WAC 212-65-095 Alternate methods. The state fire marshal may modify any of the provisions of this regulation upon application in writing by the owner or licensee or his duly authorized representative, where there are practical difficulties in carrying out the strict letter of this regulation. The particulars of such modification may be granted or allowed: *Provided*, That it does not create a condition that is dangerous to life. The decision of the state fire marshal shall be entered upon the record, and a signed copy shall be furnished the owner or licensee. [Statutory Authority: RCW 74.15.050. 81–14-010 (Order FM 81-3), § 212-65-095, filed 6/23/81.]

WAC 212-65-100 Severability. If any provision of this regulation, or its application to any person or circumstance is held invalid, the remainder of the regulation or the application of the provisions to other persons or circumstances is not affected. [Statutory Authority: RCW 74.15.050. 81-14-010 (Order FM 81-3), § 212-65-100, filed 6/23/81.]

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Barracuda Pacific barracuda Cyprinids Carp

Sphyraena argentea

Cyprinus carpio

Cods and Hake Pacific hake Pollock or Walleye pollock Pacific Tomcod Pacific Cod or true cod Flounder, sole and halibut Butter sole or Bellingham sole C-O sole Dover sole English sole Flathead sole Pacific halibut Petrale sole Rex sole Rock sole Pacific sand dab Sand sole Slender sole Speckled sand dab Starry flounder Turbot or Arrowtooth flounder All other species of sole and flounder Giant wrymouth Greenling Lingcod Rock greenling Kelp greenling All other species of greenling Herring and herring-like fishes Northern anchovy Pacific sand lance or candlefish Pacific herring Pacific sardine or pilchard American shad Mackerels, tunas and jacks (carangids) Pacific bonito Pacific mackerel Jack mackerel Monterey Spanish mackerel Spanish mackerel Yellowtail Albacore Bluefin tuna Skipjack tuna Yellowfin tuna All other species of tunas and mackerels Pacific pomfret Pacific pompano Plainfin midshipman Ratfish Rattails, all species Skates Longnose skate Big skate All other species of skates Rockfish Bocaccio Black rockfish Brown rockfish Copper rockfish Greenstriped rockfish Orange or canary rockfish Pacific Ocean perch Red snapper or rasphead rockfish Rosefish or splitnose rockfish Silvergray rockfish Yellow backed or Quillback

rockfish

Sablefish

Yellowtail rockfish

All other species of rockfish

Merluccius productus Theragra chalcogrammus Microgadus proximus Gadus macrocephalis

Isopsetta isolepis
Pleuronichtys coenosus
Microstomus pacificus
Parophrys vetulus
Hippoglossoides elassodon
Hippoglossus stenolepis
Eopsetta jordani
Glyptocephalus zachirus
Lepidopsetta bilineata
Citharichthys sordidus
Psettichthys melanostictus
Lyopsetta exilis
Citharichthys stellatus
Platichthys stellatus
Atheresthes stomias

(Pleuronectiformes)
Delolepsis gigantea

Ophiodon elongatus Hexagrammos superciliosus Hexagrammos decagrammus (Hexagrammidae)

Engraulis mordax Ammodytes hexapterus Clupea harengus pallasi Sardinops sagax Alosa sapidissima

Sarda chiliensis
Scomber japonicus
Trachurus symmetricus
Scomberomorus concolor
Scomberomorus maculatus
Seriola dorsalis
Thunnus alalunga
Thunnus thynnus
Euthynnus pelamis
Thunnus albacares

(Scombridae)
Brama japonica
Peprilus simillimus
Parichthys notatus
Hydrolagus colliei
(Coryphaenoididae)

Raja rhina Raja binoculata (Rajidae)

Sebastodes paucispinis Sebastodes melanops Sebastodes auriculatus Sebastodes caurinus Sebastodes elongatus Sebastodes pinniger Sebastodes alutus

Sebastodes ruberrimus Sebastodes diploproa Sebastodes brevispinis

Sebastodes maliger Sebastodes flavidus (Scorpaenidae) Anoplopoma fimbria

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Salmon

Chinook or King salmon
Chum or dog salmon
Pink or humpback
Coho or silver
Sockeye or blue back
Masu
Sculpins
Brown Irish lord
Buffalo sculpin
Cabezon

Great sculpin Pacific Staghorn sculpin Red Irish lord Seabass and Drums White seabass All other seabass and drums Sharks Mud shark or sixgill shark Soupfin shark Dogfish or spiny dogfish All other species of sharks Smelts Eulachon or Columbia River smelt Longfin smelt Surf smelt

All other species of smelt
Sturgeons
Green sturgeon
White sturgeon
Surfperches
Blue perch or striped seaperch
Kelp perch or brown perch
Pogie or redtail surfperch
Shiner perch
Silver perch or pile perch
Walleye surfperch
White seaperch
All other species of perch
Wolf-eel

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Oncorhynchus tshawytscha Oncorhynchus keta Oncorhynchus gorbuscha Oncorhynchus kisutch Oncorhynchus nerka Oncorhynchus masu

Hemilepidotus spinosus Enophrys bison Scorpaenichthys marmoratus Myoxocephalus polyacanthocephalus Leptocottus armatus Hemilepidotus hemilepidotus

Cynoscion nobilis (Sciaenidae and Serranidae)

Hexanchus griseus Galeorhinus zyopterus Squalus acanthias (Squaliformes and Hexanchiformes)

Thaleichthys pacificus Spirinchus dilatus Hypomesus pretiosus (Osmeridae)

Acipenser medirostris Acipenser transmontanus

Embiotoca lateralis
Brachyistius frenatus
Amphistichus rhodoterus
Cymatogaster aggregata
Rhacochilus vacca
Hyperprosopon argenteum
Phanerodon furcatus
(Embiotocidae)
Anarrhichthys ocellatus

[Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82–07–047 (Order 82–19), § 220–12–010, filed 3/18/82; Order 1057, § 220–12–010, filed 5/22/73; Order 807, § 220–12–010, filed 1/2/69, effective 2/1/69; Order 677, Food fish classification, filed 3/31/66; Order 256, Food fish classification, filed 3/1/60.]

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220-16-070 Definitions—Otter trawl. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 79-05-007 (Order 79-20), § 220-16-070, filed 4/11/79; Order 810, § 220-16-070, filed

4/17/69. Formerly WAC 220--16-010 (part).] Repealed by 82-14-056 (Order 82-72), filed 7/1/82. Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080.

Definitions—Shrimp trawl. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 80-13-064, (Order 80-123), § 220-16-130, filed 9/17/80; Order 77-145, § 220-16-130, filed 12/13/77; Order 945, § 220-16-130, filed 8/16/71; Order 810, § 220-16-130, filed 4/17/69. Formerly WAC 220-16-010 (part).] Repealed by 82-14-056 (Order 82-72), filed 7/1/82. Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080.

220-16-132 Scallop dredge. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08-.080. 82-03-045 (Order 82-6), § 220-16-132, filed 1/19/82.] Repealed by 82-14-056 (Order 82-72), filed 7/1/82. Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080.

WAC 220-16-015 General definitions--Trawl gear.

- (1) "Otter trawl" shall be defined as a cone or funnel—shaped net which is towed or drawn through the water by one or two vessels. Otter trawl nets may be used both on and off the seabed. Otter trawl nets may be fished with or without trawl doors, and may employ warps or cables to direct fish. Otter trawl nets are restricted to the following three categories:
- (a) "Bottom trawl" means an otter trawl in which the otter boards or the footrope of the net contact the seabed, and includes Danish and Scottish seine gear.
- (b) "Roller trawl" or "bobbin trawl" are identical, and mean an otter trawl with footropes equipped with rollers or bobbins made of wood, steel, rubber, plastic, or other hard material which protects the net during fishing on the seabed.
- (c) "Pelagic trawl" means an otter trawl in which the otter boards may be in contact with the seabed but the footrope of the net remains above the seabed. Pelagic trawl nets may not have footropes protected at the trawl mouth with rollers, bobbins, or discs.
- (2) "Beam trawl" shall be defined as a bag-shaped trawl net not utilizing weighted otter frames or otter doors when operated. The minimum mesh size for beam trawl nets is four and one-half inches in a food fish fishery and one and one-half inches in a shrimp fishery, unless otherwise provided.
- (3) "Shrimp trawl" shall be defined as a tapered, funnel—shaped trawl net in which the mesh size is two inches or less in the intermediate and codend sections of the trawl. Otter doors or boards are used to spread the mouth of the net horizontally as it is towed. The mouth of the net is formed on the upper edge by a line to which floats are attached (headrope) and on the lower edge by a line which is usually weighted (footrope). Additional webbing is frequently attached to the codend section to prevent the net from chafing.
- (4) "Scallop dredge" shall be defined as trawl gear with interlocking metal ring meshes, which is legal gear for harvest of scallops.
- (5) "Codend" shall be defined as the terminal, closed end of a trawl net.
- (a) Single-walled codend is a codend constructed of a single wall of webbing knitted with single-ply mesh, or with double-ply mesh (double twine tied into a single knot).
- (b) Double-walled codend is a codend constructed of two walls of webbing. The double-walled portion of the

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codend must be tied knot-to-knot to the trawl net, and may not be longer than twenty-five trawl meshes or twelve feet, whichever is greater. The use of double-walled codends is unlawful in pelagic trawls, roller trawls, and bobbin trawls.

(6) "Chafing gear" shall be defined as webbing or other material attached to the bottom (underside) or around the codend of a trawl net to protect the codend from wear. Chafing gear must not be connected to the terminal (closed) end of the codend.

(7) "Trawl riblines" shall be defined as heavy ropes or lines that run down the sides, top or underside of a trawl net from the mouth of the net to the terminal end of the codend to strengthen the net during fishing.

(8) "Trawl mesh size" shall be defined as the distance between the inside of one knot and the inside of the opposite vertical knot in trawl mesh. Minimum trawl mesh size requirements are met if a wedge of legal size can be passed without undue force through sixteen of twenty sets of two meshes each of wet mesh in the codend. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82–14–056 (Order 82–72), § 220–16–015, filed 7/1/82; Order 810, § 220–16–015, filed 4/17/69. Formerly WAC 220–16–010 (part).]

WAC 220-16-055 Definitions—Hook and line—Angling. "Hook and line" and "angling" shall be identical in meaning and, except as provided in WAC 220-56-115, shall be defined as the use of not more than one line with one lure in the act of fishing for personal use and not for sale or barter, to be attached to a pole held in hand while landing fish, or the use of a hand operated line without rod or reel, to which may be attached not more than one lure. When fishing for bottomfish, "angling" and "jigging" shall be identical in meaning. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82-13-040 (Order 82-61), § 220-16-055, filed 6/9/82; Order 810, § 220-16-055, filed 4/17/69. Formerly WAC 220-16-010 (part).]

WAC 220-16-070 Repealed. See Disposition Table at beginning of this chapter.

WAC 220-16-090 Definitions—Set line. "Set line" shall be defined as a stationary, buoyed, and anchored ground line with hooks attached. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82-14-056 (Order 82-72), § 220-16-090, filed 7/1/82; Order 810, § 220-16-090, filed 4/17/69. Formerly WAC 220-16-010 (part).]

WAC 220-16-126 Troll spread. "Troll spread" shall be defined as a readily detachable line more than 4 inches in length, which has one or more lures attached to it, and is attached to the main troll line which cannot be removed from the vessel during its operation. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82-14-056 (Order 82-72), § 220-16-126, filed 7/1/82.]

WAC 220-16-130 Repealed. See Disposition Table at beginning of this chapter.

WAC 220-16-132 Repealed. See Disposition Table at beginning of this chapter.

WAC 220-16-145 Definitions—Bottomfish pot. "Bottomfish pot" shall be defined as a portable, enclosed device with one or more gates or entrances and one or

more lines attached to surface floats. Bottomfish pots must have biodegradable escape panels constructed with #21 or smaller untreated cotton twine in such a manner that an opening at least eight inches in diameter results when the twine deteriorates. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82–14–056 (Order 82–72), § 220–16–145, filed 7/1/82; Order 866, § 220–16–145, filed 6/12/70.]

WAC 220-16-257 Razor clam beds. "Razor clam beds" are defined as that portion of Pacific Ocean beaches westerly of a line 500 feet seaward and parallel to the base of the primary dune or cliff or any portion of Pacific Ocean beaches posted as a razor clam bed and marked with boundary markers. The detached Willapa Harbor Spits that are north of Ledbetter Channel, west of Ellen Sands and south of the Willapa Ship Channel are also defined as "razor clam beds," as are those portions of the mouths of Grays Harbor and Willapa Harbor which contain razor clams. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82-07-047 (Order 82-19), § 220-16-257, filed 3/18/82; 80-13-064 (Order 80-123), § 220-16-257, filed 9/17/80.]

WAC 220-16-315 General definitions—Net mesh measurement. The size of a mesh of any net shall be defined as the distance between the inside of one knot to the outside of the opposite vertical knot of one mesh when the mesh is stretched vertically, while wet, by using a tension of ten pounds on any three consecutive meshes, then measuring the middle mesh of the three while under tension; trawl net mesh – see WAC 220-16-015. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82-14-056 (Order 82-72), § 220-16-315, filed 7/1/82; 82-03-045 (Order 82-6), § 220-16-315, filed 1/19/82; Order 1105, § 220-16-315, filed 12/28/73; Order 817, § 220-16-315, filed 5/29/69. Formerly WAC 220-16-030 (part).]

WAC 220-16-340 General definitions--Bottomfish. The term "Bottomfish," unless otherwise provided, is defined as including Pacific cod, Pacific tomcod, Pacific hake, walleye pollock all species of dabs, sole and flounders (except Pacific halibut), lingcod and all other species of greenling, ratfish, sablefish, cabezon, buffalo sculpin, great sculpin, red Irish lord, brown Irish lord, Pacific staghorn sculpin, wolf-eel, giant wry mouth, plainfin midshipman, spiny dogfish, six gill shark, soupfin shark and all other species of shark, and all species of skate, rockfish, rattails and sea perches. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82-07-047 (Order 82-19), § 220-16-340, filed 3/18/82; 79-05-007 (Order 79-20), § 220–16–340, filed 4/11/79; Order 77–147, § 220–16– 340, filed 12/16/77; Order 817, § 220-16-340, filed 5/29/69. Formerly WAC 220-16-030 (part).]

Chapter 220-20 WAC GENERAL PROVISIONS

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220-20-010 General provisions—Lawful and unlawful acts—Salmon, other food fish and shellfish.

220-20-012 Unlawful sale of food fish and shellfish.
220-20-019 Requirement to provide sales documents.
220-20-021 Sale of commercially caught sturgeon.
220-20-039 Live fish—Import and transfer.

WAC 220-20-010 General provisions—Lawful and unlawful acts—Salmon, other food fish and shellfish. (1) It shall be unlawful to take, fish for, possess or transport for any purpose food fish, shellfish or parts thereof, in or from any of the waters or land over which the state of Washington has jurisdiction, or from the waters of the Pacific Ocean, except at the times, places and in the manners and for the species, quantities, sizes or sexes provided for in the regulations of the department of fisheries.

- (2) It shall be unlawful for any person, corporation, business, or company to have in possession or under control or custody any salmon or other food fish or shellfish within the land or water boundaries of the state of Washington, except in those areas which are open to commercial fishing or wherein the possession, control or custody of salmon or other food fish or shellfish for commercial purposes is made lawful under a statute of the state of Washington or the rules and regulations of the director of fisheries, unless otherwise provided.
- (3) It shall be lawful to take, fish for, possess, process and otherwise deal in food fish and fish offal or scrap for any purpose, provided; that it shall be unlawful to use any of the following listed species for purposes other than human consumption or fishing bait:

Pacific halibut (Hippoglossus stenolepis)
Pacific herring (Clupea harengus pallasi)
(except when lawfully taken from Marine Fish-Shellfish
Management and Catch Reporting Areas 20A, 20B,
21A, and 21B as prescribed in WAC 220-49-020)
Salmon

Chinook

(Oncorhynchus tshawytscha)

Coho

(Oncorhynchus kisutch)

Chum

(Oncorhynchus keta)

Pink

(Oncorhynchus gorbuscha)

Sockeye

(Oncorhynchus nerka)

Masu

(Oncorhynchus masu)

- (4) It shall be unlawful for any person to take, fish for or possess food fish or shellfish smaller than the lawful commercial sizes while aboard any craft engaged in commercial fishing or having commercially caught fish aboard.
- (5) It shall be unlawful for the owner or operator of any commercial food fish or shellfish gear to leave such gear unattended in waters of the state or offshore waters unless said gear is marked with a buoy to which shall be affixed in a visible and legible manner the department of fisheries approved and registered buoy brand provided that:
- (a) Buoys affixed to unattended gear must be visible on the surface of the water except during strong tidal flow or extreme weather conditions.
- (b) Effective January 1, 1975, when two or more shellfish pots are attached to a common ground line the

number of pots so attached must be clearly labeled on the required buoy.

- (c) It shall be unlawful at any time to leave a gill net unattended in the commercial salmon fishery.
- (6) It shall be unlawful to place any commercial food fish or shellfish gear in any waters closed to commercial fishing, provided; that this provision shall not apply to reef nets or brush weirs or to gear being tested under supervision of the department of fisheries, provided further that it shall be unlawful to take, fish for or possess food fish with any type of commercial fishing gear in the waters of Carr Inlet north of north latitude 47° 20' from August 15 through November 30 except as provided in chapter 220–47 WAC.
- (7) It shall be unlawful for the owner or operator of any fishing gear to refuse to submit such gear to inspection in any manner specified by authorized representatives of the department of fisheries.
- (8) It shall be unlawful for any person taking or possessing food fish or shellfish taken from any of the waters or beaches of the Columbia River, the state of Washington or the Pacific Ocean for any purpose to fail to submit such food fish or shellfish for inspection by authorized representatives of the department of fisheries.
- (9) It shall be unlawful for any person licensed under the Fisheries Code of Washington to fail to make any report or return required of him by the department of fisheries relative to the taking, selling, possessing, transporting, processing, freezing and storing of food fish or shellfish whether taken within the jurisdiction of the state of Washington or beyond or on Indian reservations or usual and accustomed Indian fishing grounds.
- (10) It shall be unlawful to take, fish for or possess or to injure, kill or molest fish in any fishway, fish ladder, fish screen, holding pond, rearing pond, or other fish protective device, or to interfere in any manner with the proper operation of such fish protective devices.
- (11) It shall be unlawful to club, gaff, shoot, snag, snare, dip net, harass, spear, stone or otherwise molest, injure, kill or destroy any food fish or shellfish or parts thereof, or for any person to attempt to commit such acts, or to have any fish, shellfish or parts thereof so taken in possession, provided; that it shall be lawful to use a dip net, gaff or club in the landing of food fish taken by personal—use angling.
- (12) It shall be unlawful to take or possess for any purpose any food fish or shellfish smaller than the lawful minimum size limits. Any such fish either snagged, hooked, netted or gilled must be immediately returned to the water with the least possible injury to the fish or shellfish and it shall be unlawful to allow undersized salmon entangled in commercial nets to pass through a power block or onto a power reel or drum.
- (13) It shall be unlawful to possess aboard any vessel engaged in commercial fishing or having commercially caught fish aboard, any salmon or other food fish or shellfish in such condition that its species, length, weight or sex cannot be determined if a species, length, weight, or sex limit is prescribed for said species.
- (14) It shall be unlawful in any area to use, operate or carry aboard a commercial fishing vessel a licensed net

or combination of such nets, whether fished singly or separately, in excess of the maximum lawful size or length prescribed for a single net in that area, except as otherwise provided for in the rules and regulations of the department of fisheries.

