Ice Fishing Regulations : 1977

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PISCATAQUIS COUNTY

TO USE THIS PISCATAQUIS COUNTY SECTION:

Look for the name of the water you want to fish. If it is listed here, the letter codes will direct you to the regulations that apply.

NOT being listed has different meanings in different counties. In Piscataquis County, lakes and ponds which are not listed are open to ice fishing from the time the ice forms to March 31. For all fish except trout, these fish have been opened by rule and regulation of the commissioner of inland fisheries and wildlife.

MAPPING OF THE LETTER CODES:

A. Except as otherwise indicated by special regulations on this water, open to ice fishing from the time the ice forms to March 31. All fish except trout, bass, sunfish, crappie, horned pout, carp or any spiny-finned fish may be taken only by hook and line. There is a 6-inch limit of fish in all rivers, streams, and brooks.

B. Except as otherwise indicated by special regulations on this water. Open to ice fishing from the time the ice forms to March 31. Trout may be taken only by hook and line. There is a 15-inch limit of fish in all rivers, streams, and brooks.

C. Except as otherwise indicated by special regulations on this water. Closed to ice fishing.

S-1. Open to taking of smelts from ice-in to March 31. Smelts may be taken only by hook and line.

S-2. Open only on Friday, Saturday and Sunday per Code B. Unlawful to use or possess of live fish as bait.

S-3. Closed to ice fishing.

S-4. Closed to the taking of smelts.

S-5. Closed to ice fishing where fish have been opened by rule and regulation of the commissioner of inland fisheries and wildlife.

S-6. No ice fishing on this water, open to ice fishing for all fish during February and March.

S-7. Open only on Friday, Saturday and Sunday per Code B. Unlawful to use or possess of live fish as bait.

S-8. Closed to ice fishing where fish have been opened by rule and regulation of the commissioner of inland fisheries and wildlife.

S-9. Closed to ice fishing.

COMPLAINTS

Any persons who believe discrimination because of race, color, or an unfavorable action in a manner inconsistent with the right to challenge such discrimination by making complaints to the appropriate agency in accordance with the provisions of Title 28, Section 207, Maine Revised Statutes Annotated, must file a complaint within six (6) months from the date of the action complained of.

SOMERSET COUNTY

TO USE THIS SOMERSET COUNTY SECTION:

Look for the name of the water you want to fish. If it is listed here, the letter codes will direct you to the regulations that apply.

NOT being listed has different meanings in different counties. In Somerset County, an open water is not closed to ice fishing.

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B. Except as otherwise indicated by special regulations on this water, open to ice fishing from the time the ice forms to March 31. Trout may be taken only by hook and line. There is a 15-inch limit of fish in all rivers, streams, and brooks.

C. Except as otherwise indicated by special regulations on this water. Closed to ice fishing.

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S-9. Closed to ice fishing.

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WASHINGT0N COUNTY

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S-4. Closed to the taking of smelts.

S-5. Closed to ice fishing where fish have been opened by rule and regulation of the commissioner of inland fisheries and wildlife.

S-6. No ice fishing on this water, open to ice fishing for all fish during February and March.

S-7. Open only on Friday, Saturday and Sunday per Code B. Unlawful to use or possess of live fish as bait.

S-8. Closed to ice fishing where fish have been opened by rule and regulation of the commissioner of inland fisheries and wildlife.

S-9. Closed to ice fishing.

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YORK COUNTY

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ANDROSCOGGIN COUNTY
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TO USE THIS ANDROSCOGGIN COUNTY SECTION: Look for the name of the water you want to fish. If it is listed below, the letter codes will direct you to the regulations that apply.

NOT being listed has different meanings in different counties. In Androscoggin County, the water will be open to fishing for all types of fish at all times. Special regulations may restrict the general fishing rules for that water.

RODNEY W. ROSS, Brownville

TO HANCOCK COUNTY
All inland waters of Maine are closed to ice fishing except those which have been opened by rule and regulation of the Department of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife.

TO USE THIS HANCOCK COUNTY SECTION: Look for the name of the water you want to fish. If it is listed below, the letter codes will direct you to the regulations that apply.

NOT being listed has different meanings in different counties. In Hancock County, the water will be open to fishing for all types of fish at all times. Special regulations may restrict the general fishing rules for that water.

RODNEY W. ROSS, Brownville

TO OXFORD COUNTY
All inland waters of Maine are closed to ice fishing except those which have been opened by rule and regulation of the Department of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife.

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NOT being listed has different meanings in different counties. In Oxford County, the water will be open to fishing for all types of fish at all times. Special regulations may restrict the general fishing rules for that water.

RODNEY W. ROSS, Brownville

TO KNOX COUNTY
All inland waters of Maine are closed to ice fishing except those which have been opened by rule and regulation of the Department of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife.

TO USE THIS KNOX COUNTY SECTION: Look for the name of the water you want to fish. If it is listed below, the letter codes will direct you to the regulations that apply.

NOT being listed has different meanings in different counties. In Knox County, the water will be open to fishing for all types of fish at all times. Special regulations may restrict the general fishing rules for that water.

RODNEY W. ROSS, Brownville