

1978 No. 1326 (S. 120)

RIVER, SCOTLAND

SALMON AND FRESHWATER FISHERIES

The District of the River Findhorn (Annual Close Time)
Order 1978

Made - - - 4th September 1978

Coming into Operation 9th September 1978

The Secretary of State in exercise of the powers conferred on him by section 9 of the Salmon Fisheries (Scotland) Act 1868(a), and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, on the petition of the River Findhorn Salmon Fishery District Board, hereby orders as follows:—

Citation and commencement

1. This order may be cited as the District of the River Findhorn (Annual Close Time) Order 1978, and shall come into operation on 9th September 1978.

Interpretation

2. The Interpretation Act 1889(b) applies for the interpretation of this order as it applies for the interpretation of an Act of Parliament and as if this order and the order hereby revoked were Acts of Parliament.

Revocation of previous order

3. The District of the River Findhorn (Annual Close Time) Order 1950(c) is hereby revoked.

Annual close time

4. The annual close time for the District of the River Findhorn shall extend from the 27th day of August in each year until 10th February in the year next ensuing, both dates inclusive.

Extension of period for rod and line fishing

5. Notwithstanding the provisions of the last preceding article, it shall be lawful to fish for and to take salmon with the rod and line in the said District during the following period in any annual close time, that is to say from the commencement of the annual close time until 6th October inclusive.

Given under the seal of the Secretary of State for Scotland on 4th September 1978.

H. G. Robertson,
Assistant Secretary

Department of Agriculture and Fisheries for Scotland
Chesser House,
Edinburgh

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Order.)

This Order, which comes into operation on 9th September 1978, restates the annual close time for the District of the River Findhorn for net fishing and substitutes the period from 27th August to 6th October as the period within such annual close time when it shall be lawful to fish by rod and line, for the periods provided for in the District of the River Findhorn (Annual Close Time) Order 1950 which is revoked by this Order.