- (15) It shall be unlawful for any permit holder to fail to comply with all provisions of any special permit or letter of approval issued to him under the authority of the director of fisheries, or to perform any act not specifically authorized in said document or in the regulations of the director of fisheries.
- (16) It shall be unlawful to use, place or cause to be placed in the waters or on the beaches or tidelands of the state any substance or chemical used for control of predators or pests affecting food fish or shellfish or other aquatic marine organisms, without first having obtained a special permit to do so from the director of fisheries.
- (17) It shall be lawful to test commercial fishing gear as follows:
- (a) Bellingham Bay inside and northerly of a line from Governor's Point to the south tip of Eliza Island to Point Frances in waters 10 fathoms and deeper.
- (b) Boundary Bay north of a line from Birch Point to Point Roberts and south of the International boundary in waters 10 fathoms and deeper during times not under IPSFC control.
- (c) San Juan Channel within a 1 mile radius of Point Caution during times not under IPSFC control.
- (d) Port Angeles inside and westerly of a line projected from the east tip of Ediz Hook through buoy C "1" to the mainland.
- (e) Port Gardner within a 2 mile radius of the entrance to Everett breakwater in waters 10 fathoms and deeper.
- (f) Central Puget Sound between lines from Meadow Point to Point Monroe and Skiff Point to West Point in waters 50 fathoms and deeper.
- (g) East Pass between lines from Point Robinson true east to the mainland and from Dash Point to Point Piner in waters 50 fathoms and deeper.
- (h) Port Townsend westerly of a line from the Coast Guard station in Port Townsend to Walan Point to Kala Point in waters 10 fathoms and deeper.
- (i) All tows or sets are limited to 20 minutes exclusive of setting and retrieving time.
- (j) All testing is to be accomplished between 8:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m.
- (k) Codends of trawl nets must be left open, all hooks of set line gear must be unbaited, and no lures or baited hooks shall be used with jig or troll gear.
- (l) Any and all incidentally caught fish and shellfish must be returned to the waters immediately, and no fish or shellfish are to be retained aboard the vessel at any time during a gear test operation.
- (m) It shall be unlawful for any person conducting such gear testing operations to fail to notify the fisheries patrol office in Olympia prior to testing.
- (18) It is unlawful for any person or corporation licensed by the department of fisheries to fail to comply with the directions of authorized department personnel related to the collection of sampling data or material

from food fish or shellfish. It is also unlawful for any such person or corporation to fail to relinquish to the department, upon request, any part of a salmon or other food fish containing coded—wire tags, including but not limited to, the snouts of those salmon that are marked by having clipped adipose fins. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82-15-040 (Order 82-83), § 220-20-010, filed 7/15/82; 82-07-047 (Order 82-19), § 220-20-010, filed 3/18/82; 81-02-053 (Order 81-3), § 220-20-010, filed 1/7/81; 80-10-058 (Order 80-83), § 220-20-010, filed 8/6/80; 80-07-017 (Order 80-45), § 220-20-010, filed 6/11/80; 79-10-013 (Order 79-75), § 220-20-010, filed 9/7/79; Order 77-14, § 220-20-010, filed 4/15/77; Order 76-148, § 220-20-010, filed 12/2/76; Order 1193, § 220–20–010, filed 3/4/75; Order 1179, § 220–20–010, filed 11/19/74; Order 1106, § 220-20-010, filed 1/10/74; Order 1057, § 220-20-010, filed 5/22/73; Order 945, § 220–20–010, filed 8/16/71; Order 920, § 220–20–010, filed 5/13/71; Order 817, § 220-20-010. filed 5/29/69; Order 810, § 220-20-010, filed 4/17/69; Order 771-A, § 220-20-010, filed 3/29/68; Order 767, § 1, filed 12/22/67; Order 758, § 3, filed 10/16/67; Order 726, §§ 2, 3, filed 4/24/67; Order 721, § 1, filed 3/9/67; Subsections 1, 2 from Orders 405 and 256, filed 3/1/60; Subsection 3 from Order 677, filed 3/31/66; Subsection 16 from Order 525, filed 5/3/61; Orders 355 and 256, filed 3/1/60; Subsection 4 from Order 591, filed 10/28/63; Orders 479 and 256, filed 3/1/60; Subsection 5 from Orders 383 and 256, filed 3/1/60; Subsections 6, 26, 35 from Order 568, filed 3/26/63; Order 543, filed 3/20/62; Order 507, filed 4/13/60; Order 256, filed 3/1/60; Subsections 7– 11, 13-15, 17, 18, 22 from Orders 355 and 256, filed 3/1/60; Subsection 12 from Orders 407 and 256, filed 3/1/60; Subsections 19, 27 from Orders 480 and 256, filed 3/1/60; Subsection 20 from Order 677, filed 3/31/66; Orders 483 and 256, filed 3/1/60; Subsection 23 from Order 677, filed 3/31/66; Order 605, filed 4/21/64; Order 568, filed 3/26/63; Order 543, filed 3/20/62; Order 507, filed 4/13/60; Order 256, filed 3/1/60; Subsection 24 from Order 605, filed 4/21/64; Orders 407 and 256, filed 3/1/60; Subsection 25 from Orders 449 and 256, filed 3/1/60; Subsections 28-33 from Orders 456 and 256, filed 3/1/60; Subsection 34 from Orders 486 and 256, filed 3/1/60; Subsection 36 from Order 591, filed 10/28/63; Subsections 37 and 38 from Order 677, filed 3/31/66; Subsection 39 from Order 672, filed 12/28/65.]

WAC 220-20-012 Unlawful sale of food fish and shellfish. In order to prevent the sale of food fish or shellfish taken under personal—use fishing regulations, it shall be unlawful to sell, or offer for sale or purchase, or offer to purchase, any food fish or shellfish unless taken with lawful commercial gear, in an area open to commercial fishing for that species, and the fisherman has in his possession at the time of sale a valid commercial fishing license. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 81-02-053 (Order 81-3), § 220-20-012, filed 1/7/81; 79-11-069 (Order 79-111), § 220-20-012, filed 10/18/79.]

WAC 220-20-019 Requirement to provide sales documents. It is unlawful for any individual, firm, or corporation to fail to show on demand to any authorized employee or enforcement officer of the department of fisheries state of Washington fish receiving tickets or sales documents pursuant to WAC 220-69-240. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82-17-040 (Order 82-105), § 220-20-019, filed 8/13/82.]

- WAC 220-20-021 Sale of commercially caught sturgeon. (1) It shall be unlawful for any person licensed to take sturgeon for commercial purposes under chapter 75.28 RCW to:
- (a) Keep any sturgeon he takes under such license for personal use; or
- (b) Sell any sturgeon he takes under such license to anyone other than a licensed wholesale dealer within or outside the state of Washington, except that a person who is himself licensed as a wholesale dealer under the provisions of RCW 75.28.300 may sell his catch to individuals or corporations other than licensed wholesale dealers; or
- (c) Sell, barter, or attempt to sell or barter sturgeon eggs that have been removed from the body cavity of any sturgeon taken under such license prior to the time that the sturgeon is sold under subsection (1)(b) of this section.
- (2) It shall be unlawful for any wholesale dealer licensed under RCW 75.28.300 to purchase or attempt to purchase sturgeon eggs from sturgeon taken by any person licensed to take sturgeon for commercial purposes under chapter 75.28 RCW if the sturgeon eggs have been removed from the body cavity of the sturgeon prior to the sale of the sturgeon. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82–17–040 (Order 82–105), § 220–20–021, filed 8/13/82.]
- WAC 220-20-039 Live fish—Import and transfer. (1) It is unlawful for any person, group, corporation, association, or government entity to import into, transport, or possess within the state of Washington live fish and/or the viable sexual products thereof, except aquarium fish, game fish, indigenous marine baitfish, and mosquito fish (Gambusia spp.) when used by agencies authorized by chapter 17.28 RCW without having first obtained a permit to do so from the director of the department of fisheries. The permit shall accompany the fish and/or sexual products at all times within the state of Washington and shall be presented to department of fisheries employees on demand.
- (2) The director may impose conditions in any permit as necessary to insure the protection of food fish within this state from infectious, contagious or communicable diseases and pests. It shall be unlawful to violate the terms and conditions of any permit. In addition to any other penalties provided by law, violation of these rules on the terms and conditions of any permit may result in the suspension and/or revocation of the permit. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82–17–040 (Order 82–105), § 220–20–039, filed 8/13/82.]

Chapter 220–22 WAC MANAGEMENT AND CATCH REPORTING AREAS

WAC	
220-22-020	Coast, Willapa Harbor, Grays Harbor salmon management and catch reporting areas.
220-22-030	Puget Sound salmon management and catch reporting areas.
220-22-400	Marine fish-shellfish management and catch reporting areas, Puget Sound.
220–22–410	Marine fish-shellfish management and catch reporting areas, coastal waters.

WAC 220-22-020 Coast, Willapa Harbor, Grays Harbor salmon management and catch reporting areas. [(1)] Area 1 shall include those waters of District 1 and the Oregon coast westerly of a line projected from the inshore end of the north Columbia River jetty in the state of Washington to the knuckle of the south Columbia River jetty in the state of Oregon, northerly of a line projected true west from Tillamook Head in Oregon and southerly of a line projected true west from Leadbetter Point in Washington.

- (2) Area 2 shall include those waters of District 1 northerly of a line projected true west from Leadbetter Point and southerly of a line projected true west from the Queets River mouth.
- (3) Area 2A shall include those waters of Grays Harbor and the Chehalis River estuary upstream from the Union Pacific Railroad Bridge [at] [to] Aberdeen to a line projected from the Standard Oil Dock at a right angle to the thread of the stream to a fishing boundary marker set on the opposite shore.
- (4) Area 2B shall include those waters of Grays Harbor lying easterly of a straight line projected from the Point Chehalis Light, located 123 feet above mean high water at Westport, through lighted buoy 13 to where it intersects with the shore at Point Brown, southerly of a line projected from a fishing boundary marker at Ocean Shores Marina, to a fishing boundary marker on Sand Island and thence to the tripod station at Brackenridge Bluff, westerly of a line projected from the tripod station at Brackenridge Bluff southward and extending through channel marker 8 in the south channel at the mouth of Johns River to the mainland, and northerly of the Bay City Bridge.
- (5) Area 2C shall include those waters of Grays Harbor northerly of a line projected from a fishing boundary marker at Ocean Shores Marina to a fishing boundary marker on Sand Island to the tripod station at Brackenridge Bluff and westerly of a line starting at a monument located at the point of Holman Bluff near the mouth of Grass Creek and projected to a monument set on Point New, exclusive of those waters within 1/4 mile of a monument set on the beach near the mouth of Chenois Creek and those waters northerly of a line starting at a monument located near the beach in front of the Giles Hogan residence located west of the mouth of the Humptulips River, thence projected in a southeasterly direction to a monument set on the most southerly tip of the grass spit at the mouth of the Humptulips River, thence projected in an easterly direction to a

point on Chenois Bluff at 47° 0′ 32″ N latitude, 124° 1′ W longitude.

- (6) Area 2D shall include those waters of Grays Harbor and the Chehalis River estuary easterly of a line projected from the tripod station at Brackenridge Bluff southward and through channel marker 8 at the mouth of Johns River in the south channel to the mainland and westerly of the Union Pacific Railroad Bridge in Aberdeen and westerly (downstream) of the Highway 105 bridge on Johns River.
- (7) Area 2G shall include those waters of Willapa Harbor northerly of a line projected from Needle Point approximately 285° true to the Island Sands Light approximately 2 miles south of Riddle Spit Light No. 10 and thence true west to the North Beach Peninsula, westerly of a line projected from Needle Point northerly to day beacon No. 14 and thence to Ramsey Point, outside and westerly of a line projected from Stony Point to the Bay Center Channel Light (F1 4 seconds, 16 feet) to the northern tip of Goose Point, downstream and westerly of a line projected from the outermost tip of Johnson Point to a fishing boundary marker on the Willapa River's south bank, outside and southerly of a line commencing at a boundary marker on the west shore of the North River projected 82 degrees true through channel marker No. 16 to a boundary marker on the east shore, outside and southerly of a line projected from the Cedar River's meander corner between Section 31, Township 15N, and Section 6, Township 14N, Range 10W, W.M., to the meander corner between Sections 36, Township 15N, and Section 1, Township 14N, Range 11W, W.M., and inside and easterly of a straight line projected from the Cape Shoalwater Light through buoy 8A, located between buoy 8 and buoy 10, approximately 1,500 yards from Cape Shoalwater Light on a line 171° true, to Leadbetter Point.
- (8) Area 2H shall include those waters of Willapa Harbor and the Willapa River estuary lying upstream from a line projected from the outermost tip of Johnson Point to a fishing boundary marker on the river's south bank and downstream from a line projected true north across the river from a fishing boundary marker on the section line between Section 27 and 28, Township 14N, Range 9W.
- (9) Area 2J shall include those waters of Willapa Harbor lying southerly and westerly of a line projected from Diamond Point to the Island Sands Light, approximately 2 miles south of Riddle Spit Light No. 10, and thence due west to the North Beach Peninsula, and northerly of a line projected true east—west through marker 20 between Long Island and the North Beach Peninsula.
- (10) Area 2K shall include those waters of Willapa Harbor easterly of a line projected from the northern tip of Goose Point to the Bay Center Channel Light (F1 4 seconds, 16 feet) to Stony Point and westerly of the Palix River Highway 101 Bridge.
- (11) Area 2M shall include those waters of Willapa Harbor lying southerly and easterly of a line projected

- from Needle Point approximately 285° true to the Island Sands Light, approximately 2 miles south of Riddle Spit Light No. 10, and south to Diamond Point, downstream and westerly of the Highway 101 Bridge over the Naselle River, and northerly and easterly of a line from Stanley Point to Paradise Point.
- (12) Area 3 shall include those waters of District 1 northerly of a line projected true west from the Queets River mouth and southerly of a line projected true west from Cape Alava.
- (13) Area 4 shall include those waters of District 1 northerly of a line projected true west from Cape Alava, westerly of lines projected from the northern tip of Portage Head to the southern tip of Waatch Point and from the Tatoosh Island Light to Bonilla Point and southerly of a line projected true west from the intersection of the Bonilla-Tatoosh line with the U.S.-Canada International Boundary Line.
- (14) Area 4Å shall include those waters easterly and inside of a line projected from the northern tip of Portage Head to the southern tip of Waatch Point, outside and westerly of the mouth of any river or stream flowing to the sea. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82–13–048 (Order 82–63), § 220–22–020, filed 6/11/82; 81–13–005 (Order 81–37), § 220–22–020, filed 6/8/81; 80–09–072 (Order 80–69), § 220–22–020, filed 7/18/80; 78–07–067 (Order 78–45), § 220–22–020, filed 6/30/78; Order 77–71, § 220–22–020, filed 8/18/77; Order 77–14, § 220–22–020, filed 4/15/77; Order 76–35, § 220–22–020, filed 5/11/76.]

Reviser's note: RCW 34.04.058 requires the use of underlining and deletion marks to indicate amendments to existing rules, and deems ineffectual changes not filed by the agency in this manner. The bracketed material in the above section does not appear to conform to the statutory requirement.

- WAC 220-22-030 Puget Sound salmon management and catch reporting areas. (1) Area 4B shall include those waters of Puget Sound easterly of a line projected from the Bonilla Point Light on Vancouver Island to the Tatoosh Island Light, thence to the most westerly point on Cape Flattery and westerly of a line projected true north from the fishing boundary marker at the mouth of the Sekiu River.
- (2) Area 5 shall include those waters of Puget Sound easterly of a line projected true north from the fishing boundary marker at the mouth of the Sekiu River and westerly of a line projected true north from Low Point.
- (3) Area 6 shall include those waters of Puget Sound easterly of a line projected from the Angeles Point Monument to the William Head Light on Vancouver Island, northerly of a line projected from the Angeles Point Monument to the Partridge Point Light, westerly of a line projected from the Partridge Point Light to the Smith Island Light, and southerly of a line projected from the Smith Island Light to vessel traffic lane buoy R to the Trial Island Light.
- (4) Area 6A shall include those waters of Puget Sound easterly of a line projected from the Partridge Point Light to the Smith Island Light to the most northeasterly of the Lawson Reef lighted buoys (RB 1 Qk Fl Bell) to Northwest Island to the Initiative 77 marker on

Fidalgo Island and westerly of a line projected from Reservation Head on Fidalgo Island to West Point on Whidbey Island.

- (5) Area 6B shall include those waters of Puget Sound southerly of a line projected from the Angeles Point Monument to the Partridge Point Light, westerly of a line projected from the Partridge Point Light to the Point Wilson Light and easterly of a line projected 155° true from Dungeness Spit Light to Kulo Kala Point.
- (6) Area 6C shall include those waters of Puget Sound easterly of a line projected true north from Low Point and westerly of a line projected from the Angeles Point Monument to the William Head Light on Vancouver Island.
- (7) Area 6D shall include those waters of Puget Sound westerly of a line projected 155° true from Dungeness Spit Light to Kulo Kala Point.
- (8) Area 7 shall include those waters of Puget Sound southerly of a line projected true west from the Sandy Point Light, westerly of a line projected southeasterly from Sandy Point Light to the most westerly point of Gooseberry Point, northerly of a line projected from the Trial Island Light to vessel traffic lane buoy R to the Smith Island Light to the most northeasterly of the Lawson Reef lighted buoys (RB 1 Qk Fl Bell) to Northwest Island to the Initiative 77 marker on Fidalgo Island, and westerly of a line projected from Gooseberry Point on the mainland true south to its intersection with Lummi Island (the Initiative 77 line), thence along the eastern shore-line of Lummi Island to Carter Point, thence to the most northerly tip of Vendovi Island, thence to Clark Point on Guemes Island following the shoreline to Southeast Point on Guemes Island, thence to March Point on Fidalgo Island.
- (9) Area 7A shall include those waters of Puget Sound northerly of a line projected true west from the Sandy Point Light.
- (10) Area 7B shall include those waters of Puget Sound easterly of a line projected from the most westerly point of Gooseberry Point on the mainland true south to its intersection with Lummi Island (the Initiative 77 line), thence along the eastern shoreline of Lummi Island to Carter Point, thence to the most northerly tip of Vendovi Island, thence to Clark Point on Guemes Island following the shoreline to Southeast Point on Guemes Island, northerly of the Burlington Northern railroad bridges at the north entrances to Swinomish Channel and westerly of a line projected from William Point Light on Samish Island 28° true to the range light near Whiskey Rock on the north shore of Samish Bay.
- (11) Area 7C shall include those waters of Puget Sound easterly of a line projected from William Point Light on Samish Island 28° true to the range light near Whiskey Rock on the north shore of Samish Bay.
- (12) Area 7D shall include those waters of Puget Sound easterly of a line projected southeasterly from the Sandy Point Light to the most westerly point of Gooseberry Point.
- (13) Area 8 shall include those waters of Puget Sound easterly of a line projected from West Point on Whidbey

- Island to Reservation Head on Fidalgo Island, westerly of a line projected from the light on East Point 340° true to the light on Camano Island (Saratoga Pass Light #2, Fl Red 4 Sec) southerly of the Burlington Northern railroad bridges at the north entrances to Swinomish Channel and northerly of the state highway 532 bridges between Camano Island and the mainland.
- (14) Area 8A shall include those waters of Puget Sound easterly of a line projected from the East Point Light on Whidbey Island 340° true to the light on Camano Island (Saratoga Pass Light #2, Fl Red 4 Sec), northerly of a line projected from the southern tip of Possession Point true east to the mainland and southerly of the state highway 532 bridges between Camano Island and the mainland.
- (15) Area 9 shall include those waters of Puget Sound southerly and easterly of a line projected from the Partridge Point Light to the Point Wilson Light, northerly of the site of the Hood Canal Floating Bridge, northerly of a line projected true west from the shoreward end of the Port Gamble tribal dock on Point Julia to the mainland in the community of Port Gamble, southerly of a line projected from the southern tip of Possession Point true east to the mainland and northerly of a line projected from the Apple Cove Point Light to Edwards Point.
- (16) Area 9A shall include those waters of Puget Sound known as Port Gamble Bay southerly of a line projected true west from the shoreward end of the Port Gamble tribal dock on Point Julia to the mainland in the community of Port Gamble.
- (17) Area 10 shall include those waters of Puget Sound southerly of a line projected from the Apple Cove Point Light to Edwards Point, westerly of a line projected 233° true from the Golden Tides restaurant near Shilshole Marina through entrance piling No. 8 to the southern shore of the entrance to the Lake Washington Ship Canal, westerly of a line projected 7° true from a point on Duwamish Head through the Duwamish Head Light to Pier 91, northerly of a true east—west line passing through the Point Vashon Light, easterly of a line projected from Orchard Point to Beans Point on Bainbridge Island, and northerly and easterly of a line projected true west from Agate Point on Bainbridge Island to the mainland.
- (18) Area 10A shall include those waters of Puget Sound easterly of a line projected 7° true from a point on Duwamish Head through the Duwamish Head Light to Pier 91.
- (19) Area 10B shall include those waters of Puget Sound easterly of a line projected 233° true from the Golden Tides restaurant near Shilshole Marina through entrance piling No. 8 to the southern shore of the entrance to the Lake Washington Ship Canal, Salmon Bay, the Lake Washington Ship Canal, Lake Union, Portage Bay, Lake Washington northerly of the Evergreen Point Floating Bridge, and waters of the Sammamish River north of State Highway 908 Bridge.
- (20) Area 10C shall include those waters of Lake Washington southerly of the Evergreen Point Floating Bridge.

