

1976 No. 356

FISHERIES

Fisheries (Licence Duties) Byelaws (Northern Ireland) 1976

Made 8th November 1976

Coming into operation 1st January 1977

The Fisheries Conservancy Board for Northern Ireland, in exercise of its powers under Section 26 of the Fisheries Act (Northern Ireland) 1966(a) (hereinafter referred to as "the Act") and of every other power enabling it in that behalf with the approval of the Department(b) of Agriculture, hereby makes the following Byelaws:

Citation and commencement

1. These Byelaws may be cited as the Fisheries (Licence Duties) Byelaws (Northern Ireland) 1976 and shall come into operation on 1st January, 1977.

Licence Duties

2. There shall be substituted for Schedule 1 of the Fisheries Consolidated, Amendment and Licence Duties Bye-laws (Northern Ireland) 1969(c) the following Schedule:

"SCHEDULE 1

Fishing Engines and Licence Duties

PART I

Licences to fish with rod and line and hand line

<i>Fishing Licence</i>	<i>Duty</i>
	£
Season game fishing rod licence	4.50
Fifteen day game fishing rod licence	3.00
Additional amount payable by the holder of a Foyle Fisheries Commission salmon rod licence to use a single game rod .	3.00
Season coarse fishing rod licence	1.00
Fifteen day coarse fishing rod licence	0.50

(a) 1966 c. 17 (N.I.)

(b) Formerly Ministry: see 1973 c. 36 s. 40 and Sch. 5 para. 8(1)

(c) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1969 No. 91 (p. 377).

PART II

Licences for fishing engines other than rod and line or hand line

<i>Fishing Engine</i>	<i>Duty</i>
	£
Draft net for the capture of salmon and freshwater fish on Lough Neagh	19.60
Draft net for the capture of freshwater fish other than trout and rainbow trout on Lough Erne	12.60
Draft net for use in freshwater other than Lough Neagh or Lough Erne	49.00
Single wall set net or trammel net for the capture of trout in Lough Neagh per 100 yards	2.80
Single wall set net or trammel net for the taking of freshwater fish other than trout and rainbow trout per 100 yards	2.80
Bait net for the taking of freshwater fish other than trout and rainbow trout for use as bait — per net	0.70
Long lines for the capture of pike on Lough Erne	2.10
Fixed tidal draft net	49.00
Fixed tidal draft net which operates in the estuary of a river upstream of the defined mouth	294.00
Tidal draft net	36.40
Drift net used in tidal waters	36.40
Bag net used in tidal waters	121.80
Salmon box or crib	147.00

PART III

Dealer's licence	£5.00"
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Revocation

3. The Fisheries (Licence Duties) Byelaws (Northern Ireland) 1975(d) are hereby revoked.

Sealed with the Common Seal of the Fisheries Conservancy Board for Northern Ireland on 8th November 1976.

(L.S.)

Savell Hicks

Chairman

R. G. Weaver

Secretary

The Department of Agriculture hereby approves the foregoing byelaws.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of Agriculture for Northern Ireland on 17th November 1976.

(L.S.)

W. H. Jack

Senior Assistant Secretary

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Byelaws but is intended to indicate their general purport.)

These Byelaws increase the licence duties for fishing with rod and line and hand line for salmon and freshwater fish. They also increase the fee payable for a licence which authorises the holder to buy and sell salmon, trout and eels.