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FISHERIES

Fisheries (Licence Exemption) Byelaws (Northern Ireland) 1984

The Fisheries Conservancy Board for Northern Ireland, in exercise of their powers under section 26(1) of the Fisheries Act (Northern Ireland) 1966(a) and of every other power enabling it in that behalf, with the approval of the Department of Agriculture, hereby make the following Byelaws:

Citation and Commencement

1. These Byelaws may be cited as the Fisheries (Licence Exemption) Byelaws (Northern Ireland) 1984, and shall come into operation on 1st January 1985.

Amendment of the Fisheries Consolidated, Amendment and Licence Duties Bye-laws (Northern Ireland) 1969

- 2. There shall be substituted for Bye-law 4 of the Fisheries Consolidated, Amendment and Licence Duties Bye-laws (Northern Ireland) 1969(b) the following Bye-law—
 - "4. Persons who have not attained the age of 18 years shall be exempt from the requirement to hold a fishing licence to fish for, take or kill eels or freshwater fish by rod and line or hand line only, but where any such person uses more than one rod and line or hand line at the same time he shall be exempt from such requirement only in respect of one rod and line or hand line as the case may be."

Sealed with the Common Seal of the Fisheries Conservancy Board for Northern Ireland on 16th November 1984.

(L.S.) R. T. Jordan

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 16th November 1984.

(L.S.)

N. E. Morrison

Assistant Secretary

⁽a) 1966 c. 17 (N.I.)

⁽b) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1969 No. 91

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Byelaws.)

These Byelaws raise from 16 years to 18 years the age of exemption from the requirement to hold a fishing licence to fish for, take or kill eels or freshwater fish by a single rod and line or hand line only.