- (21) Area 10D shall include those waters of the Sammamish River south of the State Highway 908 Bridge and Lake Sammamish.
- (22) Area 10E shall include those waters of Puget Sound westerly of a line projected from Orchard Point to Beans Point on Bainbridge Island and southerly and westerly of a line projected true west from Agate Point on Bainbridge Island to the mainland.
- (23) Area 11 shall include those waters of Puget Sound southerly of a true east—west line passing through the Point Vashon Light, northerly of a line from Browns Point to the Asarco smelter stack on the opposite shore of Commencement Bay, and northerly of the Tacoma Narrows Bridge.
- (24) Area 11A shall include those waters of Puget Sound southerly of a line from Browns Point to the Asarco smelter stack on the opposite shore of Commencement Bay.
- (25) Area 12 shall include those waters of Puget Sound southerly of the site of the Hood Canal Floating Bridge and northerly and easterly of a line projected from the Tskutsko Point Light to Misery Point.
- (26) Area 12A shall include those waters of Puget Sound northerly of a line projected from Pulali Point true east to the mainland.
- (27) Area 12B shall include those waters of Puget Sound southerly of a line projected from Pulali Point true east to the mainland, northerly of a line projected from Ayock Point true east to the mainland, and westerly of a line projected from the Tskutsko Point Light to Misery Point.
- (28) Area 12C shall include those waters of Puget Sound southerly of a line projected from Ayock Point true east to the mainland and northerly and westerly of a line projected from Ayres Point to the fishing boundary marker at Union.
- (29) Area 12D shall include those waters of Puget Sound easterly of a line projected from Ayres Point to the fishing boundary marker at Union.
- (30) Area 13 shall include those waters of Puget Sound southerly of the Tacoma Narrows Bridge and a line projected 93° true from the marker on the Longbranch Peninsula to the point immediately north of Green Point and northerly and easterly of a line projected from the Devil's Head Light to Treble Point, thence through lighted buoy No. 3 to the mainland.
- (31) Area 13A shall include those waters of Puget Sound northerly of a line projected 93° true from the marker on Longbranch Peninsula to the point immediately north of Green Point.
- (32) **Area 13B** shall include those waters of Puget Sound westerly of a line projected from the Devil's Head Light to Treble Point, thence through lighted buoy No. 3 to the mainland. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08-.080. 82-15-040 (Order 82-83), § 220-22-030, filed 7/15/82; 81-18-017 (Order 81-101), § 220-22-030, filed 8/25/81; 80-04-070 (Order 80-17), § 220-22-030, filed 3/26/80; 79-07-045 (Order 79-42), § 220-22-030, filed 6/22/79; 78-05-018 (Order 78-16), § 220-22-030, filed 4/13/78; Order 77-66, § 220-22-

030, filed 8/5/77; Order 77–14, § 220–22–030, filed 4/15/77; Order 76–35, § 220–22–030, filed 5/11/76.]

- WAC 220-22-400 Marine fish-shellfish management and catch reporting areas, Puget Sound. (1) Area 20A shall include those waters of Puget Sound north of a line projected from Village Point, Lummi Island through the navigation buoy just east of Matia Island thence to the buoy at Clements Reef thence to the easternmost point of Patos Island and from the westernmost point of Patos Island due east to the international boundary; and west of a line from Point Francis through the marker north of Inati Bay, Lummi Island to Lummi Island.
- (2) Area 20B shall include those waters of Puget Sound southerly of Area 20A, westerly of a line from Lummi Island through Lummi Rocks to the northernmost tip of Sinclair Island, and northerly of a line from the northernmost tip of Sinclair Island to Lawrence Point on Orcas Island and a line which runs from Steep Point on Orcas Island to Limestone Point on San Juan Island and then to Green Point on the eastern tip of Speiden Island and from the western tip of Speiden Island true west to the international boundary.
- (3) Area 21A shall include those waters of Puget Sound southerly and easterly of Areas 20A and 20B, and westerly of a line from William Point to Governor's Point, and northerly of a line from William Point to the southernmost tip of Vendovi Island to the Sinclair Island light.
- (4) Area 21B shall include those waters of Puget Sound easterly of and adjacent to Area 21A.
- (5) Area 22A shall include those waters of Puget Sound south of Area 20B, westerly of 122° 40′ W between Sinclair Island and FidalgoʻIsland and the Deception Pass Bridge; northerly of a line due east from the international boundary to a point 1 nautical mile from Pile Point, San Juan Island, thence southeasterly along a line 1 nautical mile from the southern shores of San Juan Island and Lopez Island to Davidson Rock near Point Colville, then easterly to a point one nautical mile south of the buoy at Lawson Reef and than due east to Whidbey Island.
- (6) Area 22B shall include those waters of Puget Sound south of Area 21A, east of 22A, and north of the railroad bridges at Swinomish Channel.
- (7) Area 23A shall include those waters of Puget Sound southerly of Area 22A; westerly and northerly of a line described as follows: A line segment from Davidson Rock near Point Colville, Lopez Island to a point 2 nautical miles from the Smith Island light thence continuing westerly and southerly 2 nautical miles from the Smith Island light until the line intersects with a line between Smith Island light and the northern tip of Dungeness Spit, continuing along that line to a point 2 nautical miles from Dungeness Spit, and continuing westerly 2 nautical miles from shore to a point 2 nautical miles north of the eastern tip of Ediz Hook; and easterly of a line from a point 2 nautical miles north of Ediz Hook continuing north to the international boundary.

- (8) Area 23B shall include those waters of Puget Sound southerly of Area 22A; easterly of 23A; and northerly of a line due west from Partridge Point, Whidbey Island to its intersection with Area 23A.
- (9) Area 23C shall include those waters of Puget Sound westerly of Area 23A and a line due north from the eastern tip of Dungeness Spit to its intersection with Area 23A; and easterly of a line projected due north from the mouth of the Sekiu river.
- (10) Area 24A shall include those waters of Saratoga Passage and Skagit Bay east of a line between Polnell Point and Rocky Point, Camano Island; south of Area 22B; and east of Area 22A, and north of the highway 532 bridge between Camano Island and the mainland.
- (11) Area 24B shall include those waters of Port Susan south of Area 24A and north of a line from Camano Head on Camano Island to the north tip of Gedney Island and from the southern tip of Gedney Island east to the mainland.
- (12) Area 24C shall include those waters of Saratoga Passage west of Area 24A; north of a line projected due west of Hackney Island; and northwest of a line from Sandy Point, Whidbey Island to Camano Head, Camano Island.
- (13) Area 24D shall include Holmes Harbor south of a line projected due west from Hackney Island to Whidbey Island.
- (14) Area 25A shall include those waters of Puget Sound south of Areas 23A and 23B; east of Area 23C; north of a line projected from Diamond Point to Cape George, and westerly of a line projected from Point Partridge on Whidbey Island to Point Wilson.
- (15) Area 25B shall include those waters of Admiralty Inlet east of Area 25A; northeast of a line projected from Point Hudson to Marrowstone Point; and north of a line projected from Olele Point to Foulweather Bluff continuing to Double Bluff on Whidbey Island.
- (16) Area 25C shall include those waters of Hood Canal south of Area 25B and north of the Hood Canal Floating Bridge.
- (17) Area 25D shall include those waters of Port Townsend Bay southwest of Area 25B.
- (18) Area 25E shall include those waters of Discovery Bay south of Area 25A.
- (19) Area 26A shall include those waters of Puget Sound south of Areas 24B, 24C, and 25B and northerly of a line from Apple Cove Point to Point Edwards.
- (20) Area 26B shall include those waters of Puget Sound south of Area 26A, and east of a line from Point Monroe, Bainbridge Island to the mouth of Miller Bay, and east of a line from Beans Point on Bainbridge Island to Orchard Point, and northerly of a line from the ferry dock at Point Southworth to Brace Point.
- (21) Area 26C shall include those waters of Puget Sound westerly and adjacent to Area 26B.
- (22) Area 26D shall include those waters of Puget Sound southerly of Area 26B and northerly of the Tacoma Narrows Bridge.

- (23) Area 27A shall include those waters of Hood Canal southerly of the Hood Canal Floating Bridge and northerly of a line from Misery Point to Quatsap Point.
- (24) Area 27B shall include those waters of Hood Canal south of Area 27A and north of a line from Lilliwaup Creek to Dewatto.
- (25) Area 27C shall include those waters of Hood Canal south of Area 27B.
- (26) Area 28A shall include those waters of Puget Sound southerly and westerly of the Tacoma Narrows Bridge, south of a line projected from Penrose Point to Green Point in Carr Inlet, south of a line projected from Point Wilson to Whiteman Cove in Case Inlet, and east of a line projected from Brisco Point to Dofflemyer Point.
- (27) Area 28B shall include all waters of Carr Inlet north of a line projected from Penrose Point to Green Point.
- (28) Area 28C shall include those waters of Case Inlet and Pickering Passage north of a line projected from Wilson Point to Whiteman Cove, and north of the highway bridge from the west side of Hartstene Island.
- (29) Area 28D shall include those waters west of Area 28A and south of Area 28C.
- (30) Area 29 shall include those waters of the Strait of Juan de Fuca west of Area 23C and east of a line projected from the Bonilla Point light on Vancouver Island to the Tatoosh Island light, then to the most westerly point of Cape Flattery.
- (31) This WAC will not apply to hardshell clams, oysters, or geoducks. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08-.080. 82-24-080 (Order 82-215), \$ 220-22-400, filed 12/1/82, effective 1/1/83; 78-05-018 (Order 78-16), \$ 220-22-400, filed 4/13/78; Order 76-148, \$ 220-22-400, filed 12/2/76.]
- WAC 220-22-410 Marine fish-shellfish management and catch reporting areas, coastal waters. (1) Area 50 shall include waters of the Bering Sea north of the Aleutian Islands.
- (2) Area 51 shall include waters south of the Aleutian Islands and west of longitude 159° W.
- (3) Area 52 shall include waters west of longitude 154° W and east of Area 51.
- (4) Area 53 shall include waters west of longitude 147° W and east of Area 52.
- (5) Area 54 shall include waters west of longitude 137° W and east of Area 53.
- (6) Area 55 shall include waters north of latitude 54° 40' N and east of Area 54.
- (7) Area 56 shall include waters north of latitude 50° 30' N and south of Area 55.
- (8) Area 57 shall include waters north of latitude 48° 26' N and south of Area 56.
- (9) Area 58A shall include waters north of the United States Canada boundary and south of Area 57.
- (10) Area 58B shall include waters west of a line projected 220° True southwest from the equidistant point between the United States and Canada along the Cape Flattery to Bonilla Point line, north of a line projected true west from Point Grenville and south of Area 58A.

- (11) Area 59 shall include waters east of the 220° True line, west of a line from Cape Flattery to Bonilla Point, and north of a line true west from Point Grenville.
- (12) Area 60A shall include waters north of a line projected true west from the Washington-Oregon boundary in the Columbia River, and south of Areas 58 and 59, exclusive of the Columbia River estuary, Grays Harbor and Willapa Bay.
- (13) Area 60B shall include the waters of Grays Harbor east of a line projected from the outermost end of the north jetty to the outermost end of the south jetty.
- (14) Area 60C shall include the saltwater areas of Willapa Bay east of a line from Leadbetter Point to Cape Shoalwater light.
- (15) Area 60D shall include waters of the Columbia River east of a line projected from the inshore end of the north jetty in the state of Washington to the knuckle of the south jetty in the state of Oregon, and west of the Megler-Astoria Bridge.
- (16) Area 61 shall include waters north of latitude 42° 00′ N, and south of Area 60A, exclusive of the Columbia River estuary.
- (17) Area 62 shall include waters north of latitude 38° 00' N, and south of Area 61.
- (18) Area 63 shall include waters north of latitude 32° 00' N, and south of Area 62.
- (19) Area 64 shall include all waters south of Area 63.
- (20) This WAC will not apply to hardshell clams, oysters, or geoducks. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08-.080. 82-14-056 (Order 82-72), § 220-22-410, filed 7/1/82; 80-07-017 (Order 80-45), § 220-22-410, filed 6/11/80; Order 76-148, § 220-22-410, filed 12/2/76.]

Chapter 220-32 WAC COLUMBIA RIVER

WAC

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220-32-055 Off-reservation Indian subsistence fishing.
220-32-057 Season—Sturgeon.

WAC 220-32-022 Lawful gear—Sturgeon. (1) It is unlawful to take, fish for or possess sturgeon taken for commercial purposes in Columbia River Salmon Management and Catch Reporting Areas 1A, 1B, 1C, 1D, and 1E with gillnet gear except that it is lawful to retain sturgeon for commercial purposes taken incidental to any lawful commercial salmon fishery in these areas.

(2) It is unlawful to retain any sturgeon not of lawful size, as provided for in WAC 220–202 (1), and all sturgeon in transit must not have head or tail removed. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82–19–083 (Order 82–142), § 220–32–022, filed 9/21/82; Order 77–14, § 220–32–022, filed 4/15/77; Order 915, § 220–32–022, filed 3/4/71.]

WAC 220-32-040 Season and areas-Sturgeon. It is unlawful to take, fish for or possess sturgeon taken for

- commercial purposes in Columbia River Salmon Management and Catch Reporting Areas 1A, 1C, 1D, that portion of 1B south of a line projected from Grays Point light east to Harrington Point, and that portion of Area 1E downstream of a line projected due north from the mouth of Oneonta Creek on the Oregon side to a deadline marker on the Washington shore except at those times, with the gear and provisions designated below:
- (1) 12:00 noon August 2, 1982, until 12:00 noon January 15, 1983.
- (2) Setline gear is limited to 4 lines with not more than 300 hooks per line and bouys must be attached to each end of the setline and marked with the fishing license number.
- (3) Minimum hook size is 9/0 and treble hooks are prohibited.
- (4) It is unlawful to retain any sturgeon not of lawful size, as provided for in WAC 220-20-020(1), and all sturgeon in transit must not have head or tail removed. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080, 82-19-083 (Order 82-142), § 220-32-040, filed 9/21/82; Order 77-14, § 220–32–040, filed 4/15/77; Order 915, § 220–32– 040, filed 3/4/71; Order 860, § 220-32-040, filed 3/3/70; Subsection 3 amended by Order 758, § 3, filed 2/1/68; Order 719, § 1 (part), filed 1/30/67; Subsection 1 from Orders 420 and 256, filed 3/1/60; Subsection 2 from Orders 417 and 256, filed 3/1/60; Subsection 3 from Order 674, filed 2/1/66; Order 633, filed 2/15/65; Order 600, filed 1/30/64; Order 566, filed 3/8/63; Order 542, filed 2/15/62; Order 524, filed 2/6/61; Orders 504 and 256, filed 3/1/60; Subsections 4 and 6 from Orders 416 and 256, filed 3/1/60; Subsection 5 from Orders 447 and 256, filed 3/1/60; Subsection 7 from Order 544, filed 4/3/62; Subsection 8 from Order 674, filed 2/1/66; Subsection 9 from Order 675, filed 2/11/66.]
- WAC 220-32-055 Off-reservation Indian subsistence fishing. (1) It is unlawful for any person, including treaty Indian fishermen, to take, fish for, or possess salmon or other food fish for subsistence purposes except in accordance with the provisions of this section.
- (2) It is lawful for individuals possessing treaty fishing rights pursuant to the Yakima Treaty, the Warm Springs Treaty, the Umatilla Treaty, and the Nez Perce Treaty to fish for food fish for subsistence family—use purposes subject to the following provisions:
- (a) Such fishing is permitted year-round in the following areas: That area of the mainstem Columbia river from a point at Light #7 on Sheridon Point upstream to a point at the four-second flashing light #67 approximately 1/2 mile downstream of the Dalles Bridge; that area of the mainstem Columbia river from a point 200 feet above the Dalles Dam fishway exit upstream to a point 600 feet downstream of the John Day Dam fishway entrance; that area of the mainstem Columbia river from a point 200 feet above the John Day Dam fishway exit upstream to a point at the downstream end of the wingwall of the McNary Dam boat lock; that area of Columbia river from a point 200 feet above the McNary Dam fishway exit upstream to the Highway 12 bridge;

excluding those areas within 1/4 mile radius of the mouth of Wind river, Little White Salmon river (Drano Lake), Klickitat river, and Spring Creek Hatchery fishway entrance.

- (b) Lawful fishing gear by treaty Indians in the above-designated area includes dip nets and bag nets of a mesh size not exceeding 5 inches attached to a hoop 24 feet or less in circumference, spear, gaff, club, and foul hook.
- (c) It is lawful to use sport angling gear in places and at times allowed under chapter 220–56 WAC series for treaty Indian subsistence purposes.
- (d) It is unlawful to use drift gill nets or set gill nets for treaty Indian subsistence fishing in the mainstem of the Columbia river except as authorized by the director of the department of fisheries under the provisions of WAC 220-32-060.
- (e) It is unlawful to use gill nets, set nets, hoop nets, dip or bag nets with a mesh size exceeding 5 inches, set lines, or any other type of fishing gear not otherwise specifically authorized except during times and in areas where such gear is authorized for commercial fishing purposes.
- (3) In accordance with RCW 75.12.300 and 75.12.310, it is lawful for the following Wanapum Indians to take, fish for, and possess food fish for subsistence purposes in the vicinity of Priest Rapids Dam in specified areas at specified times using specified gear authorized by the director of the department of fisheries. The individuals designated below may be revised from time to time by agreement between the Wanapum Indians and the director of the department of fisheries:

Frank Buck Jade Buck Stanley Buck Robert S. Tomanawash, Sr. Willie Buck Lester Umtuch Grant Wyena Harry Buck Ken Buck Jerry Wyena Rex Buck, Jr. Douglas Wyena Jimmy Wyena Phillip Buck Richard Buck Patrick Wyena

The following provisions apply to this fishery:

- (a) It is unlawful to fish at any time, place, or using gear other than that designated by the director of the department of fisheries and authorized by regulation.
- (b) It is unlawful for Wanapum Indian fishermen to fail to report, in writing, their total catch to the department of fisheries within five days of the end of fishing activity under subsection (3)(a) of this section.
- (c) Should any Wanapum Indian be convicted of violating the provisions of this section, or sell, barter, or attempt or sell or barter any fish taken in this fishery or any treaty Indian fishery, that fishermen will be ineligible to further participate in the Wanapum Indian subsistence fishery unless otherwise determined by the director of the department of fisheries.
- (4) It is unlawful to sell, barter, or offer for sale or barter, buy, or for a commercially licensed buyer or wholesale fish dealer to have in possession food fish taken in an Indian subsistence fishery under the provisions of subsections (2) and (3) of this section.
- (4) It is unlawful for fishermen participating in an Indian subsistence fishery to fail to submit their catch to

department of fisheries employees for the conduct of biological sampling or to fail to allow necessary biological samples to be taken. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08-.080. 82-17-040 (Order 82-105), § 220-32-055, filed 8/13/82; Order 77-14, § 220-32-055, filed 4/15/77; Order 866, § 220-32-055, filed 6/12/70.]

WAC 220-32-057 Season-Sturgeon. It is unlawful to take, fish for or possess sturgeon taken for commercial purposes in Columbia River Salmon Management and Catch Reporting Areas 1F, 1G, and 1H except as provided for in this section:

- (1) Individuals possessing treaty fishing rights pursuant to the Yakima, Warm Springs, Umatilla, and Nez Perce treaties may fish for sturgeon with setline gear from 12:00 noon August 1, 1982 to 12:00 noon January 15, 1983.
- (2) Set line gear is limited to not more than 100 hooks per setline.
- (3) Minimum hook size is 9/0 and treble hooks are prohibited. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82–19–083 (Order 82–142), § 220–32–057, filed 9/21/82; Order 77–14, § 220–32–057, filed 4/15/77; Order 1043, § 220–32–057, filed 2/22/73; Order 915, § 220–32–057, filed 3/4/71.]

Chapter 220-36 WAC GRAYS HARBOR

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220-36-021 Salmon fishing areas—Gill net—Seasons.
220-36-022 Salmon fishing areas—Weekly periods,
220-36-024 Salmon fishing areas—Mesh sizes—Gear.

WAC 220-36-021 Salmon fishing areas—Gill net—Seasons. It is unlawful to take, fish for or possess salmon for commercial purposes with gill net gear in the following Grays Harbor Fishing Areas except during the seasons provided for hereinafter in each respective fishing area:

Area 2A
6:00 p.m. October 3 to 6:00 p.m. October 8,
1982.

Areas 2B, 2C and 2D –
6:00 p.m. July 7 to 6:00 p.m. August 15,
1982
6:00 p.m. October 3 to 6:00 p.m. October 8,
1982

[Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82–13–048 (Order 82–63), § 220–36–021, filed 6/11/82; 81–13–005 (Order 81–37), § 220–36–021, filed 6/8/81; 80–09–072 (Order 80–69), § 220–36–021, filed 7/18/80; Order 77–71, § 220–36–021, filed 8/18/77; Order 77–44, § 220–36–021, filed 6/3/77; Order 76–73, § 220–36–021, filed 8/16/76; Order 1221, § 220–36–021, filed 7/1/75; Order 1133, § 220–36–021, filed 7/19/74.]

