of catch form in respect of the appropriate week and submit the form to the Commission not later than three days after the expiration of such week.

3.—(1) Every holder of a salmon rod licence for any year shall, not later than the 31st October in such year, make to the Commission a return of the catch of salmon and sea trout taken by him in the Foyle Area during the open season for angling in such year.

(a) 1952. c. 5.
(b) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1960, No. 10.
(c) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1968, No. 82.

(2) Every return under this article shall be in the form set out in the Third Schedule.

(3) If a person who is a holder of a salmon rod licence fails to catch any salmon or sea trout in the year to which his licence relates he shall enter the word "NIL" on the return of catch form and submit the form to the Commission not later than 31st October in such year.

4. The Foyle Area (Returns by Licence Holders) Regulations 1952(**d**) are hereby revoked.

(**d**) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1952, No. 54.

FIRST SCHEDULE

Licence for a stake net.

Licence for a bag net.

Licence for a draft net to be used in the Foyle tideway.

Licence for a draft net to be used in part of the Foyle Area other than the Foyle tideway.

Licence for a drift net to be used in part of the Foyle Area other than the Foyle tideway.

SECOND SCHEDULE

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Return by Holder of Scheduled Licence for week ending .....

Date	*Salmon caught*		*Sea trout caught*		*Name and address of person to whom sold or consigned*
	No.	*Weight lb.*	*No.*	*Weight lb.*	

Signed .....

Description of Licence .....

Licence Number .....

THIRD SCHEDULE

FOYLE AREA (RETURNS BY LICENCE HOLDERS) REGULATIONS 1971

Return by Holder of Salmon rod Licence for **Season**

Date of capture	*Place of capture*	*Salmon caught*		*Sea trout caught*	
		No.	*Weight lb.*	*No.*	*Weight lb.*

Signed .....

Licence Number .....

Given under the Official Seal of the Foyle Fisheries Commission this 25th day of June 1971.

(L.S.)

J. Power,
Member of the Commission nominated by the Minister.

W. G. Malcolm,
Member of the Commission nominated by the Ministry.

The Minister for Agriculture and Fisheries hereby approves of the foregoing regulations.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Minister for Agriculture and Fisheries this 5th day of August 1971.

(L.S.)

W. O'Sullivan,
A person authorised by the Minister for Agriculture and Fisheries to authenticate the Official Seal of the Minister.

The Ministry of Agriculture hereby approves of the foregoing regulations.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Agriculture this 9th day of July 1971.

(L.S.)

A. E. W. Steen,
Assistant Secretary, Ministry of Agriculture for Northern Ireland.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Regulations and does not purport to be a legal interpretation.)

These regulations, which are similar to those made in 1952, make additional provision for the submission of "nil" returns by both licensed anglers and netsmen.