

## EXPLANATORY NOTE

*(This Note is not part of the Regulations, but is intended to explain their general purport.)*

## These Regulations

- (1) require records to be kept and information to be supplied to the Ministry concerning dealings in flax, flax straw and re-scutched tow;
- (2) prescribe standards for the efficient scutching of flax straw and rough tow;
- (3) prescribe maximum charges for scutching flax and tow;
- (4) provide for the settlement of disputes concerning the grading of dam-retted flax;
- (5) make provisions concerning payments falling to be made under the Act; and
- (6) prescribe standard prices for flax and re-scutched tow produced from the 1960 crop.

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## FOYLE FISHERIES COMMISSION

## Foyle Area (Rivers Faughan and Roe Angling) Regulations, 1959

The Foyle Fisheries Commission hereinafter referred to as "the Commission" in exercise of its powers under Section 13 of the Foyle Fisheries Act, 1952, and Section 13 of the Foyle Fisheries Act (Northern Ireland), 1952, hereby makes the following regulations:—

1. These regulations may be cited as the Foyle Area (Rivers Faughan and Roe Angling) Regulations, 1959.
2. These regulations shall apply to the rivers Faughan and Roe and their tributaries and shall come into effect on the first day of January, 1960.
3. For the purpose of these regulations:
  - (a) the term "night fishing" shall mean angling on any day later than one hour after sunset or earlier than one hour before sunrise.
  - (b) the gape of a hook shall be measured as the distance when the hook is normally aligned between the point of the hook and the shank of the hook.
4. Angling shall be by any of the methods named in the first column of the schedule hereto and shall be subject to the respective limitations and restrictions specified in the third column of the said schedule. No person shall angle by any other method or in contravention of the said limitations and restrictions.
5. Fishing by any method is prohibited within fifty yards downstream of the weir known as Kane's Rock on the river Roe in the townland of Deer Park, County Londonderry.

6. It is prohibited to snatch or to attempt to snatch or foul hook salmon with any kind of hook or combination of hooks covered in part or in whole with any matter or thing or uncovered and whether used with a rod and line or otherwise.

7. The Foyle Area (Rivers Faughan and Roe Angling) Regulations, 1955, and the Londonderry District Byelaw dated 21st September, 1889, (in so far as the said byelaw relates to the Rivers Faughan and Roe and their tributaries) are hereby revoked.

Given under the Official Seal of the Foyle Fisheries Commission this  
30th day of October, 1959.

*E. O'Kelly,*

Member of the Commission  
nominated by the Minister.

(L.S.)

*Joseph Edwards,*

Member of the Commission  
nominated by the Ministry.

The Minister for Lands hereby approves of the foregoing regulations.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Minister for Lands this fourth day  
of November, 1959.

(L.S.)

*M. J. Gallaher,*

A person authorised by the  
Minister for Lands to  
authenticate the Official  
Seal of the Minister.

The Ministry of Commerce for Northern Ireland hereby approves of the  
foregoing regulations.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Commerce for Northern  
Ireland this eleventh day of November, 1959.

(L.S.)

*W. J. Thompson,*

Assistant Secretary,  
Ministry of Commerce for  
Northern Ireland.

## SCHEDULE

<i>Method</i>	<i>Definition</i>	<i>Limitation and Restrictions</i>
FLY FISHING	Angling with rod and line (other than a thread line) and one or more artificial fly hooks.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) Night fishing shall be prohibited.</li> <li>(b) Not more than two single dressed fly hooks of normal weight spaced at least two feet apart shall be used.</li> <li>(c) No weight shall be added to the hook, cast or line.</li> <li>(d) The breaking strain of the cast used shall not exceed 8 lbs.</li> </ul>
BAIT FISHING	Angling with rod, line and one single hook baited with natural bait.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) Night fishing shall be prohibited.</li> <li>(b) The gape of the hook used shall not exceed 9 mm.</li> <li>(c) The breaking strain of the line used shall not exceed 8 lbs.</li> <li>(d) The maximum length of the rod used shall not exceed nine feet.</li> </ul>
THREADLINING	Angling with rod, fixed spool reel, threadline and single lure constructed to have a spinning or other motion when worked in the water.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) Night fishing shall be prohibited.</li> <li>(b) The lure used shall have not more than one treble hook or alternatively one single hook.</li> <li>(c) The gape of each hook shall not exceed 6 mm.</li> <li>(d) The breaking strain of the line used shall not exceed 8 lbs.</li> <li>(e) The maximum length of the rod shall not exceed nine feet.</li> </ul>