WAC 220-36-022 Salmon fishing areas—Weekly periods. It is unlawful to take, fish for or possess salmon taken with gill net gear except during the weekly open

periods hereinafter designated in the following Grays Harbor Fishing Areas:

Area 2A

6:00 p.m. October 3 to 6:00 p.m. October 8, 1982: Open continuously.

Areas 2B, 2C and 2D

6:00 p.m. July 7 to 6:00 p.m. August 15, 1982: Open continuously. 6:00 p.m. October 3 to 6:00 p.m. October 8,

1982: Open continuously.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82-13-048 (Order 82–63), § 220–36–022, filed 6/11/82; 81–13–005 (Order 81-37), § 220-36-022, filed 6/8/81; 80-09-072 (Order 80-69), § 220-36-022, filed 7/18/80; Order 77-71, § 220–36–022, filed 8/18/77; Order 77–44, § 220– 36-022, filed 6/3/77; Order 76-73, § 220-36-022, filed 8/16/76; Order 1221, § 220-36-022, filed 7/1/75; Order 1133, § 220–36–022, filed 7/19/74.]

WAC 220-36-024 Salmon fishing areas-Mesh sizes—Gear. (1) It is unlawful to take, fish for or possess salmon with gill net gear containing mesh smaller than the minimum sizes or larger than the maximum size stretch measure as hereinafter designated in the following Grays Harbor Fishing Areas:

Areas 2A, 2B, 2C and 2D

For the period October 3 to October 8, 1982: 5-inch minimum and 6-1/2-inch maximum mesh.

(2) Except as provided for in subsection (1) of this section, it is unlawful to fish in Grays Harbor with gill net gear containing meshes less than 5 inches stretch measure or longer than 1,500 feet in length. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82-13-048 (Order 82-63), § 220-36-024, filed 6/11/82; 81-13-005 (Order 81-37), § 220–36–024, filed 6/8/81; 80–09–072 (Order 80– 69), § 220-36-024, filed 7/18/80; Order 77-71, § 220-36-024, filed 8/18/77; Order 76-73, § 220-36-024, filed 8/16/76; Order 1221, § 220–36–024, filed 7/1/75; Order 1133, § 220–36–024, filed 7/19/74.]

Chapter 220-40 WAC WILLAPA HARBOR

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220-40-021 Willapa Harbor-Gill net-Seasons. 220-40-022 Willapa Harbor-Weekly periods. 220-40-024 Willapa Harbor—Mesh sizes—Gear.

WAC 220-40-021 Willapa Harbor--Gill net--Seasons. It is unlawful to take, fish for or possess salmon for commercial purposes with gill net gear in the following Willapa Harbor Fishing Areas, except during the seasons provided for hereinafter in each respective fishing area:

Area 2G-6:00 p.m. July 6 to 6:00 p.m. August 20, 6:00 p.m. September 12 to 6:00 p.m. October 9 and 6:00 p.m. November 1 to 11:59 p.m. November 30, 1982.

Area 2H-6:00 p.m. September 12 to 6:00 p.m. October 9, and 6:00 p.m. November 1 to 11:59 p.m. November 30, 1982.

Area[s] 2J and 2K—6:00 p.m. July 6 to 6:00 p.m. August 20, 6:00 p.m. September 12 to 6:00 p.m. October 9 and 6:00 p.m. November 1 to 11:59 p.m. November 30, 1982.

Area 2M-6:00 p.m. September 12 to 6:00 p.m. October 9, and 6:00 p.m. November 1 to 11:59 p.m. November 30, 1982.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82-13-048 (Order 82-63), § 220-40-021, filed 6/11/82; 81-13-005 (Order 81–37), § 220–40–021, filed 6/8/81; 80–09–072 (Order 80-69), § 220-40-021, filed 7/18/80; 79-07-046 (Order 79-43), § 220-40-021, filed 6/22/79; 78-09-041 (Order 78-61), § 220-40-021, filed 8/18/78; Order 77-71, § 220-40-021, filed 8/18/77; Order 77-44, § 220-40-021, filed 6/3/77; Order 76-73, § 220-40-021, filed 8/16/76; Order 1221, § 220-40-021, filed 7/1/75; Order 1133, § 220–40–021, filed 7/19/74.]

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WAC 220-40-022 Willapa Harbor--Weekly periods. It is unlawful to take, fish for or possess salmon taken with gill net gear, except during the weekly open periods hereafter designated in the following Willapa Harbor Fishing Areas:

Area 2G

July 6, 6:00 p.m. to August 20, 1982, 6:00 p.m.—Open continuously. September 12 to October 9, 1982—6:00 p.m. Sunday to 6:00 p.m. Saturday. November 1, 6:00 p.m. to 11:59 p.m. November 30, 1982—Open continuously.

September 12 to October 9, 1982—6:00 p.m. Sunday to 6:00 p.m. Saturday. November 1, 6:00 p.m. to 11:59 p.m. November 30, 1982—Open continuously.

Areas 2J and 2K

July 6, 6:00 p.m. to August 20, 1982, 6:00 p.m.—Open continuously. September 12 to October 9, 1982—6:00 p.m. Sunday to 6:00 p.m. Monday and 6:00 p.m. Wednesday to 6:00 p.m. Thursday. November 1, 6:00 p.m. to 11:59 p.m. November 30, 1982—Open continuously.

Area 2M

September 12 to October 9, 1982—6:00 p.m. Sunday to 6:00 p.m. Saturday. November 1, 6:00 p.m. to 11:59 p.m. November 30, 1982—Open continuously.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82–13–048 (Order 82–63), § 220–40–022, filed 6/11/82; 81-13–005 (Order 81–37), § 220–40–022, filed 6/8/81; 80–09–072 (Order 80–69), § 220–40–022, filed 7/18/80; 79–07–046 (Order 79–43), § 220–40–022, filed 6/22/79; 78–09–041 (Order 78–61), § 220–40–022, filed 8/18/78; Order 77–71, § 220–40–022, filed 8/18/77; Order 77–44, § 220–40–022, filed 6/3/77; Order 76–73, § 220–40–022, filed 8/18/78; Order 1221, § 220–40–022, filed 7/1/75; Order 1133, § 220–40–022, filed 7/19/74.]

WAC 220-40-024 Willapa Harbor—Mesh sizes—Gear. (1) It is unlawful to take, fish for or possess salmon with gill net gear containing mesh smaller than the minimum or larger than the maximum size stretch measure as hereinafter designated in the following Willapa Harbor Fishing Areas:

Areas 2G, 2H, 2J[,] 2K and 2M

For the period September 12 to October 9, 1982: 5-inch minimum to 6-1/2-inch maximum mesh.

For the period 12:01 a.m. November 19 to 11:59 p.m. November 30, 1982: 7-1/2-inch minimum mesh.

(2) Except as provided in subsection (1) of this section, it shall be unlawful to fish in Willapa Harbor with gill net gear containing meshes less than 5 inches stretch measure or longer than 1,500 feet in length. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82–13–048 (Order 82–63), § 220–40–024, filed 6/11/82; 81–13–005 (Order 81–37), § 220–40–024, filed 6/8/81; 80–09–072 (Order 80–69), § 220–40–024, filed 7/18/80; 79–07–046 (Order 79–43), § 220–40–024, filed 6/22/79; 78–09–041 (Order 78–61), § 220–40–024, filed 8/18/78; Order 77–71, § 220–40–024, filed 8/18/77; Order 76–73, § 220–40–024, filed 8/16/76; Order 1221, § 220–40–024, filed 7/1/75; Order 1133, § 220–40–024, filed 7/19/74.]

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Chapter 220-44 WAC COASTAL WATERS

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220-44-030 Coastal bottomfish gear. 220-44-040 Coastal bottomfishing seasons.

WAC 220-44-030 Coastal bottomfish gear. It is unlawful to take, fish for, possess, transport through the waters of the state or land in any Washington state ports, bottomfish taken for commercial purposes in coastal or Pacific Ocean waters with any gear except as

- (1) Otter trawl and beam trawl.
- (a) It is unlawful to use, operate or carry aboard any fishing vessel otter trawl gear having meshes measuring less than 3 inches.

(b) Effective January 1, 1983, it is unlawful to use or operate any bottom trawl having meshes less than 4.5 inches. A bottom trawl must have a minimum of two continuous riblines sewn to the net and extending from the mouth of the trawl net to the terminal end of the codend if the fishing vessel is simultaneously carrying aboard a net of less than 4.5—inch minimum mesh size.

For all bottom trawls, chafing gear must have a minimum mesh size of 15 inches unless only the bottom one—half (underside) of the codend is covered by chafing gear.

- (c) Effective January 1, 1983, it is unlawful to use or operate a roller or bobbin trawl with meshes less than 3.0 inches. It is unlawful to use a double wall codend in any roller or bobbin trawl. Chafing gear covering the upper one-half (top side) of the codend must have a minimum mesh size of 6.0 inches. Rollers, bobbins, or discs used in roller or bobbin trawls must be a minimum of 14 inches in diameter.
- (d) Effective January 1, 1983, it is unlawful to use or operate a pelagic trawl with meshes less than 3.0 inches. It is unlawful to use a double wall codend in any pelagic trawl. Chafing gear covering the upper one-half (top side) of the codend must have a minimum mesh size of 6 inches. Footropes of pelagic trawls must be less than 1.75 inches in diameter, including twine necessary for seizing material. Sweeplines, including the bottom leg of the bridle, must be bare.
- (2) Set lines. In fishing with set lines within state waters, it is unlawful to use more than three lines and more than 500 hooks per line. It is unlawful for the operator of set lines to leave such gear unattended unless marked as provided in WAC 222–16–090. Set lines must be attended at least once every seven days. Set lines must be marked at the surface at each terminal end with a pole, flag, light, radar reflector, and a buoy displaying clear identification of the owner or operator.
- (3) Bottomfish pots. It is unlawful for the operator of bottomfish pots to leave such gear unattended unless marked as provided in WAC 220-16-145. Bottomfish pots must be attended at least once every seven days. Bottomfish pots set individually must be marked at the surface with a pole and a flag, light, or radar reflector, and a buoy displaying clear identification of the owner. Bottomfish pots laid on a groundline must be marked at the surface at each terminal end of the groundline with a pole and a flag, light, and radar reflector, and a buoy displaying clear identification of the owner or operator.
- (4) Hand line jig gear. In fishing with hand line jig gear within state waters, it is unlawful to use more than three hooks per license with a maximum of six hooks per vessel unless otherwise authorized by a permit from the director of the department of fisheries.
- (5) Troll lines. It is unlawful to take, fish for or possess salmon while fishing for bottomfish with troll line gear under authority of a bottomfish troll license, except that in any coastal waters it is lawful to retain for commercial purposes any species of bottomfish taken with commercial salmon gear incidental to a lawful salmon fishery.

provided in this section:

- (6) Shrimp trawls. It is unlawful in any coastal waters, to retain for commercial purposes more than 1,500 pounds per day of any bottomfish species other than Pacific whiting, shortbelly rockfish or arrowtooth flounder taken with shrimp trawl gear incidental to a lawful shrimp fishery.
- (7) It is unlawful to take, fish for or possess any species of shellfish taken with lawful bottomfish gear except as provided in WAC 220-52-053, 220-52-063, 220-52-066, 220-52-069, and 220-52-071. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82-14-056 (Order 82-72), § 220-44-030, filed 7/1/82; 82-03-045 (Order 82-6), § 220-44–030, filed 1/19/82; 81–02–053 (Order 81–3), § 220– 44-030, filed 1/7/81; 79-03-014 (Order 79-11), § 220-44-030, filed 2/15/79; 78-04-039 (Order 78-11), § 220-44-030, filed 3/20/78.]

WAC 220-44-040 Coastal bottomfishing seasons. (1) It is lawful to take, fish for and possess for commercial purposes bottomfish in coastal waters taken with gear described in WAC 220-44-030 all year in Coastal Marine Fish-Shellfish Management and Catch Reporting Areas 58B, 59, 60A and 61, unless otherwise provided.

(2) It is unlawful to possess or transport through the waters of the state, or land in any Washington state ports, any Pacific ocean perch (Sebastes alutus) taken from Coastal Marine Fish-Shellfish Management and Catch Reporting Areas 58B, 59, 60A, and 61, in amounts in excess of 5,000 pounds or 10 percent of the total weight of fish on board, whichever is greater. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82-14-056 (Order 82-72), § 220-44-040, filed 7/1/82; 81-02-053 (Order 81-3), § 220-44-040, filed 1/7/81; 79-03-014 (Order 79–11), § 220–44–040, filed 2/15/79; 78–04– 039 (Order 78–11), § 220–44–040, filed 3/20/78.]

Chapter 220-47 WAC **PUGET SOUND--SALMON**

WAC 220-47-264 Puget Sound—Salmon preserve—Port Gardner. 220-47-307 Closed areas-Puget Sound salmon. 220-47-311 Purse seine-Seasons. 220-47-312 Purse seine-Weekly periods. 220-47-313 Purse seine-Daily hours. 220-47-401 Reef net-Seasons. 220-47-402 Reef net-Weekly periods. 220-47-403 Reef net-Daily hours. 220-47-411 Gill net-Seasons. Gill net-Weekly periods. 220-47-412 220-47-413 Gill net-Daily hours. 220-47-414 Gill net-Mesh sizes.

WAC 220-47-264 Puget Sound-Salmon preserve--Port Gardner. "Port Gardner Salmon Preserve" shall include those waters of Port Gardner Bay and tributaries thereto lying inside and easterly of a line projected from Hermosa Point to Nun Buoy No. 2 off the entrance to Tulalip Bay, thence through the southeasterly point of Gedney Island, thence 125 degrees true to the Viacom Cablevision tower on the southern shore of Port Gardner. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 81-18-017 (Order 81-101), § 220-47-264, filed 8/25/81; Order 988, § 220–47–264, filed 4/28/72.]

WAC 220-47-307 Closed areas--Puget Sound salmon. It is unlawful to take, fish for, or possess salmon for commercial purposes with any type of gear from the following portions of Puget Sound Salmon Management and Catch Reporting Areas:

Area 7B – Fidalgo Bay Salmon Preserve.

Area 7C - that portion inside a line projected from the mouth of Oyster Creek 237° true to a fishing boundary marker on Samish Island.

Area 8 - Skagit Bay Salmon Preserve.

Area 8A - Port Susan and Port Gardner Salmon Preserves.

Area 10 - that portion easterly of a line projected from Meadow Point to West Point.

Area 11 - Gig Harbor Salmon Preserve and those waters south of a line from Browns Point to Point Defiance.

Area 12 – Those waters inside and southeasterly of a line projected from Lone Rock to buoy "BBC Comm Fish" approximately 1/2 mile offshore, thence southwesterly approximately 1-1/2 miles to another buoy "BBC Comm Fish," thence approximately 1/2 mile directly to a fishing boundary marker on shore.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82-15-040 (Order 82-83), § 220-47-307, filed 7/15/82; 81-18-017 (Order 81–101), § 220–47–307, filed 8/25/81; 80–10– 058 (Order 80–83), § 220–47–307, filed 8/6/80.]

WAC 220-47-311 Purse seine-Seasons. It is unlawful to take, fish for or possess salmon taken with purse seine gear for commercial purposes except in the following designated Puget Sound Salmon Management and Catch Reporting Areas during the seasons provided for hereinafter in each respective Management and Catch Reporting Area:

Areas 4B, 5, 6, 6A, 6B, 6C - closed.

Area 6D – October 3 through October 16.

Areas 7 and 7A - closed.

Area 7B - September 13 through November 6.

Areas 7C and 7D - closed.

Areas 8 and 8A – September 13 through October 30.

Areas 9 and 9A - closed.

Areas 10 and 11 - September 13 through October 30. Areas 10A, 10B, 10C, 10D, 10E and 11A - closed.

Area 12 – September 13 through October 30.

Areas 12A, 12B, 12C, 12D, 13, 13A, 13B and all freshwater areas - closed.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82–15–040 (Order 82–83), § 220–47–311, filed 7/15/82; 81–18–017 (Order 81–101), § 220–47–311, filed 8/25/81; 80–10– 058 (Order 80–83), § 220–47–311, filed 8/6/80; 78–05– 018 (Order 78–16), § 220–47–311, filed 4/13/78; Order 77-66, § 220-47-311, filed 8/5/77; Order 77-14, § 220-47-311, filed 4/15/77; Order 76-41, § 220-47-311, filed 6/4/76; Order 1251, § 220-47-311, filed 8/18/75; Order 1210, § 220-47-311, filed 5/26/75; Order 1143, § 220–47–311, filed 8/8/74; Order 1125, § 220–47–311, filed 6/6/74; Order 1066, § 220–47–311, filed 7/19/73; Order 1057, § 220–47–311, filed 5/22/73; Order 988, § 220–47–311, filed 4/28/72.]

WAC 220-47-312 Purse seine—Weekly periods. It is unlawful during any open season to take, fish for or possess salmon taken with purse seine gear except during the weekly open periods hereinafter designated in the following Puget Sound Salmon Management and Catch Reporting Areas:

Area 6D – Week beginning October 3: Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday. Week beginning October 10: Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday.

Area 7B – Week beginning September 12: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, and Saturday. Weeks beginning September 19, September 26, and October 3: Sunday, Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday[,] and Saturday. Week beginning October 24: Tuesday. Week beginning October 31: Monday.

Area 8 – Weeks beginning September 12 and September 26: Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday. Week beginning September 19: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday. Week beginning October 17: Monday. Week beginning October 24: Tuesday.

Area 8A – Week beginning September 12: Tuesday and Wednesday. Week beginning September 19: Monday and Tuesday. Week beginning October 17: Monday. Week beginning October 24: Tuesday.

Areas 10 and 11 — Week beginning September 12: Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. Week beginning September 19: Monday and Tuesday. Week beginning September 26: Tuesday and Wednesday. Week beginning October 17: Monday. Week beginning October 24: Tuesday.

Area 12 – Weeks beginning September 12 and October 24: Tuesday. Weeks beginning September 19 and October 17: Monday.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82–15–040 (Order 82–83), § 220–47–312, filed 7/15/82; 81–18–017 (Order 81–101), § 220–47–312, filed 8/25/81; 80–10–058 (Order 80–83), § 220–47–312, filed 8/6/80; 78–05–018 (Order 78–16), § 220–47–312, filed 4/13/78; Order 77–66, § 220–47–312, filed 8/5/77; Order 77–14, § 220–47–312, filed 4/15/77; Order 76–41, § 220–47–312, filed 6/4/76; Order 1251, § 220–47–312, filed 8/18/75; Order 1210, § 220–47–312, filed 5/26/75; Order 1143, § 220–47–312, filed 8/8/74; Order 1125, § 220–47–312, filed 6/6/74; Order 1066, § 220–47–312, filed 7/19/73; Order 1057, § 220–47–312, filed 5/22/73; Order 988, § 220–47–312, filed 4/28/72.]

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WAC 220-47-313 Purse seine-Daily hours. It is unlawful during any open day to take, fish for or possess salmon taken with purse seine gear in the following Puget Sound Salmon Management and Catch Reporting

Areas except during the daily open hours hereinafter designated:

All open areas – September 13 through October 30: 5:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m. Pacific Daylight Time, except purse seine fishery in Area 8 closes at 4:00 p.m. (PDT) on September 17 and [25 and] October 1, 1982. October 31 through November 6: 5:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. Pacific Standard Time.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82–15–040 (Order 82–83), § 220–47–313, filed 7/15/82; 81–18–017 (Order 81–101), § 220–47–313, filed 8/25/81; 80–10–058 (Order 80–83), § 220–47–313, filed 8/6/80; 78–05–018 (Order 78–16), § 220–47–313, filed 4/13/78; Order 77–66, § 220–47–313, filed 8/5/77; Order 76–41, § 220–47–313, filed 6/4/76; Order 1210, § 220–47–313, filed 5/26/75; Order 1143, § 220–47–313, filed 8/8/74; Order 1125, § 220–47–313, filed 6/6/74; Order 1066, § 220–47–313, filed 7/19/73; Order 1057, § 220–47–313, filed 5/22/73; Order 988, § 220–47–313, filed 4/28/72.]

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WAC 220-47-401 Reef net—Seasons. It is unlawful to take, fish for or possess salmon taken with reef net gear for commercial purposes except in the following designated Puget Sound Salmon Management and Catch Reporting Areas, during the seasons provided for hereinafter in each respective area:

No open season.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 81–18–017 (Order 81–101), § 220–47–401, filed 8/25/81; 80–10–058 (Order 80–83), § 220–47–401, filed 8/6/80; 78–05–018 (Order 78–16), § 220–47–401, filed 4/13/78; Order 77–66, § 220–47–401, filed 8/5/77; Order 77–14, § 220–47–401, filed 4/15/77; Order 76–41, § 220–47–401, filed 6/4/76; Order 1210, § 220–47–401, filed 5/26/75; Order 1143, § 220–47–401, filed 8/8/74; Order 1125, § 220–47–401, filed 6/6/74; Order 1066, § 220–47–401, filed 7/19/73; Order 1057, § 220–47–401, filed 5/22/73; Order 988, § 220–47–401, filed 4/28/72.]

