

FISH AND GAME PROTECTION ACT TRAPPER EDUCATION REGULATIONS

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FISH AND GAME PROTECTION ACT Chapter F-12

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Pursuant to section 7 of the *Fish and Game Protection Act* R.S.P.E.I. 1988, Cap. F-12, Council made the following regulations:

1. Definitions

In these regulations

- (a) "certificate" means a certificate indicating that a person has successfully completed the course;
- (b) "course" means a trapper education course approved by the Minister pursuant to sections 3 and 4;
- (c) "Department" means the Department Fisheries, Aquaculture and Environment;
- (d) "Minister" means the Minister of Fisheries, Aquaculture and Environment. (EC445/87; 639/93)

2. Requirement for trapper education

A resident trapping license or junior trapping permit and registration number shall not be issued to a person unless

- (a) before these regulations came into force that person was the holder of a resident trapping license or junior trapping permit and had been issued a registration number; or
- (b) that person successfully completes a course and, upon application for a resident trapping license or junior trapping permit, produces a certificate. (EC445/87)

3. Trapper education course

The Minister shall institute a trapper education course for the purpose of training a person in the proper methods of trapping furbearers. (EC445/87)

4. Content

The program and content of the course shall be approved by the Minister. (EC445/87)



5. Approval of instructors

No person shall act as an instructor in a course without the prior approval of the Minister. (EC445/87)

6. Designation

The Minister may designate employees of the Department to be instructors. (EC445/87)

7. Application form

Applicants for the course shall apply on a form approved by the Minister. (EC445/87)

8. Fees

The Minister may determine the fees to be paid to the Department or to an organization conducting a course on behalf of the Department. (EC445/87)

9. Certificate

The Minister may issue a trapper education certificate to persons who have successfully completed the course. (EC445/87)

10. Direction to take course

The Minister may direct that any person, whether or not that person has been previously issued a registration number or has previously taken the course, be required to complete the course before being issued a resident trapping license or junior trapping permit. (EC445/87)