

CHAPTER 6260
DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES
COMMERCIAL FISHING OPERATIONS

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6260.0300 COMMERCIAL FISHING PERMIT ISSUANCE.

[For text of subps 1 and 2, see M R]

Subp 3 **Class B permits.** Class B permits may be issued for

A permanently or temporarily installed traps in waters of the state with fish migrations,

B the use of seines, hoop nets, and fyke nets by persons other than licensed inland commercial operators;

C licensed inland commercial operators to fish waters other than the core waters of their assigned area,

D licensed inland commercial operators to fish unassigned waters, or

E licensed inland commercial operators to crib fish in waters other than where taken

[For text of subp 4, see M R]

Statutory Authority: *MS s 97C 811*

History: 23 SR 348

6260.1700 COMMERCIAL FISHING ON LAKE OF THE WOODS.

[For text of subps 1 to 6, see M.R.]

Subp 7 **Required reporting.** Commercial operators licensed to fish Lake of the Woods must submit monthly reports on forms provided by the commissioner for each month that commercial fishing activity takes place. The reports must be sent to the address identified on the form so that they are received by the tenth day of the month following the month that the activity took place.

[For text of subps 8 to 11, see M R.]

Statutory Authority: *MS s 97C 811*

History: 23 SR 348

6260.1800 COMMERCIAL FISHING ON LAKE SUPERIOR.

[For text of subps 1 to 6, see M R]

Subp 7 **Required reporting.** Commercial fishing operators must submit a record of their commercial fishing operations for each month of the calendar year on forms provided by the commissioner. These reports must be submitted to the address identified on the form so that they are received within ten days after the end of the month for which the report is made. Reports must be made regardless of whether fish are taken and regardless of whether any fishing operations have taken place. Separate records must be kept for each pound or trap net used in Lake Superior and St. Louis Bay. Reports for pound or trap nets must include the number of game fish kept and released, and must be submitted to the Lake Superior Office by the tenth day of each month for the preceding month, whether or not pound or trap nets were fished.

Statutory Authority: *MS s 97A 045*

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6260.2400 DESCRIPTION OF INLAND COMMERCIAL FISHING AREAS.

[For text of subps 1 to 27, see M R.]

Subp. 28. **Inland Commercial Fishing Area No. 28.** Inland Commercial Fishing Area No 28 consists of all of Cook county

Core Waters	Id. No	Twp	Rge	Sec.
Pine Lake Cook Co	16-41	65	1-3E	Various
Greenwood Lake Cook Co.	16-77	64	2E	21-28, 34
Flour Lake Cook Co	16-147	64	1W; 1E	1, 2, 11, 12, 5, 6
Poplar Lake Cook Co	16-239	64	1W; 2W	6, 7, 8, 1, 2, 11, 12
Seagull Lake Cook Co	16-629	65, 66	4, 5W	5-7; 31, 32, 9-16
Saganaga Lake Cook Co	16-633	65, 66	4, 5W	Various

[For text of subps 29 to 32, see M.R.]

Subp 33. **Inland Commercial Fishing Area No. 33.** Inland Commercial Fishing Area No 33 consists of all of Todd, Morrison, Benton, and Stearns counties except that part of Stearns county bounded by a line starting at the junction of Stearns County Highway No 2 and the Meeker County line, near the community of Watkins, thence north on Stearns County Highway No. 2 to State Highway No 23, near the community of Cold Spring, thence west on State Highway No 23 to the junction of State Highway No 55, thence west on State Highway No 55 to the eastern Kandiyohi County line, plus that part of Wadena county lying south of Wadena County Highway No 9

Core Waters	Id No	Twp	Rge	Sec.
Little Rock Benton Co.	5-13	37, 38	31	2, 3, 10, 11, 14, 34, 35
Two Rivers Lake Stearns Co.	73-138	125, 126	30, 31	6, 19, 30, 31, 36
Big Swan Lake Todd Co	77-23	128	32	7, 18-20, 29, 30
Big Birch Lake Todd and Stearns Counties	77-84	126, 127	32, 33	Various

[For text of subp 34, see M R.]

Statutory Authority: MS s 97C 815

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NOTE The amendments to subparts 28 and 33, adopted at 23 SR 348, are effective March 1, 1999