WAC 220-47-402 Reef net--Weekly periods. It is unlawful to take, fish for or possess salmon taken with reef net gear except during the weekly open periods hereinafter designated:

No weekly open periods.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 81–18–017 (Order 81–101), § 220–47–402, filed 8/25/81; 80–10–058 (Order 80–83), § 220–47–402, filed 8/6/80; 78–05–018 (Order 78–16), § 220–47–402, filed 4/13/78; Order 77–66, § 220–47–402, filed 8/5/77; Order 77–14, § 220–47–402, filed 4/15/77; Order 76–41, § 220–47–402, filed 6/4/76; Order 1210, § 220–47–402, filed 5/26/75;

Order 1143, § 220–47–402, filed 8/8/74; Order 1125, § 220–47–402, filed 6/6/74; Order 1066, § 220–47–402, filed 7/19/73; Order 1057, § 220–47–402, filed 5/22/73; Order 988, § 220–47–402, filed 4/28/72.]

WAC 220-47-403 Reef net—Daily hours. It is unlawful during any open day to take, fish for or possess salmon taken with reef net gear except during the daily open hours hereinafter designated:

No open hours.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 81–18–017 (Order 81–101), § 220–47–403, filed 8/25/81; 80–10–058 (Order 80–83), § 220–47–403, filed 8/6/80; 78–05–018 (Order 78–16), § 220–47–403, filed 4/13/78; Order 77–66, § 220–47–403, filed 8/5/77; Order 76–41, § 220–47–403, filed 6/4/76; Order 1210, § 220–47–403, filed 5/26/75; Order 1143, § 220–47–403, filed 8/8/74; Order 1125, § 220–47–403, filed 6/6/74; Order 1066, § 220–47–403, filed 7/19/73; Order 1057, § 220–47–403, filed 5/22/73; Order 988, § 220–47–403, filed 4/28/72.]

WAC 220-47-411 Gill net—Seasons. It is unlawful to take, fish for or possess salmon taken with gill net gear for commercial purposes except in the following designated Puget Sound Salmon Management and Catch Reporting Areas during the seasons provided for hereinafter in each respective fishing area:

Areas 4B, 5, 6, 6A, 6B and 6C – closed.

Area 6D – October 3 through October 16.

Areas 7 and 7A - closed.

Area 7B – July 25 through November 6.

Area 7C – July 25 through August 7.

Area 7D - closed.

Areas 8 and 8A - September 12 through October 30.

Areas 9 and 9A - closed.

Area 10 – September 12 through October 30.

Areas 10A, 10B, 10C, 10D and 10E - closed.

Area 11 - September 12 through October 30.

Area 11A - closed.

Area 12 - September 12 through October 30.

Areas 12A, 12B, 12C, 12D, 13, 13A, 13B and all freshwater areas – closed.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82–15–040 (Order 82–83), § 220–47–411, filed 7/15/82; 81–18–017 (Order 81–101), § 220–47–411, filed 8/25/81; 80–10–058 (Order 80–83), § 220–47–411, filed 8/6/80; 78–05–018 (Order 78–16), § 220–47–411, filed 4/13/78; Order 77–66, § 220–47–411, filed 8/5/77; Order 77–14, § 220–47–411, filed 4/15/77; Order 76–41, § 220–47–411, filed 6/4/76; Order 1251, § 220–47–411, filed 8/18/75; Order 1210, § 220–47–411, filed 5/26/75; Order 1143, § 220–47–411, filed 8/8/74; Order 1125, § 220–47–411, filed 6/6/74; Order 1066, § 220–47–411, filed 7/19/73; Order 1057, § 220–47–411, filed 5/22/73; Order 988, § 220–47–411, filed 4/28/72.]

WAC 220-47-412 Gill net--Weekly periods. It is unlawful during any open season to take, fish for or

possess salmon taken with gill net gear except during the weekly open periods hereinafter designated in the following Puget Sound Salmon Management and Catch Reporting Areas:

Area 6D – Weeks beginning October 3 and October 10: Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday nights.

Area 7B – Weeks beginning July 25 and August 8: Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday nights. Week beginning August 1: Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday nights. Weeks beginning September 12, September 19, September 26, and October 9: Sunday through Saturday. Weeks beginning October 24 and October 31: Monday night.

Area 7C – Week beginning July 25: Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday nights. Week beginning August 1: Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday nights.

Area 8 – Weeks beginning September 12, September 19 and September 26: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday[,] and Thursday night. Weeks beginning October 17 and October 24: Monday night.

Area 8A – Weeks beginning September 12 and September 19: Monday and Tuesday nights. Weeks beginning October 17 and October 24: Monday night.

Areas 10 and 11 – Week beginning September 12: Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday nights. Weeks beginning September 19 and September 26: Monday and Tuesday nights. Weeks beginning October 17 and October 24: Monday night.

Area 12 – Weeks beginning September 12, September 19, October 17, and October 24: Monday night.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82–15–040 (Order 82–83), § 220–47–412, filed 7/15/82; 81–18–017 (Order 81–101), § 220–47–412, filed 8/25/81; 80–10–058 (Order 80–83), § 220–47–412, filed 8/6/80; 78–05–018 (Order 78–16), § 220–47–412, filed 4/13/78; Order 77–66, § 220–47–412, filed 8/5/77; Order 77–14, § 220–47–412, filed 4/15/77; Order 76–41, § 220–47–412, filed 6/4/76; Order 1251, § 220–47–412, filed 8/18/75; Order 1213, § 220–47–412, filed 6/3/75; Order 1210, § 220–47–412, filed 5/26/75; Order 1143, § 220–47–412, filed 8/8/74; Order 1125, § 220–47–412, filed 6/6/74; Order 1066, § 220–47–412, filed 7/19/73; Order 1057, § 220–47–412, filed 5/22/73; Order 988, § 220–47–412, filed 4/28/72.]

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WAC 220-47-413 Gill net—Daily hours. It is unlawful during any open day to take, fish for or possess salmon taken with gill net gear in the following Puget Sound Salmon Management and Catch Reporting Areas except during the daily open hours hereinafter designated:

July 25 through August 14 - 7:00 p.m. to 9:30 a.m. Pacific Daylight Time.

August 15 through September 18 – 6:00 p.m. to 9:00 a.m. Pacific Daylight Time.

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September 19 through October 31 - 5:00 p.m. to 9:00 a.m. Pacific Daylight Time.

October 31 through November 6 - 4:00 p.m. to 8 a.m. Pacific Standard Time.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82–15–040 (Order 82–83), § 220–47–413, filed 7/15/82; 81–18–017 (Order 81–101), § 220–47–413, filed 8/25/81; 80–10–058 (Order 80–83), § 220–47–413, filed 8/6/80; 78–05–018 (Order 78–16), § 220–47–413, filed 4/13/78; Order 77–66, § 220–47–413, filed 8/5/77; Order 76–41, § 220–47–413, filed 6/4/76; Order 1210, § 220–47–413, filed 5/26/75; Order 1143, § 220–47–413, filed 8/8/74; Order 1125, § 220–47–413, filed 6/6/74; Order 1066, § 220–47–413, filed 7/19/73; Order 1057, § 220–47–413, filed 5/22/73; Order 988, § 220–47–413, filed 4/28/72.]

WAC 220-47-414 Gill net--Mesh sizes. It is unlawful to take, fish for or possess salmon taken with gill net gear containing mesh smaller than the minimum size stretch measure as hereinafter designated in the following Puget Sound Salmon Management and Catch Reporting Areas during the periods specified:

July 25 through September 11 - Areas 7B and 7C - 7 inch minimum mesh size.

September 12 through October 16 – All open areas – 5 inch minimum mesh size. October 17 through November 6 – All open areas – 6 inch minimum mesh size.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82–15–040 (Order 82–83), § 220–47–414, filed 7/15/82; 81–18–017 (Order 81–101), § 220–47–414, filed 8/25/81; 80–10–058 (Order 80–83), § 220–47–414, filed 8/6/80; 78–05–018 (Order 78–16), § 220–47–414, filed 4/13/78; Order 77–66, § 220–47–414, filed 8/5/77; Order 77–14, § 220–47–414, filed 4/15/77; Order 76–41, § 220–47–414, filed 6/4/76; Order 1210, § 220–47–414, filed 5/26/75; Order 1143, § 220–47–414, filed 8/8/74; Order 1125, § 220–47–414, filed 6/6/74; Order 1066, § 220–47–414, filed 7/19/73; Order 1057, § 220–47–414, filed 5/22/73; Order 988, § 220–47–414, filed 4/28/72.]

Chapter 220–48 WAC PUGET SOUND--FISH OTHER THAN SALMON

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Troll lines—Bottomfish—Seasons. Troll lines—Bottomfish—Logbooks.
Drag seines—Gear.
Drag seines—Seasons.
Bottomfish pots—Gear and seasons.
Repealed.

DISPOSITION OF SECTIONS FORMERLY CODIFIED IN THIS CHAPTER

220-48-080 Puget Sound bottomfish gear. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 81-02-053 (Order 81-3), § 220-48-080, filed 1/7/81; 79-03-014 (Order 79-11), § 220-48-080, filed 2/15/79; 78-04-039 (Order 78-11), § 220-48-080, filed 3/20/78; Order 77-147, § 220–48–080, filed 12/16/77; Order 77–14, § 220–48–080, filed 4/15/77; Order 76–148, § 220–48–080, filed 12/2/76; 76-26, § 220-48-080, filed 1:45 P.M., 4/20/76; Order 1193-A, § 220-48-080, filed 3/5/75; Order 1193, § 220-48-080, filed 3/4/75; Order 1105, § 220-48-080, filed 12/28/73; Order 945, § 220-48-080, filed 8/16/71; Order 892, § 220-48-080, filed 9/22/70; Order 817, § 220–48–080, filed 5/29/69; Order 770–A, § 220–48–080, filed 2/15/68; Order 758, § 4 (part), filed 10/16/67; subsections 1a-1e, 2-7 from Orders 344 and 256, filed 3/1/60; subsection 1f from Orders 444 and 256, filed 3/1/60; subsection 8 from Orders 396 and 256, filed 3/1/60.] Repealed by 82-14-056 (Order 82-72), filed 7/1/82. Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080.

Authority: RCW 75.08.080.

220-48-090
Otter trawl and beam trawl seasons. [Order 77-147, § 220-48-090, filed 12/16/77; Order 77-14, § 220-48-090, filed 4/15/77; Order 76-148, § 220-48-090, filed 12/2/76; Order 1193, § 220-48-090, filed 3/4/75; Order 817, § 220-48-090, filed 5/29/69; Order 770-A, § 220-48-090, filed 2/15/68; Order 758, § 4 (part), filed 10/16/67; subsections 1-4 from Order 344, filed 3/1/60; subsection 5 from Order 355, filed 3/1/60; subsection 6 from Orders 370 and 256, filed 3/1/60.] Repealed by 82-14-056 (Order 82-72), filed 7/1/82. Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080.

220-48-09001 Size limit—Dab and sole. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 81-02-053 (Order 81-3), § 220-48-09001, filed 1/7/81.] Repealed by 82-14-056 (Order 82-72), filed 7/1/82. Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080.

220–48–091 Set net—Pacific cod—Seasons. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 81–02–053 (Order 81–3), § 220–48–091, filed 1/7/81; Order 77–147, § 220–48–091, filed 12/16/77; Order 76–148, § 220–48–091, filed 12/2/76.] Repealed by 82–14–056 (Order 82–72), filed 7/1/82. Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080.

220-48-092 Set net—Pacific cod—Gear. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 81-02-053 (Order 81-3), § 220-48-092, filed 1/7/81; Order 77-147, § 220-48-092, filed 12/16/77; Order 76-148, § 220-48-092, filed 12/2/76.] Repealed by 82-14-056 (Order 82-72), filed 7/1/82. Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080.

220-48-095 Set net—Dogfish—Gear. [Order 77-147, § 220-48-095, filed 12/16/77; Order 76-148, § 220-48-095, filed 12/2/76.] Repealed by 82-14-056 (Order 82-72), filed 7/1/82. Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080.

220-48-096 Set net—Dogfish—Seasons. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 81-02-053 (Order 81-3), § 220-48-096, filed 1/7/81; 78-04-039 (Order 78-11), § 220-48-096, filed 3/20/78; Order 77-147, § 220-48-

096, filed 12/16/77; Order 76-148, § 220-48-096, filed 12/2/76.] Repealed by 82-14-056 (Order 82-72), filed 7/1/82. Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080.

220-48-098

Lingcod—Seasons. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75-08.080. 81-02-053 (Order 81-3), § 220-48-098, filed 1/7/81; 78-04-039 (Order 78-11), § 220-48-098, filed 3/20/78.] Repealed by 82-14-056 (Order 82-72), filed 7/1/82. Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080.

220-48-100

Seasons—Other bottomfish gears. [Statutory Authority: RCW. 75.08.080. 81–02–053 (Order 81–3), § 220–48–100, filed 1/7/81; 79–03–014 (Order 79–11), § 220–48–100, filed 2/15/79; Order 77–147, § 220–48–100, filed 12/16/77; Order 76–148, § 220–48–100, filed 12/2/76; Order 1193, § 220–48–100, filed 3/4/75; Order 758, § 4 (part), filed 10/16/67; subsection 1 from Order 543, filed 3/20/62; Orders 398 and 256, filed 3/1/60; subsection 2 from Order 371, filed 3/1/60; subsection 3 from Orders 350 and 256, filed 3/1/60.] Repealed by 82–14–056 (Order 82–72), filed 7/1/82. Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080.

WAC 220-48-001 Puget sound bottomfish gear. It is unlawful to fish for bottomfish for commercial purposes in Puget Sound with any gear except as follows:

- (1) Beam trawl and otter trawls, which include bottom trawl, roller trawl, and pelagic trawl.
 - (2) Set lines.
 - (3) Hand line jig.
 - (4) Troll lines.
 - (5) Drag seines.
 - (6) Bottomfish pots.
- (7) Set nets, which include Pacific cod set nets and dogfish set nets.

Note: Gear specifications and seasons are provided for in the rest of chapter 220–48 WAC.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82–14–056 (Order 82–72), § 220–48–001, filed 7/1/82.]

WAC 220-48-005 Puget Sound bottomfish—General provisions. (1) It is unlawful to retain for commercial purposes any species of dab or sole less than 12 inches in length taken by any commercial bottomfish gear in Marine Fish—Shellfish Management and Catch Reporting Area 20A from March 1 through April 15.

- (2) It is unlawful to take, fish for, or possess for commercial purposes any starry flounder less than 14 inches in length taken by any commercial bottomfish gear in all Puget Sound Marine Fish—Shellfish Management and Catch Reporting Areas.
- (3) It is unlawful to take or possess lingcod taken for commercial purposes with any gear the entire year in Puget Sound Marine Fish-Shellfish Management and Catch Reporting Areas 24A, 24B, 24C, 24D, 25B, 25C, 25D, 26A, 26B, 26C, 26D, 27A, 27B, 27C, 28A, 28B, 28C, and 28D.
- (4) It is unlawful to take or possess lingcod taken for commercial purposes with any gear from December 1 through April 14 in Puget Sound Marine Fish-Shellfish Management and Catch Reporting Areas 20A, 20B, 21A, 21B, 22A, 22B, 23A, 23B, 23C, 25A, 25E and 29.
- (5) It is unlawful to take, fish for or possess any species of shellfish taken with lawful bottomfish gear except

as provided in WAC 220-52-053, 220-52-063, 220-52-066, 220-52-069, and 220-52-071. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82-24-080 (Order 82-215), § 220-48-005, filed 12/1/82, effective 1/1/83; 82-14-056 (Order 82-72), § 220-48-005, filed 7/1/82.]

- WAC 220-48-011 Beam trawl and otter trawl—Gear. (1) Mesh sizes. It is unlawful to use or operate beam trawls or otter trawls having mesh size in the codend section less than 4 1/2 inches in waters of Puget Sound, unless otherwise provided.
- (a) It is lawful to use or operate bottom trawl gear having mesh size in the codend section of not less than 3 inches in Marine Fish-Shellfish Catch Reporting Areas 28A, 28B, 28C, and 28D, during December 1 through March 31, and in Area 20A from March 1 through April 15.
- (b) It is lawful to use or operate roller trawl gear having mesh size in the codend section of not less than 3 inches in Marine Fish-Shellfish Catch Reporting Area 20A from March 1 through April 15.
- (c) It is lawful to use or operate pelagic trawl gear having mesh size of not less than 2 inches while fishing for Pacific hake during the season provided in WAC 220-48-017(1), and not less than 3 inches while fishing for walleye pollock during the season provided in WAC 220-48-017(2).
 - (2) Chafing gear.
- (a) For bottom trawls, chafing gear must have a minimum mesh size of 15 inches unless only the bottom one-half (underside) of the codend is covered by chafing gear.
- (b) For roller trawls and pelagic trawls chafing gear covering the upper one-half (top side) of the codend must have a minimum mesh size of 6.0 inches. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82-14-056 (Order 82-72), § 220-48-011, filed 7/1/82.]
- WAC 220-48-015 Beam trawl and bottom trawl-Seasons. (1) It is lawful to take, fish for and possess bottomfish taken with bottom trawl and beam trawl gear in Marine Fish-Shellfish Management and Catch Reporting Areas 20A, 20B, 21A, 22A, 22B, 23A, 23B, 23C, 25A, 25B, 25D, and 29 the entire year with the following exceptions:
- (a) Those waters of Marine Fish-Shellfish Management and Catch Reporting Area 20A east of a line projected from Point Whitehorn to Sandy Point shall be closed the entire year.
- (b) Those waters of Marine Fish-Shellfish Management and Catch Reporting Area 25A lying southerly and westerly of a line projected from Kiapot Point to Gibson Spit (Sequim Bay) are closed the entire year.
- (2) It is lawful to take, fish for and possess bottomfish with bottom trawl and beam trawl gear in Marine Fish-Shellfish Management and Catch Reporting Areas 24A, 24B, 24C, 26A, 26B, and 26D from April 15 through February 14 with the following exceptions:
- (a) Those waters of Marine Fish-Shellfish Management and Catch Reporting Area 24A west of a line from Strawberry Point on Whidbey Island to Brown Point on

Camano Island, are closed except from June 15 through February 14.

- (b) Elliot Bay inside a line projected from Four Mile Rock to Alki Point is closed the entire year.
- (c) Those waters of Area 26D south of lines projected from Dash Point to Point Piner on Maury Island, and from Point Dalco on Vashon Island true west to the Kitsap Peninsula are closed the entire year.
- (d) Those waters provided for in WAC 220-20-020(4).
- (e) It is lawful to take, fish for and possess Pacific hake taken with bottom trawl and beam trawl gear the entire year.
- (3) It is unlawful to take, fish for or possess bottom-fish taken with bottom trawl and beam trawl gear for commercial purposes in Marine Fish-Shellfish Management and Catch Reporting Areas 24D (Holmes Harbor), 25C, 27A, 27B, and 27C (Hood Canal) except on Mondays and Tuesdays from December 1 through February 14.
- (4) It is unlawful to take, fish for, or possess bottom-fish taken with bottom trawl or beam trawl gear in Marine Fish-Shellfish Management and Catch Reporting Area 25E except on Monday through Thursday from December 1 through February 14 with the following exception: Those waters of Area 25E lying southerly of a line projected from Mill Point due east to the opposite shore, are closed the entire year.
- (5) It is lawful to take, fish for and possess bottomfish taken with bottom trawl and beam trawl gear in Marine Fish-Shellfish Management and Catch Reporting Areas 28A, 28B, 28C, and 28D from December 1 through April 14, with the exception of the following closed waters:
- (a) Those waters of Hale Passage and the Narrows east and north of lines projected from Fox Point on Fox Island true east to the mainland, and from the northwest point on Fox Island true north to the mainland.
- (b) Budd Inlet south of the northern boundary of the restricted berthage area shown on United States Coast Guard Chart No. 6460.
- (c) Eld Inlet south and west of a line projected true south from Flapjack Point.
- (d) Totten Inlet south and west of lines projected true north and true east from the outermost point on the west side of Gallagher Cove.
- (e) Henderson Inlet south of a line projected true east from Dickerson Point; the waters inside Hartstene Island between lines projected from Unsal Point to Brisco Point and Salmon Point true east to Hartstene Island; and all of Hammersley Inlet.
- (f) Those waters provided for in WAC 220-20-010(6).
- (6) It is unlawful to take, fish for or possess bottom-fish taken with bottom trawl or beam trawl gear for commercial purposes in Marine Fish-Shellfish Management and Catch Reporting Areas 21B and 26C the entire year. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82-24-080 (Order 82-215), § 220-48-015, filed 12/1/82, effective 1/1/83; 82-14-056 (Order 82-72), § 220-48-015, filed 7/1/82.]

