

## 1987 No. 31

## FISHERIES

## Foyle Area (Angling) (Amendment) Regulations 1987

*Made* . . . . . 28th January 1987

*Coming into operation* . . . . . 1st March 1987

The Foyle Fisheries Commission in exercise of its powers under section 13(1) of the Foyle Fisheries Act 1952(a) and section 13(1) of the Foyle Fisheries Act (Northern Ireland) 1952(b) with the approval of the Minister for Tourism, Fisheries and Forestry in the Republic of Ireland(c) and of the Department of Agriculture for Northern Ireland(d) hereby makes the following Regulations:

*Citation and commencement*

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Foyle Area (Angling) (Amendment) Regulations 1987 and shall come into operation on 1st March 1987.

*Amendment to the Foyle Area (Angling) Regulations 1983*

2. The Foyle Area (Angling) Regulations 1983(e) shall be amended as follows—

(a) for the definition of “spinning” in Regulation 2 there shall be substituted—

“ “spinning” means the use of a single rod, reel (including a fixed spool reel) and line to cast or throw an artificial or natural bait, except the different species of earthworm (*Lumbricus* species) and maggots, and to retrieve the bait by rewinding the line on to the drum of the reel with the bait kept in motion throughout.”;

(b) for Regulation 4(4) there shall be substituted—

“(4) A person shall not use a boat on the following waters for the purpose of angling: Loughs Ash, Lee and Moor Lough in County Tyrone and Binevenagh Dam in County Londonderry.”;

(c) for the waters described in paragraph 1 in the first column of Schedule 1 there shall be substituted—

“Loughs Ash, Bradan, Lee and Moor Lough all in County Tyrone and Binevenagh Dam in County Londonderry.”.

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(a) No. 5 of 1952 (Republic of Ireland)

(b) 1952 c. 5 (N.I.)

(c) See 1962 c. 5 (N.I.) s. 2(2)

(d) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1963 No. 29 Art. 2(2) and Sch. Part II

(e) S.R. 1983 No. 317

Given under the Common Seal of the Foyle Fisheries Commission on 28th January 1987.

(L.S.) *P. Lyng*  
Member of the Commission  
appointed by the Minister for  
Tourism, Fisheries and Forestry.

The Minister for Tourism, Fisheries  
and Forestry hereby approves the  
foregoing Regulations.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the  
Minister for Tourism, Fisheries and  
Forestry on 29th January 1987.

(L.S.) *G. E. Byrne*  
A person authorised by the Minister  
for Tourism, Fisheries and Forestry  
to authenticate the Official Seal of  
the Minister.

(L.S.) *J. W. Anderson*  
Member of the Commission  
appointed by the Department of  
Agriculture for Northern Ireland.

The Department of Agriculture for  
Northern Ireland hereby approves  
the foregoing Regulations.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the  
Department of Agriculture for  
Northern Ireland on 2nd February  
1987.

(L.S.) *N. E. Morrison*  
Assistant Secretary  
Department of Agriculture for  
Northern Ireland.

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#### EXPLANATORY NOTE

*(This note is not part of the Regulations.)*

These Regulations amend the Foyle Area (Angling) Regulations 1983 which control angling in certain waters in the Foyle Area. They add Binevenagh Dam in Co. Londonderry to those waters in which fly fishing, spinning and bait fishing are the only methods of angling permitted and in respect of which the retention of fish on any one day is restricted to 4 fish with a minimum length of 25.4 cms.

Binevenagh Dam is also added to the list of waters where the use of boats for angling is prohibited.

The Regulations also revise the definition of "spinning" in the 1983 Regulations.