

1994 No. 441**FISHERIES****Eel Fishing (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1994**

Made 10th November 1994

Coming into operation 30th December 1994

The Department of Agriculture in exercise of the powers conferred on it by section 15 of the Fisheries Act (Northern Ireland) 1966(a) and of every other power enabling it in that behalf, hereby makes the following Regulations:—

Citation and commencement

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Eel Fishing (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1994 and shall come into operation on 30th December 1994.

Amendment of the Eel Fishing Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1979

2. In the Eel Fishing Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1979(b) for regulation 13 (Use of boats) there shall be substituted—

“13. Boats used for fishing for eels by means of netting or long lining on Upper and Lower Lough Erne shall not exceed—

(a) 6.1 metres in length, such length measured from the foreside of the foremost fixed permanent structure to the aftmost part of the stern; and

(b) a beam measurement of 2.2 metres at the widest point.”

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of Agriculture on 10th November 1994.

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L. Sinclair

Assistant Secretary

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

(b) S.R. 1979 No. 19

(This note is not part of the Regulations.)

These Regulations amend the Eel Fishing Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1979 to increase the size of boats permitted to be used for fishing for eels by means of netting or long lining on Upper and Lower Lough Erne.