- WAC 220-48-017 Pelagic trawl--Seasons. It is lawful to take, fish for and possess bottomfish taken with pelagic trawl gear:
- (1) All year in Marine Fish-Shellfish Catch Reporting Areas 22B, 24A, 24B, 26A, 26B, and 26D.
- (2) March 1 through April 15 in Marine Fish-Shell-fish Catch Reporting Area 20A.
- (3) In any area at any time so designated by a permit issued by the director of the department of fisheries. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82–14–056 (Order 82–72), § 220–48–017, filed 7/1/82.]
- WAC 220-48-019 Roller trawl-Seasons. It is lawful to use roller trawls in the same areas and during the same seasons as bottom trawl. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82-14-056 (Order 82-72), § 220-48-019, filed 7/1/82.]
- WAC 220-48-025 Set net--Pacific cod--Gear. (1) It is lawful to take, fish for and possess Pacific cod with the following set net gear:
- (a) Maximum three nets per vessel, each net having a length not to exceed 600 feet.
 - (b) Net mesh must not be less than 5 inches.
 - (c) Net depth must not exceed 25 meshes.
- (2) Pacific cod set net tags, issued by the department of fisheries, must be affixed to buoys on each end of each net. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82–14–056 (Order 82–72), § 220–48–025, filed 7/1/82.]
- WAC 220-48-026 Set net--Pacific cod-Seasons. It is unlawful to take, fish for and possess Pacific cod and other species of bottomfish, except halibut, salmon and shellfish, taken with Pacific cod set net gear for commercial purposes except in that portion of Marine Fish-Shellfish Management and Catch Reporting Area 25C east of a line from Twin Spits to the Port Gamble Mill Stack, and all of Catch Reporting Area 25D from February 1 through April 14. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82-24-080 (Order 82-215), § 220-48-026, filed 12/1/82, effective 1/1/83; 82-14-056 (Order 82-72), § 220-48-026, filed 7/1/82.]
- WAC 220-48-028 Set net--Dogfish--Gear. (1) It is lawful to take, fish for and possess dogfish with set net gear as described below:
- (a) Maximum four nets, per vessel each net having a length not to exceed 1,000 feet.
 - (b) Net depth must not exceed 25 meshes.
 - (c) Net mesh must not be less than 5 inches.
- (d) Net web material must be no finer than 210/30 denier nylon which is regular seine thread size number 12, or 0.048 inches in diameter.
- (e) Dogfish set net tags, issued by the department of fisheries must be affixed to buoys on each end of each net. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82–14–056 (Order 82–72), § 220–48–028, filed 7/1/82.]
- WAC 220-48-029 Set net-Dogfish-Seasons. It is lawful to take, fish for and possess dogfish and other

species of bottomfish, except halibut, salmon and shell-fish, taken with dogfish set net gear for commercial purposes in the following Puget Sound Marine Fish-Shellfish Management and Catch Reporting Areas during the seasons designated below:

- (1) Areas 20A and 20B November 1 through June 15.
 - (2) Area 21A March 1 through June 15.
- (3) Areas 21B, 22A, 22B, 23A, and 23B Closed all year.
 - (4) Area 23C Open all year.
 - (5) Areas 24A, 24B, and 24D Open all year.
- (6) Area 24C Open all year, except those waters south of a line projected due east of East Point on Whidbey Island are closed all year.
- (7) Areas 25A, 25B and that portion of Area 25C west of a line from Twin Spits to the Port Gamble Millstack Open all year.
- (8) Area 25D and that portion of 25C east of line from Twin Spits to the Port Gamble Millstack Closed all year.
- (9) Area 25E Closed all year except by permit issued by the director.
- (10) Area 26A Open all year, except those waters southerly and westerly of a line between the ferry dock at Mukilteo and the ferry dock at Clinton are closed all year.
- (11) Area 26B Open all year except those waters provided for in WAC 220–20–020(4) (Shilshole Bay).
- (12) Area 26C Open all year, except those waters north of a line projected true east of Point Bolin are closed all year.
- (13) Area 26D Open all year, except those waters south of lines projected from Dash Point to Point Piner on Maury Island and from Point Dalco true west to the Kitsap Peninsula are closed all year.
 - (14) Areas 27A, 27B, and 27C Open all year.
- (15) Area 28A Open all year, except those waters north of a line projected true east of Fox Point on Fox Island, and east of a line projected due north from the northwest tip of Fox Island are closed all year.
- (16) Areas 28B, 28C, and 28D Open all year except those waters provided for in WAC 220–20–010(6) (upper Carr Inlet).
- (17) Area 29 Open all year. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82–24–080 (Order 82–215), § 220–48–029, filed 12/1/82, effective 1/1/83; 82–14–056 (Order 82–72), § 220–48–029, filed 7/1/82.]
- WAC 220-48-031 Set line-Gear. It is lawful to take, fish for, and possess bottomfish with set line gear as described below:
- (1) Three set lines per license, having not more than 500 hooks per line.
 - (2) Hook size must not be smaller than 7/0.
- (3) Gangions made of single strand monofilament synthetic material are unlawful.
- (4) Set lines must be marked at the surface at each terminal end as described in WAC 220-20-010(5). [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82-14-056 (Order 82-72), § 220-48-031, filed 7/1/82.]

- WAC 220-48-032 Set line—Seasons. It is lawful to take, fish for, and possess dogfish and other bottomfish with set lines in all Marine Fish—Shellfish Management and Catch Reporting Areas the entire year except as follows:
- (1) That portion of Area 26C north of a line projected due east from Point Bolin on Bainbridge Island is closed all year.
- (2) That portion of Area 26D south of lines projected due west of point Dalco on Vashon Island, and from Dash Point to Point Piner on Maury Island, is closed all year.
- (3) That portion of Area 28A east of a line projected due north from the northwest tip of Fox Island, and north of a line projected due east from Fox Point on Fox Island is closed all year.
- (4) Those waters provided for in WAC 220-20-010(6) and 220-20-020(4). [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82-24-080 (Order 82-215), § 220-48-032, filed 12/1/82, effective 1/1/83; 82-14-056 (Order 82-72), § 220-48-032, filed 7/1/82.]
- WAC 220-48-041 Hand line jig--Gear. It is lawful to take fish, for, and possess bottomfish with hand line jig gear so long as no more than 3 hooks per license or 6 hooks per vessel may be used unless otherwise authorized by a permit from the director. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82-14-056 (Order 82-72), § 220-48-041, filed 7/1/82.]
- WAC 220-48-042 Hand line jig-Seasons. It shall be unlawful to take, fish for, and possess bottomfish for commercial purposes with hand line jig gear except in the following Marine Fish-Shellfish Management and Catch Reporting Areas during the seasons designated below:
- (1) Areas 20A, 21A, 21B, 23A, and 23B Open April 15 through November 30.
 - (2) Area 23C Open December 1 through April 14.
- (3) Area 29 Open all year. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82–24–080 (Order 82–215), § 220–48–042, filed 12/1/82, effective 1/1/83; 82–14–056 (Order 82–72), § 220–48–042, filed 7/1/82.]
- WAC 220-48-046 Hand line jig-Logbooks. It shall be unlawful for any operator of hard line jig gear to fail to obtain and accurately maintain the appropriate harvest log available from the Washington department of fisheries. The harvest log must be kept aboard the vessel while the vessel is engaged in harvest or has commercial caught bottomfish aboard. The vessel operator must submit the log for inspection upon request by authorized department of fisheries representatives. Vessel operators shall record the vessel identity, and, for each date and ground fished, the number of lures, hours fished, and number and estimated weight of each species caught (including discards). [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08-.080. 82-24-080 (Order 82-215), § 220-48-046, filed 12/1/82, effective 1/1/83.]

- WAC 220-48-051 Troll lines-Bottomfish-Gear. It is lawful to take, fish for, and possess bottomfish with troll line gear as specified below, unless otherwise provided:
 - (1) No more than two troll lines per vessel.
 - (2) No more than four spreads per line.
- (3) The top spread can not be more than twenty-four feet from the weight on the end of the line. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82-14-056 (Order 82-72), § 220-48-051, filed 7/1/82.]
- WAC 220-48-052 Troll lines—Bottomfish—Seasons. (1) It is unlawful to take, fish for, and possess bottomfish, unless otherwise provided, with troll lines for commercial purposes except in the following Marine Fish—Shellfish Management and Catch Reporting Areas during the seasons designated below:
- (a) Areas 20A, 21A, 21B, 23A, and 23B Open April 15 through November 30.
 - (b) Area 23C Open December 1 through April 14.
 - (c) Area 29 Open all year.
- (2) It is unlawful to take, fish for or possess salmon while fishing for bottomfish with troll line gear under authority of a bottomfish troll license, provided; in any waters of Puget Sound it is lawful to retain for commercial purposes bottomfish taken with commercial salmon gear incidental to a lawful salmon fishery, except lingcod during closures provided in WAC 220-48-005. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82-24-080 (Order 82-215), § 220-48-052, filed 12/1/82, effective 1/1/83; 82-14-056 (Order 82-72), § 220-48-052, filed 7/1/82.]
- WAC 220-48-056 Troll lines--Bottomfish--Logbooks. It shall be unlawful for any operator of bottomfish troll gear to fail to obtain and accurately maintain the appropriate harvest log available from the Washington department of fisheries. The harvesting log must be kept aboard the vessel while the vessel is engaged in harvest or has commercial caught bottomfish aboard. The vessel operator must submit the log for inspection upon request by authorized department of fisheries representatives. Vessel operators shall record the vessel identity, and, for each date and ground fished, the number of lures, hours fished, and number and estimated weight of each species caught (including discards). [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82-24-080 (Order 82–215), § 220–48–056, filed 12/1/82, effective 1/1/83.]
- WAC 220-48-061 Drag seines—Gear. It is lawful to take, fish for, and possess bottomfish, unless otherwise provided, with drag seine or beach seine gear as described below:
 - (1) Seines must not be longer than 350 feet in length.
- (2) Net mesh must not be smaller than 1/2 inch stretch measure. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82-14-056 (Order 82-72), § 220-48-061, filed 7/1/82.]
- WAC 220-48-062 Drag seines-Seasons. It is unlawful to take, fish for, and possess bottomfish with drag

- seine gear for commercial purposes except in the following Marine Fish-Shellfish Management and Catch Reporting Areas during the seasons designated below:
- (1) Areas 28A, 28B, 28C, and 28D Open January 1
- through May 14.
- (2) All other areas Open September 1 through May 14. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82–24–080 (Order 82–215), § 220–48–062, filed 12/1/82, effective 1/1/83; 82–14–056 (Order 82–72), § 220–48–062, filed 7/1/82.]
- WAC 220-48-071 Bottomfish pots—Gear and seasons. It shall be unlawful to take, fish for, and possess bottomfish for commercial purposes with bottomfish pot gear as described in WAC 220-16-145, except in the following Puget Sound Marine Fish—Shellfish Management and Catch Reporting Areas during the seasons designated below:
- (1) Areas 20A, 21A, 21B, 23A, and 23B Open April 15 through November 30.
 - (2) Area 23C Open December 1 through April 14.
 - (3) Area 29 Open all year.
- (4) All other areas are closed the entire year, except by permit from the director. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82-24-080 (Order 82-215), § 220-48-071, filed 12/1/82, effective 1/1/83; 82-14-056 (Order 82-72), § 220-48-071, filed 7/1/82.]
- WAC 220-48-080 Repealed. See Disposition Table at beginning of this chapter.
- WAC 220-48-090 Repealed. See Disposition Table at beginning of this chapter.
- WAC 220-48-09001 Repealed. See Disposition Table at beginning of this chapter.
- WAC 220-48-091 Repealed. See Disposition Table at beginning of this chapter.
- WAC 220-48-092 Repealed. See Disposition Table at beginning of this chapter.
- WAC 220-48-095 Repealed. See Disposition Table at beginning of this chapter.
- WAC 220-48-096 Repealed. See Disposition Table at beginning of this chapter.
- WAC 220-48-098 Repealed. See Disposition Table at beginning of this chapter.
- WAC 220-48-100 Repealed. See Disposition Table at beginning of this chapter.

Chapter 220–49 WAC PUGET SOUND COMMERCIAL BAIT FISH

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220-49-022

Herring, candlefish, anchovy and pilchard fishing—Special provisions—Closed areas.

220-49-023 Reporting.

WAC 220-49-022 Herring, candlefish, anchovy and pilchard fishing—Special provisions—Closed areas. It shall be unlawful to take, fish for or possess herring, candlefish, anchovy, or pilchards for commercial purposes except with dip bag net gear from the following areas during the following closed seasons:

- (1) Areas closed entire year:
- (a) Waldron Island Cowlitz Bay inside of a line from Sandy Point to Point Disney, and the small bay on the east side of the island.
 - (b) Stuart Island Reid Harbor.
- (c) Swinomish Channel Waters between the highway bridge at LaConner and a line drawn across the channel at a right angle to the thread of the channel at the northeast end of the LaConner boat basin.
 - (2) Areas closed February 1 to April 30:
- (a) Orcas Island East Sound north of a line running due west from Cascade Bay, and West Sound.
- (b) San Juan Island Roche Harbor, Wescott Bay, and Mosquito Pass.
 - (c) Lopez Island Mud Bay and Hunter Bay.
 - (d) Homes Harbor.
- (e) Skagit Bay east of Deception Pass bridge and north of a line from Strawberry Point to Point Brown.
- (f) Hood Canal south of a line true east from Hazel Point and north of a line from Triton Head to Tekiu Point (including Dabob Bay and Quilcene Bay).
 - (g) Quartermaster Harbor.
 - (h) Gig Harbor.
 - (i) Wollochet Bay.
 - (3) Areas closed February 1 through March 30:
 - (a) Discovery Bay.
 - (b) Sequim Bay.
 - (c) Port Townsend.
 - (d) Kilisut Harbor.
 - (e) Port Gamble.
- (f) Hood Canal east of a line from Ayres Point to Union.
- (g) Padilla Bay south of a line from the lighted buoy at Capsante Bluff, Anacortes, to the Southeast Point of Guemes Island to William Point.
- (h) Totten Inlet and Squaxin Passage south of a line from Arcadia navigation marker to Potlatch Point on Squaxin Island, and north of a line from Unsal Point on Squaxin Island to Hunter Point.
- (i) Port Orchard west of a line projected from Point Bolin to Battle Point and thence to University Point, and east of the power cables at the mouth of Liberty Bay near Lemolo.
- (j) Port Madison west of a line projected from the light at Point Monroe to the light at Indianola. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 81–02–053 (Order 81–3), § 220–49–022, filed 1/7/81; 79–03–014 (Order 79–11), § 220–49–022, filed 2/15/79; Order 76–148, § 220–49–022, filed 12/2/76; Order 1105, § 220–49–022, filed 12/28/73.]
- WAC 220-49-023 Reporting. (1) It shall be unlawful for the original receiver of herring taken from Puget

Sound Herring Fishing Areas 20A, 20B, 21A, and 21B during the period April 16 through May 31 to fail to report each calendar day's receipts by noon of the following day to the Washington Department of Fisheries, Olympia, Washington; telephone (206) 753–6637.

(2) It shall be unlawful for original buyer of herring to process or resell such herring until after the herring have been landed at a shore station. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 81–02–053 (Order 81–3), § 220–49–023, filed 1/7/81; Order 77–147, § 220–49–023, filed 12/16/77; Order 77–14, § 220–49–023, filed 4/15/77; Order 76–148, § 220–49–023, filed 12/2/76; Order 1193, § 220–49–023, filed 3/4/75; Order 1105, § 220–49–023, filed 12/28/73.]

Chapter 220-52 WAC SHELLFISH

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WAC 220-52-019 Geoduck clams—Gear. It is unlawful to take, fish for or possess geoduck clams taken for commercial purposes from any of the tidelands of the state of Washington: *Provided*, That pursuant to RCW 75.24.100, validations for the use of hand—held manually operated water jet or suction devices for harvesting geoduck clams for commercial purposes may be obtained from the director of fisheries subject to the following conditions:

- (1) All harvesting methods and types of water jet and suction devices used in the taking or harvesting of geoduck clams must be approved by the director of fisheries prior to their use, except that water jet devices meeting the following requirements are approved for use:
- (a) The water jet must have an automatic spring-triggered shutoff valve or a manual valve capable of being operated from full flow to completely off within one-half turn.
- (b) The device must consist of not more than one jet, the nozzle of which shall not exceed 5/8 inch inside diameter.
- (c) It is unlawful in the commercial harvest of geoducks for through-hull fittings for water discharge hoses connected to the harvest gear to be below the surface of the water. Any through-hull fitting connected to the harvest gear which is above the surface of the water must be visible at all times.
- (2) One geoduck validation must be physically present on board the harvest vessel for each and every geoduck personal commercial fishing license in use. It is the responsibility of the holder of the harvest agreement to issue validations only to divers authorized to harvest on the specific tract or tracts. It is the responsibility of the

holder of the harvest agreement to ensure that the required number of validation cards are on board the harvesting vessel engaged in geoduck harvesting.

- (3) It is unlawful to take, fish for or possess geoduck clams taken from one—half hour before official sunset to official sunrise or to 6:00 a.m. whichever is later. It is unlawful to take, fish for or possess geoduck clams taken on Sunday.
- (4) It is unlawful to harvest geoduck clams with any instrument that penetrates the skin, neck or body of the geoduck.
- (5) It is unlawful to retain any shellfish other than geoduck clams during geoduck harvesting operations unless the operator is licensed for the taking of clams other than geoduck clams as provided for in RCW 75.24.100. It is unlawful to take, fish for or possess sea cucumbers during geoduck clam harvesting operations, or possess sea cucumbers on a vessel that has geoducks aboard.
- (6) It shall be unlawful for more than six divers to harvest geoducks at any one time on a single geoduck tract. It shall be the responsibility of the holder of the harvest agreement to assure that no more than six divers are harvesting at one time.
- (7) At all times when geoduck harvest is occurring, copies of the official geoduck tract map and complete tract boundary identification documents or photographs as issued by the department of natural resources for the specific tract must be on board the vessel.
- (8) No processing of geoducks is permitted on board the harvest vessel.
- (9) It shall be unlawful to take, fish for or possess geoduck clams for commercial purposes except those taken within boundaries of subtidal tracts for which geoduck harvest agreements have been issued by the department of natural resources or from subtidal tracts which were leased from the department of natural resources prior to June 30, 1979 for geoduck harvest.
- (10) It shall be unlawful to harvest from bottoms which are shallower than 10 feet below mean lower low water (0.0 feet), or which lie in areas bounded by the line of ordinary high tide (mean high tide), and a line 1/4-mile seaward from and parallel to said line of ordinary high tide on subtidal tracts which were leased for geoduck harvest prior to June 30, 1979.
- (11) It shall be unlawful to harvest from bottoms which are shallower than 18 feet below mean lower low water (0.0 feet), or which lie in areas bounded by the line of ordinary high tide (mean high tide), and a line 200 yards seaward from and parallel to said line of ordinary high tide on subtidal tracts for which geoduck harvest agreements have been issued after June 30, 1979. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 81–11– 006 (Order 81–31), § 220–52–019, filed 5/11/81; 79– 12-039 (Order 79-129), § 220-52-019, filed 11/20/79; 79-02-053 (Order 79-6), § 220-52-019, filed 1/30/79; Order 77–65, § 220–52–019, filed 8/5/77 and 8/25/77; Order 76–152, § 220–52–019, filed 12/17/76; Order 76-26, § 220-52-019, filed 1:45 p.m., 4/20/76; Order 1258, § 220-52-019, filed 8/25/75; Order 857, § 220-52–019, filed 12/11/69.]

- WAC 220-52-040 Crab fishery—Lawful and unlawful. (1) It is unlawful for any vessel geared or equipped with commercial net fishing gear to have aboard any quantity of crab while fishing with said gear or having commercially caught food fish or other species of shellfish aboard.
- (2) Unless otherwise provided, it is unlawful to set, maintain, or operate any baited or unbaited shellfish pots or ring nets for taking crabs, for commercial purposes, in any area at any time when it is unlawful to take or fish for crabs for commercial purposes therein.
- (3) It is unlawful to have in the water any baited or unbaited shellfish pots or ring nets for taking crabs for commercial purposes, in any area at any time when it is unlawful to take or fish for crabs for commercial purposes therein: *Provided*, That following the close of a commercial crab season, permission may be granted by the director on a case—by—case basis for fishermen to recover shellfish pots that have become irretrievable due to extreme weather conditions. Fishermen must apply to fisheries patrol for such permission within twenty—four hours of the close of season.
- (4) It is unlawful for any person to take, or possess for commercial purposes female Dungeness crabs, or male Dungeness crabs measuring less than 6-1/4 inches, caliper measurement, across the back immediately in front of the tips.
- (5) It is unlawful for any person to take or fish for crabs for commercial purposes in the Puget Sound licensing district with more than 100 shellfish pots or ring nets in the aggregate, and it shall be unlawful for any group of persons using the same vessel to take or fish for crabs for commercial purposes in Puget Sound with more than 100 shellfish pots or ring nets in the aggregate, provided it shall be unlawful for any person, or group of persons using the same vessel, to take or fish for crabs for commercial purposes with more than 20 shellfish pots or ring nets in the aggregate within the waters of Dungeness Bay lying west of a line projected from the new Dungeness Light southward to the outermost end of the abandoned dock at the Three Crabs Restaurant on the southern shore of Dungeness Bay. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 83-01-026 (Order 82-221), § 220-52-040, filed 12/8/82; 80-13-064 (Order 80–123), § 220–52–040, filed 9/17/80; 79–02– 053 (Order 79-6), § 220-52-040, filed 1/30/79; Order 77-145, § 220-52-040, filed 12/13/77; Order 76-152, § 220-52-040, filed 12/17/76; Order 76-26, § 220-52-040, filed 1:45 p.m., 4/20/76; Order 1045, § 220-52-040, filed 3/8/73; Order 807, § 220-52-040, filed 1/2/69, effective 2/1/69; subsections 1, 5, 6, from Orders 409 and 256, filed 3/1/60; subsection 2 from Orders 500 and 256, filed 3/1/60; subsection 3 from Order 528, filed 6/1/61; Order 525, filed 5/3/61; Order 507, filed 4/8/60; Orders 409 and 256, filed 3/1/60; subsection 4 from Order 528, filed 6/1/61; Order 525, filed 5/3/61; Orders 409 and 256, filed 3/1/60; subsection 7 from Orders 414 and 256, filed 3/1/60; subsection 8 from Orders 410 and 256, filed 3/1/60; subsection 9 from Order 409, filed 9/14/56.]

- WAC 220-52-046 Crab fishery—Seasons and areas.
 (1) It is unlawful to take, fish for, land or possess Dungeness crabs for commercial purposes except during the lawful open seasons and areas as follows:
- (a) All Puget Sound Marine Fish-Shellfish Areas except 27A, 27B, and 27C, open October 1 through April 15, provided that it shall be unlawful to set any crab gear prior to 9:00 a.m. on the opening day of the season.
- (b) Coastal, Pacific Ocean, Grays Harbor, Willapa Harbor and Columbia River waters open December 1 through September 15.
- (2) It is unlawful for any person to take or possess for commercial purposes red rock crabs in the Puget Sound licensing district without having first obtained a license, endorsement, and permit to fish for red rock crabs for commercial purposes authorized by the director of the department of fisheries. The permit must accompany the fisherman at all times while fishing for red rock crabs for commercial purposes and must be made available for inspection by any authorized representative of the department of fisheries. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75-.08.080. 83-01-026 (Order 82-221), § 220-52-046, filed 12/8/82; 80-13-064 (Order 80-123), § 220-52-046, filed 9/17/80; Order 76-152, § 220-52-046, filed 12/17/76; Order 1179, § 220-52-046, filed 11/19/74; Order 1112, § 220-52-046, filed 4/15/74; Order 1057, § 220-52-046, filed 5/22/73; Order 920, § 220-52-046, filed 5/13/71; Order 807, § 220-52-046, filed 1/2/69, effective 2/1/69. Formerly WAC 220-52-040(2), (3), (4) and (9).]
- WAC 220-52-050 Shrimp fishery—Lawful and unlawful. (1) It is unlawful to land or possess shrimp exceeding an average of 160 whole shrimp per pound in or from the coastal waters of the state of Washington and the adjoining waters of the Pacific Ocean. The count must average no more than 160 shrimp per pound for a minimum of two samples increasing at a rate of one sample per one thousand pounds landed or in possession up to a maximum requirement of twenty samples. Such samples shall consist of at least one pound each of whole unbroken shrimp taken at random from throughout the individual load landed or in possession. This subsection applies only to loads of 3,000 pounds of shrimp or more.
- (2) It is unlawful for any person to take or fish for shrimp for commercial purposes in Puget Sound with more than 100 shellfish pots, and it is unlawful for any group of persons using the same vessel to take or fish for shrimp for commercial purposes in Puget Sound with more than 100 shellfish pots except:
- (a) It is unlawful for any person, or for any group of persons using the same vessel, to take or fish for shrimp for commercial purposes with more than 75 shellfish pots in Puget Sound Marine Fish-Shellfish Area 28B as described in WAC 220-22-400.
- (b) It is unlawful for any person to take or fish for shrimp for commercial purposes in that portion of Marine Fish-Shellfish Catch Reporting Area 23 inside and westerly of a line projected from the tip of Ediz Hook to the ITT Rayonier Dock with more than 10 shellfish pots.

- (3) It is unlawful to operate, set or have in the water any baited or unbaited shellfish pots for taking of shrimp for commercial purposes in any area or at any time that it is unlawful to take or fish for shrimp for commercial purposes therein. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82-03-045 (Order 82-6), § 220-52-050, filed 1/19/82; 80-13-064 (Order 80-123), § 220-52-050, filed 9/17/80; 79-02-053 (Order 79-6), § 220-52-050, filed 1/30/79; Order 76–152, § 220–52–050, filed 12/17/76; Order 76–26, § 220–52–050, filed 1:45 p.m., 4/20/76; Order 1242, \S 220-52-050, filed 8/7/75, effective 9/16/75; Order 1179, § 220–52–050, filed 11/19/74; Order 1112, § 220–52–050, filed 4/15/74; Order 945, § 220-52-050, filed 8/16/71; Order 807, § 220-52-050, filed 1/2/69, effective 2/1/69; subsections 1, 5, 6 from Orders 414 and 256, filed 3/1/60; subsection 2 from Orders 420 and 256, filed 3/1/60; subsection 3 from Order 525, filed 5/3/61; Orders 414 and 256, filed 3/1/60; subsection 7 from Order 525, filed 5/3/61.]
- WAC 220-52-053 Shrimp fishery—Seasons—Areas and gear. (1) It is lawful during the period May 15 through September 15 of each year to take, fish for and possess shrimp taken for commercial purposes with shellfish pot gear in the waters of Puget Sound: *Provided*, That all waters of Hood Canal southerly of the Hood Canal floating bridge and Carr Inlet inside and northerly of a line projected from Penrose Point to Green Point are closed except as specifically provided for by emergency regulation.
- (2) It is lawful during the period April 15 through October 15 of each year to take, fish for and possess shrimp taken for commercial purposes with beam trawl gear in any Puget Sound marine fish-shellfish area described in WAC 220-22-400 except in Puget Sound marine fish-shellfish areas 27A, 27B, 27C, 28A, 28B, 28C, 28D, and other waters when closed to otter and beam trawling as provided in WAC 220-48-090.
- (3) It is unlawful at any time to take or fish for shrimp for commercial purposes with otter trawl gear in the waters of Puget Sound.
- (4) It is lawful during the period April 1 through October 31 of each year to take, fish for, land, or possess shrimp for commercial purposes taken with shrimp trawl or beam trawl gear in or from the coastal waters of the state of Washington and the adjoining waters of the Pacific Ocean.
- (5) It is lawful the entire year to take, fish for, land, or possess shrimp for commercial purposes taken with shellfish pot gear in or from the coastal waters of the state of Washington and the adjoining waters of the Pacific Ocean.
- (6) It is unlawful to take, fish for, or possess shrimp taken for commercial purposes with shellfish pot gear in the waters of Hood Canal southerly of the Hood Canal floating bridge unless such gear meets the following requirements:
- (a) The top, bottom and at least one—half of the area of the sides of the shellfish pots shall have the minimum mesh size defined below.

- (b) The minimum mesh size for shrimp pots is defined as a square or rectangular mesh such that the inside distance between any knot or corner and each adjacent knot or corner shall be no less than 7/8 of an inch provided that the shortest inside diagonal of each mesh shall be no less than 1-1/8 inches. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82-03-045 (Order 82-6), § 220-52-053, filed 1/19/82; 79-02-053 (Order 79-6), § 220-52-053, filed 1/30/79; Order 77-145, § 220-52-053, filed 12/13/77; Order 76–148, § 220–52–053, filed 12/2/76; Order 1242, § 220-52-053, filed 8/7/75, effective 9/16/75; Order 1049, § 220–52–053, filed 4/11/73; Order 1047, § 220-52-053, filed 3/28/73; Order 1045, § 220–52–053, filed 3/8/73; Order 945, § 220–52–053, filed 8/16/71; Order 807, § 220-52-053, filed 1/2/69, effective 2/1/69. Formerly WAC 220-52-050 (1), (2), (3), (4) and (7).]
- WAC 220-52-054 Shrimp fishery—Unlawful gear. (1) It is unlawful to take, fish for, land or possess shrimp for commercial purposes taken in the coastal waters of the state of Washington or the Pacific Ocean with the following types of shrimp trawl gear:
- (a) Shrimp trawl gear having a mesh size greater than two inches or smaller than one and one-half inches in the intermediate or codend (stretch measurement including one knot), provided that it is lawful to have net mesh larger than two inches in the wings and/or body of the trawl.

Effective April 1, 1987, shrimp trawl gear having a mesh size smaller than one and three-eighths inches as measured by a twenty-gauge stainless steel tapered gauge of one and three-eighths inches maximum width. At least seventy-five percent of meshes measured randomly throughout the net must fit on the gauge for compliance.

- (b) Shrimp trawl gear having a double-layered codend (liner).
- (c) Shrimp trawl gear employing an additional layer of webbing (lifting bag) over the codend section which has a mesh size smaller than three inches or a circumference smaller than the shrimp trawl codend at its greatest circumference.
- (d) Shrimp trawl gear employing additional layers of protective webbing (chafing gear) over the codend of the shrimp trawl unless such webbing is attached at only one strip around the circumference of the codend, trails freely therefrom and has a minimum mesh size of three inches.
- (2) It is unlawful to have aboard a commercial shrimp vessel in the waters of the state of Washington or the Pacific Ocean any shrimp trawl gear described in subsection (1) of this section while any shrimp are on board the vessel. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82–03–045 (Order 82–6), § 220–52–054, filed 1/19/82; 80–13–064 (Order 80–123), § 220–52–054, filed 9/17/80.]
- WAC 220-52-069 Scallop fishery. (1) It is lawful at any time to take or fish for scallops for commercial purposes with otter trawl or beam trawl or scallop dredge gear, provided that it is unlawful at any time to

- take or possess rock scallop of the species Hinnites multriugosus.
- (2) It is unlawful to take or fish for scallops for commercial purposes in any waters of the state of Washington or the Pacific Ocean with scallop dredges having a ring size less than three inches inside diameter. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82-03-045 (Order 82-6), § 220-52-069, filed 1/19/82; Order 807, § 220-52-069, filed 1/2/69, effective 2/1/69. Formerly WAC 220-52-060(7).]
- WAC 220-52-071 Sea cucumbers. (1) It is lawful to take, fish for and possess sea cucumbers for commercial purposes with dip bag net gear the entire year and with trawl gear in areas open to bottom fish trawling except as provided in subsection (2).
- (2) It is unlawful to harvest sea cucumbers for commercial purposes within one—half mile of the shorelines of San Juan Island and Henry Island.
- (3) It is unlawful to take or fish for sea cucumbers for commercial purposes taken from one—half hour before official sunset to official sunrise or 6:00 a.m. whichever is later. It is unlawful to take, fish for or possess sea cucumbers for commercial purposes taken on Sunday.
- (4) It is unlawful to take, fish for or possess geoduck clams during commercial sea cucumber harvesting operations, or possess geoduck clams on a vessel that has sea cucumber on board. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08-.080. 81-11-006 (Order 81-31), § 220-52-071, filed 5/11/81; 79-02-053 (Order 79-6), § 220-52-071, filed 1/30/79; Order 77-145, § 220-52-071, filed 12/13/77; Order 77-65, § 220-52-071, filed 8/5/77; Order 1105, § 220-52-071, filed 12/28/73; Order 990, § 220-52-071, filed 5/11/72.]
- WAC 220-52-075 Shellfish harvest logs. It is unlawful for any vessel operator engaged in commercial crawfish, sea cucumber, sea urchin, scallop, and shrimp fisheries and operators of mechanical clam digging devices to fail to obtain and accurately maintain the appropriate harvest log available from the Washington department of fisheries. The harvest log must be kept aboard the vessel while the vessel is engaged in harvest or has crawfish, sea cucumbers, sea urchins, shrimp, scallops or clams aboard. The vessel operator must submit the log book for inspection upon request by authorized department of fisheries representatives. The department's copies of the completed harvest log must be submitted to the department for each calendar month in which fishing activity occurs. State copies must be received within ten days following any calendar month in which fishing occurred and by the tenth day following the termination of commercial fishing activity, whichever occurs first. Vessel operators engaged in commercial harvest of:
- (1) Shrimp and crawfish with shellfish pot or ring net gear must record the vessel identity, number of pots or ring nets pulled, date pulled, soak times and gear location before leaving the catch area where taken and weights must be recorded upon landing or sale.

- (2) Shrimp with beam trawl or shrimp trawl gear must record the vessel identity, date, location, duration and estimated weight of shrimp caught for each tow before leaving the catch area where taken.
- (3) Sea urchins, or sea cucumbers must record the vessel identity, date, location and approximate number of sea urchins or sea cucumbers before leaving the catch area where taken and the exact weight must be recorded upon landing or sale.
- (4) Clams with mechanical digging devices must record the vessel identity, location and date of harvest before the end of each days' fishing and the weights by clam species must be recorded upon landing or sale.
- (5) Scallops with dredge or trawl gear must record the vessel identity, date, location, and duration of harvest and estimated weight of scallops caught for each tow before leaving the catch area where taken. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82-03-045 (Order 82-6), § 220-52-075, filed 1/19/82; 81-11-006 (Order 81-31), § 220-52-075, filed 5/11/81; 80-13-064 (Order 80-123), § 220-52-075, filed 9/17/80; 79-12-039 (Order 79-129), § 220-52-075, filed 11/20/79; 79-02-053 (Order 79-6), § 220-52-075, filed 1/30/79.]

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220-56-135 Edmonds and Elliott Bay fishing piers. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 81-05-027 (Order 81-13), § 220-56-135, filed 2/17/81, effective 4/1/81;

80-03-064 (Order 80-12), § 220-56-135, filed 2/27/80, effective 4/1/80.] Repealed by 82-07-047 (Order 82-19), filed 3/18/82. Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080.

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Bottomfish—Lawful gear. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 80-03-064 (Order 80-12), § 220-56-260, filed 2/27/80, effective 4/1/80.] Repealed by 82-13-040 (Order 82-61), filed 6/9/82. Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080.

- WAC 220-56-100 Definitions—Personal—use. (1) "Personal—use possession" and "daily bag limits" are defined as the numbers or pounds of food fish or shell-fish which may be taken in a single day or held in possession at one time, unless otherwise provided.
- (2) A "single hook" is defined as a hook having a single point or barb; a "double hook" as a hook having two points or barbs on a common shank; and a "treble hook" as a hook having three points or barbs on a common shank.
- (3) A "lure" is defined as any object made of animal, vegetable or mineral materials which has attached thereto one or more hooks and is used as bait while angling for food fish.
- (4) The term "processed fish" is defined as salmon or other food fish which has been processed by heat for human consumption as kippered, smoked, or canned fish and is exclusive of iced, frozen, or salted fish.
- (5) The term "fresh fish" is defined as salmon or other food fish which has not been processed by heat for human consumption and is inclusive of iced, frozen, or salted fish except that fresh fish as provided in WAC 220-56-180 shall not include frozen.
- (6) "Hook and line" or "angling" shall be identical in meaning and, except as provided in WAC 220-56-115, shall be defined as the use of not more than one line with one lure in the act of fishing for personal use and not for sale or barter, to be attached to a pole held in hand while landing fish, or the use of a hand-operated line without rod or reel, to which may be attached not more than one lure. When fishing for bottomfish, "angling" and "jigging" shall be identical in meaning.
- (7) The term "snag or snagging" is defined as any method of taking or attempting to take food fish with one or more hooks in such a manner that the fish does not take the hook or hooks voluntarily in its mouth.
- (8) The term "underwater spearfishing" is defined as any method of taking or attempting to take food fish by using any object or objects to impale or hook fish while the fisherman is swimming or floating in the water.
- (9) The term "bow and arrow fishing" is defined as any method of taking, or attempting to take, food fish by the use of an arrow equipped with a barbed head and a line attached, and propelled by a bow, as in the sport of archery, while the fisherman is above the surface of the water.
- (10) The term "natural bait," unless otherwise provided, is defined as a lure consisting of an animal or part of an animal with one single hook. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82-13-040 (Order 82-61), § 220-56-100, filed 6/9/82; 80-03-064 (Order 80-12), § 220-56-100, filed 2/27/80, effective 4/1/80.]

WAC 220-56-105 River mouth definitions. When pertaining to food fish angling, unless otherwise defined, any reference to the mouths of rivers or streams shall be construed to include those waters of any river or stream including sloughs and tributaries upstream and inside of a line projected between the outermost uplands at the mouth. The term "outermost upland" shall be construed to mean those lands not covered by water during an ordinary high tide. The following river mouths are hereby otherwise defined:

Abernathy Creek - Highway 4 Bridge.

Bear River – Highway 101 Bridge.

Bone River – Highway 101 Bridge.

Chehalis River – U.P. Railway Bridge in Aberdeen.

Chinook River – The tide gates at the Highway 101 Bridge.

Cowlitz River – A line projected across the river between two fishing boundary markers set on each bank of the river approximately one-half mile downstream from the lowermost railroad bridge crossing the Cowlitz River.

Duwamish River - First Avenue South Bridge.

Elk River - Highway 105 Bridge.

Entiat River - Highway 97 Bridge.

Germany Creek - Highway 4 Bridge.

Hoquiam River - Highway 101 Bridge.

Humptulips River - Highway 109 Bridge.

Johns River - Highway 105 Bridge.

Lake Washington Ship Canal – Line 400 feet below the fish ladder at the Chittenden Locks.

Lewis River – A straight line running from a marker on Austin Point south across the Lewis River to a marker on the opposite shore.

Methow River - Highway 97 Bridge.

Mill Creek - Highway 4 Bridge.

Naselle River - Highway 101 Bridge.

North Nemah River – Line from markers approximately one-half mile below the Highway 101 Bridge.

Niawiakum River – Highway 101 Bridge.

North River - Highway 105 Bridge.

Palix River - Highway 101 Bridge.

Puyallup River – 11th Street Bridge.

Samish River – The Samish Island Bridge (Bayview–Edison Road).

Sammamish River - Kenmore Highway Bridge.

Skagit River (North Fork) – A line projected from the white monument on the easterly end of Ika Island to the terminus of the jetty with McGlinn Island.

Skagit River (South Fork) – A line projected from the flashing red four-second navigational light true north to its intersection with the old jetty shown on U.S.C.G.S. chart No. 6450.

Skamokawa Creek – Highway 4 Bridge.

Snohomish River — Burlington Northern Railway Bridges crossing main river and sloughs.

South Nemah River – Lynn Point 117 degrees true to the opposite shore.

Tucannon River - State Highway 261 Bridge.

Washougal River – A straight line from the Crown Zellerbach pumphouse southeasterly across the

Washougal River to the east end of the Highway 14 Bridge near the upper end of Lady Island.

White Salmon River - Highway 14 Bridge.

Little White Salmon River – At boundary markers on river bank downstream from the federal salmon hatchery.

Willapa River - Highway 101 Bridge.

Yakima River - Highway 240 Bridge.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82–13–040 (Order 82–61), § 220–56–105, filed 6/9/82; 81–05–027 (Order 81–13), § 220–56–105, filed 2/17/81, effective 4/1/81; 80–03–064 (Order 80–12), § 220–56–105, filed 2/27/80, effective 4/1/80.]

WAC 220-56-112 Sampling data and tag recovery. It is unlawful for any person to fail to comply with the directions of authorized department of fisheries personnel related to the collection of sampling data or material from salmon or other food fish. It is also unlawful for any person to fail to relinquish upon request to the department any fish tag or any part of a salmon or other food fish containing coded wire tags, including but not limited to, the snouts of those salmon that are marked by having clipped adipose fins. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82-07-047 (Order 82-19), § 220-56-112, filed 3/18/82.]

WAC 220-56-115 Angling-Lawful and unlawful acts. (1) It is unlawful for any person to use more than one line with one lure at any one time while angling for food fish for personal use except:

- (a) It is lawful to use two natural baits per line while angling in freshwater.
- (b) It is lawful to use two lures per line while angling in marine waters for food fish other than salmon.
- (c) A second line using baitfish jigger gear is lawful while angling in the Strait of Juan de Fuca east of the mouth of the Sekiu River, Georgia Strait, the San Juan Islands, and Puget Sound.
- (2) It shall be unlawful for any person to take, fish for or possess food fish for personal use by any means other than angling with a line attached to a pole held in hand while landing the fish or with a hand-operated line without rod or reel not utilizing power to retract the line in either case, except as provided in subsections (3) and (4) of this section.
- (3) It shall be lawful, while angling for food fish in saltwater from shore, piers, jetties or docks, for an individual to:
- (a) Leave the pole in a pole holder while playing or landing the fish. The pole holder may be affixed to a bench, pier railing, wheelchair or other solid object.

(b) Use a power-operated reel attached to a pole.

All other provisions of this section shall apply.

(4) It shall be unlawful to take, fish for or possess salmon taken for personal use with hand lines (lines not attached to a handheld pole) in those waters west of the mouth of the Sekiu River, Pacific Ocean, Washington waters at the mouth of the Columbia River west of a line projected true north and south through Buoy 10, Grays Harbor, and Willapa Bay.

- (5) It shall be unlawful for any person while angling for food fish to fail to keep his angling gear under his direct and immediate physical control. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82–13–040 (Order 82–61), § 220–56–115, filed 6/9/82; 82–07–047 (Order 82–19), § 220–56–115, filed 3/18/82; 80–12–040 (Order 80–107), § 220–56–115, filed 8/29/80; 80–03–064 (Order 80–12), § 220–56–115, filed 2/27/80, effective 4/1/80.]
- WAC 220-56-116 Salmon—Lawful gear. It is unlawful to use barbed fishing hooks while angling for salmon in Punch Card Areas 5 through 13. (Barbless hooks are hooks on which the barb has been filed off, removed, pinched down, or deleted when manufactured.) [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82-13-040 (Order 82-61), § 220-56-116, filed 6/9/82.]
- WAC 220-56-117 Retention of tagged bottomfish and herring. Nothing in Title 220 WAC shall prohibit the retention and landing of any bottomfish or herring which bears a tag of a governmental agency at the time of capture. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82-07-047 (Order 82-19), § 220-56-117, filed 3/18/82.]
- WAC 220-56-128 Personal-use fishery—Areas and seasons. (1) It is unlawful to take, fish for or possess salmon, bottomfish and other food fish taken for personal use in those waters lying within one mile below any fish rack, fishway, dam or other artificial or natural obstruction, either temporary or permanent, unless otherwise provided.
- (2) It is lawful, unless otherwise provided, to take, fish for or possess salmon, bottomfish, or other food fish in waters outside of or downstream from the following described lines and as provided in WAC 220-56-105:
- (a) Hood Canal: A radius of one hundred feet from the confluence of Finch Creek with tidewater adjacent to the Hood Canal Salmon Hatchery.
- (b) Sinclair Inlet: A line fifty yards from the pierhead line of the Puget Sound Naval Shipyard at Bremerton.
- (c) Budd Inlet: The Fourth Avenue Bridge at Olympia.
- (d) Shilshole Bay: For salmon, the line shall be the Burlington Northern Railroad Bridge. For bottomfish or other food fish, the line shall be 400 feet below the fish ladder at the Chittenden Locks from October 1 through May 31; and below the Burlington Northern Railroad Bridge all year.
- (e) Chinook River: The tide gate at the Highway 101 Bridge.
- (3) It is unlawful to take, fish for, or possess food fish for personal use in those waters of the Columbia river between the Vernita Bridge and the Hanford power line crossing (wooden towers at 524, T13N, R27E) from October 16 through May 31.
- (4) It is unlawful to take, fish for or possess food fish for personal use in those Columbia River waters between the upstream line of Bonneville Dam to a point 600 feet below the fish ladder at the new Bonneville Dam Powerhouse. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82-07-047 (Order 82-19), § 220-56-128, filed 3/18/82; 80-

- 03-064 (Order 80-12), § 220-56-128, filed 2/27/80, effective 4/1/80. Formerly WAC 220-56-065.]
- WAC 220-56-131 Elliott Bay public fishing pier underwater artificial reef area. (1) It is unlawful to take, fish for or possess food fish or shellfish taken by any means from within the boundaries of the underwater artificial reef surrounding the Elliott Bay Public Fishing Pier as described in subsection (2) of this section, except while fishing from the Elliott Bay Public Fishing Pier.
- (2) Elliott Bay Public Fishing Pier Underwater Artificial Reef Area includes those waters lying inside connecting lines projected from:
- (a) The northwesterly white fishing boundary marker on the shore to the most westerly reef marker buoy;
- (b) The most westerly reef marker buoy to the most easterly reef marker buoy;
- (c) The most easterly reef marker buoy to the southeasterly white fishing boundary marker on the shore; and
- (d) Along the shoreline from the southeasterly white fishing boundary marker to the northwesterly white fishing boundary marker. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82-07-047 (Order 82-19), § 220-56-131, filed 3/18/82; 81-05-027 (Order 81-13), § 220-56-131, filed 2/17/81, effective 4/1/81.]
- WAC 220-56-135 Repealed. See Disposition Table at beginning of this chapter.
- WAC 220-56-145 Possession of food fish or shell-fish in unlawful condition. (1) It shall be unlawful to possess in the field for any purpose any salmon in such a condition that its size cannot be determined.
- (2) It shall be unlawful to possess in the field for any purpose any shellfish or food fish other than salmon in such a condition that its size could not be determined, if a size restriction is prescribed for said species.
- (3) It shall be unlawful to possess in the field for any purpose any salmon, other food fish or shellfish in such a condition that its weight or sex cannot be determined, if a weight or sex restriction is prescribed for said species. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82–13–040 (Order 82–61), § 220–56–145, filed 6/9/82; 80–03–064 (Order 80–12), § 220–56–145, filed 2/27/80, effective 4/1/80.]
- WAC 220-56-180 Bag limit codes. (1) Code A: In waters having this code designation, the bag limit in any one day is six salmon not less than 10 inches in length, not more than two of these six salmon may be any combination of the following:

Chinook over 24 inches in length

Coho over 20 inches in length

Pink, chum or sockeye over 10 inches in length.

The possession limit at any one time shall not exceed the equivalent of two daily bag limits of fresh salmon. Additional salmon may be possessed in a frozen or processed form.

(2) Code C: In waters having this code designation, the bag limit in any one day is six chinook and coho

salmon in the aggregate not less than 10 inches in length or more than the following:

24 inches in length for chinook; 20 inches in length for coho.

The possession limit at any one time shall not exceed the equivalent of two daily bag limits of fresh salmon. Additional salmon may be possessed in a frozen or processed form.

- (3) Code F: In waters having this code designation, the bag limit in any one day is two salmon,. Chinook salmon must be not less than 24 inches in length, coho salmon must be not less than 16 inches in length and no minimum size on other salmon. The possession limit at any one time shall not exceed the equivalent of two daily bag limits of fresh salmon. Additional salmon may be possessed in a frozen or processed form.
- (4) Code H: In waters having this code designation, the bag limit in any one day is three salmon, not more than two of which may be chinook salmon. Chinook salmon must be not less than 22 inches in length during the period October 16 through June 30, and they must not be less than 26 inches in length during other times of the year. There is no minimum size limit for other salmon. The possession limit at any one time shall not exceed the equivalent of two daily bag limits of fresh salmon. Additional salmon may be possessed in a frozen or processed form.
- (5) Code I: In waters having this code designation, the bag limit in any one day is eight salmon, not less than 6 inches in length or an aggregate daily catch of eight salmon and other fish not exceeding 6 pounds and one fish. The possession limit shall be the same as the daily catch limit. Salmon angling catch record card is not required. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82-13-040 (Order 82-61), § 220-56-180, filed 6/9/82; 82-07-047 (Order 82-19), § 220-56-180, filed 3/18/82; 80-03-064 (Order 80-12), § 220-56-180, filed 2/27/80, effective 4/1/80.]
- WAC 220-56-190 Saltwater seasons and bag limits—Salmon. It shall be unlawful to take, fish for or possess salmon taken by angling for personal use except from the following areas, during the seasons, in the quantities, sizes and for the species designated in this section and as defined in the bag limit codes in WAC 220-56-180:
- (1) Puget Sound (including Hood Canal), Strait of Georgia, San Juan Islands and Strait of Juan de Fuca east of the mouth of the Sekiu River bag limit H open entire year except for special provisions in WAC 220–56–195. In Punch Card Areas 5, 6, and 7 it shall be unlawful to retain or possess chinook salmon greater than 30 inches in length during the period April 15 through June 15.
- (2) Strait of Juan de Fuca from the Sekiu River to a line from Tatoosh Island Light to Bonilla Point open entire year. Bag and size limits shall conform with Pacific Ocean regulations during those times salmon angling is permitted in adjacent coastal ocean waters. During those periods when the ocean salmon angling

- season is closed, the bag limit shall conform with regulations of adjacent waters of the Strait of Juan de Fuca (Area 5—Sekiu), but size limits shall remain unchanged from those which were in effect when the ocean season was last open.
- (3) Pacific Ocean coastal waters: All waters west of a line from Tatoosh Island Light to Bonilla Point, Pacific Ocean, and Washington waters at the mouth of the Columbia River west of a line projected true north and south through Buoy 10 bag limit F open on the Saturday preceding Memorial Day through Labor Day.
- (4) Grays Harbor (waters east of a line from the outermost end of the north jetty to the outermost exposed end of the south jetty) bag limit F open to salmon angling coincidentally with the season in adjacent waters of the Pacific Ocean, but not to extend beyond August 15, unless otherwise provided.
- (5) Willapa Harbor (waters east of a line from Leadbetter Point to Cape Shoalwater Light and downstream from river mouths as defined in WAC 220-56-105) bag limit F open entire year. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82-13-040 (Order 82-61), § 220-56-190, filed 6/9/82; 82-07-047 (Order 82-19), § 220-56-190, filed 3/18/82; 80-03-064 (Order 80-12), § 220-56-190, filed 2/27/80, effective 4/1/80. Formerly WAC 220-56-064.]
- WAC 220-56-195 Closed areas—Saltwater salmon angling. The following areas shall be closed to salmon angling during the times indicated:
- (1) Skagit Bay: Those waters lying easterly of a line projected from West Point on Whidbey Island to Reservation Head on Fidalgo Island, northerly of a line projected from Polnell Point to Rocky Point, northerly of the State Highway 532 Bridge between Camano Island and the mainland and south of the Burlington Northern Railroad Bridge at the north end of Swinomish Slough shall be closed to salmon angling April 15 through June 30
- (2) Port Susan: Those waters of Port Susan lying north of a true east—west line passing through Tulare Point (located approximately 2.25 miles south of Kayak Point) shall be closed to salmon angling April 15 through June 30.
- (3) Bellingham Bay: Those waters of Portage Bay and Bellingham Bay north of a line from Point Francis to Post Point shall be closed to salmon angling April 15 through June 15.
- (4) Commencement Bay: Those waters of Commencement Bay southeasterly of a line extending from the foot of McCarver Street (marked by the partially burned Top of Ocean Restaurant) to Browns Point shall be closed to salmon angling April 15 through June 15.
- (5) Carr Inlet: Those waters of Carr Inlet northerly of a line from Allen Point to the southernmost point of land on the eastern shore of Glen Cove shall be closed to salmon angling April 15 through July 31. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82–13–040 (Order 82–61), § 220–56–195, filed 6/9/82; 80–03–064 (Order 80–12), § 220–56–195, filed 2/27/80, effective 4/1/80.]

- WAC 220-56-205 Hook regulations—Freshwater salmon angling. (1) Nonbuoyant lures are defined as lures that do not have enough buoyancy to float in freshwater. Nonbuoyant lures other than natural bait lures must have no more than one single hook and that hook must not exceed 3/4 inch from point to shank. Nonbuoyant natural bait lures may have up to two single hooks not exceeding 3/4 inch from point to shank.
- (2) Buoyant lures are defined as lures that have enough buoyancy to float in freshwater and may have any number of hooks.
- (3) No leads, weights or sinkers may be attached below the lure or less than 12 inches above the lure.
- (4) It is unlawful to take, fish for or possess salmon in any freshwater areas of the state with nonbuoyant lures unless they meet the requirements for nonbuoyant lures as defined in subsection (1) of this section. This subsection does not apply to Lake Washington, that portion of the Columbia River below Bonneville Dam, that portion of the Chehalis River below the mouth of the Satsop River or that portion of the Skagit River below the mouth of Gilligan Creek. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82-07-047 (Order 82-19), § 220-56-205, filed 3/18/82; 81-05-027 (Order 81-13), § 220-56-205, filed 2/17/81, effective 4/1/81; 80-03-064 (Order 80-12), § 220-56-205, filed 2/27/80, effective 4/1/80.]
- WAC 220-56-225 Salmon angling hours—Freshwater. It is unlawful to take, fish for or possess salmon for personal use in all freshwater areas of the state from one hour after official sunset to one hour before official sunrise. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 81-05-027 (Order 81-13), § 220-56-225, filed 2/17/81, effective 4/1/81; 80-03-064 (Order 80-12), § 220-56-225, filed 2/27/80, effective 4/1/80.]
- WAC 220-56-250 Lingcod-Areas and seasons. It is unlawful to take, fish for or possess lingcod for personal use except during the seasons and within the areas herein provided:
- (1) Coastal area (salmon punch card areas 1 through 3 and that portion of area 4 west of a line projected from the most westerly point on Cape Flattery to Tatoosh Island Light, thence to Bonilla Point) open the entire year.
- (2) Salmon punch card areas 5, 6, 7 and that portion of area 4 east of a line projected from the most westerly point on Cape Flattery to Tatoosh Island Light, thence to Bonilla Point April 15 through November 30.
- (3) All other areas closed the entire year. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82–07–047 (Order 82–19), § 220–56–250, filed 3/18/82; 80–07–017 (Order 80–45), § 220–56–250, filed 6/11/80; 80–03–064 (Order 80–12), § 220–56–250, filed 2/27/80, effective 4/1/80.]
- WAC 220-56-260 Repealed. See Disposition Table at beginning of this chapter.
- WAC 220-56-285 Shad and sturgeon—Areas and seasons. It is lawful the entire year to take, fish for and possess sturgeon and shad for personal use by angling,

- unless otherwise provided, and except in the following closed waters: (1) Waters lying one mile downstream below any rack, dam or other obstruction concurrent with salmon angling boundaries provided for in chapter 220–57 WAC, except as provided in (2) and (3) of this section[.][,] (2) Waters lying 400 feet downstream below any dam, rack or obstruction in the Snake River.
- (3) Columbia River waters between the upstream line of Bonneville Dam and the lowermost Bonneville powerline crossing, approximately 1-1/4 mile downstream from the dam, are closed to the taking, fishing for, or possession of sturgeon, Except when fishing with handcasted hook and line gear from the mainland shore in those water[s] lying downstream of a line running southerly from a fishing boundary marker on the Washington shore (approximately 3/4 mile downstream from the dam) to the downstream end of Cascade Island and thence to the Oregon angling boundary marker on Bradford Island (located approximately 600 feet downstream from the fish ladder entrance). [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82-13-040 (Order 82-61), § 220-56-285, filed 6/9/82; 81-05-027 (Order 81-13), § 220-56-285, filed 2/17/81, effective 4/1/81; 80-03-064 (Order 80–12), § 220–56–285, filed 2/27/80, effective 4/1/80. Formerly WAC 220-56-072.]

Reviser's note: RCW 34.04.058 requires the use of underlining and deletion marks to indicate amendments to existing rules, and deems ineffectual changes not filed by the agency in this manner. The bracketed material in the above section does not appear to conform to the statutory requirement.

- WAC 220-56-290 Sturgeon angling hours. It is unlawful to take, fish for or possess sturgeon for personal use in all freshwater areas, except the Chehalis River, from one hour after official sunset to one hour before official sunrise. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82-07-047 (Order 82-19), § 220-56-290, filed 3/18/82; 80-03-064 (Order 80-12), § 220-56-290, filed 2/27/80, effective 4/1/80.]
- WAC 220-56-295 Sturgeon—Unlawful acts. (1) It is unlawful to possess in the field or transport for personal use any sturgeon from which either the head or tail or both have been removed.
- (2) It is unlawful to use a gaff in the restraint, handling or landing of any sturgeon which is not of legal size. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 81–05–027 (Order 81–13), § 220–56–295, filed 2/17/81, effective 4/1/81; 80–03–064 (Order 80–12), § 220–56–295, filed 2/27/80, effective 4/1/80. Formerly WAC 220–56–072.]
- WAC 220-56-300 Sturgeon-Area-Bonneville Dam. It shall be unlawful to take, fish for and possess sturgeon in those waters of the Columbia River from the upstream line of Bonneville Dam downstream to the lowermost Bonneville powerline crossing, approximately 1-1/4 mile downstream of the dam, Except when fishing with hand-casted hook and line gear from the mainland shore in those waters lying downstream of a line running southerly from a fishing boundary marker on the Washington shore (approximately 3/4 mile down-

downstream from the dam) to the downstream end of Cascade Island and thence to the Oregon angling boundary marker on Bradford Island (located approximately 600 feet downstream from the fish ladder entrance). [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82–13–040 (Order 82–61), § 220–56–300, filed 6/9/82; 80–03–064 (Order 80–12), § 220–56–300, filed 2/27/80, effective 4/1/80. Formerly WAC 220–56–074.]

- WAC 220-56-310 Shellfish--Possession limits. It is lawful unless otherwise provided for any one person to take in any one day or possess for personal use at any one time the following quantities and sizes of shellfish:
- (1) Cockles, borers and clams in the shell, except razor clams, geoduck clams and horse clams:
- (a) Hood Canal south of a line projected from Tala Point to Foulweather Bluff 60 clams or 10 pounds in the shell in the aggregate, whichever occurs first.
- (b) Puget Sound south of the Tacoma Narrows Bridge 40 clams or 7 pounds in the shell in the aggregate, whichever occurs first.
- (c) All portions of Puget Sound except those described in (a) and (b) of this subsection Bag limit January 1 May 31: 60 clams or 10 pounds in the shell in the aggregate, whichever occurs first. Bag limit June 1 December 31: 40 clams or 7 pounds in the shell in the aggregate, whichever occurs first.
- (d) In Skagit Bay, east of a line projected from Browns Point to Swinomish Slough entrance, diggers may retain up to 20 pounds of Eastern softshell clams in the shell in addition to the limit set in (c) of this subsection.
- (e) Willapa Bay clams and borers five pounds in the aggregate.
 - (f) Willapa Bay twenty-four cockles.
 - (2) Razor clams: 15 clams.
 - (3) Geoduck clams: 3 clams.
 - (4) Horse clams: First 7 clams taken.
 - (5) Oysters: 18 oysters.
 - (6) Rock scallops: 12 scallops.
 - (7) Sea scallops: 12 scallops (over 4 inches).
- (8) Common or pink scallops: 20 pounds or 10 quarts in the shell.
 - (9) Shrimp: 10 pounds or 10 quarts in the shell.
 - (10) Octopus: 2 octopus.
- (11) Abalone (Kamschatka): 5 abalone, minimum size limit 3-1/2 inches measured in horizontal line across the longest portion of the shell.
 - (12) Crawfish: 10 pounds in the shell.
 - (13) Squid: 10 pounds or 5 quarts.
 - (14) Sea cucumbers: 25 sea cucumbers.
 - (15) Red sea urchins: 18 sea urchins.
 - (16) Purple sea urchins: 18 sea urchins.
 - (17) Green sea urchins: 36 sea urchins.
 - (18) Dungeness crabs: 6 male crabs.
 - (19) Red crabs: 18 crabs.
- (20) Blue mussels and sea mussels: 10 pounds in the shell. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82–07–047 (Order 82–19), § 220–56–310, filed 3/18/82; 80–03–064 (Order 80–12), § 220–56–310, filed 2/27/80, effective 4/1/80.]

- WAC 220-56-315 Crabs, shrimp, crawfish—Gear. (1) It is lawful to take, fish for and possess crabs, shrimp, and crawfish taken for personal use by hand or with hand dip nets, ring nets, shellfish pots, and any hand—operated instrument that will not penetrate the
- (2) It is unlawful to use more than two units of gear at any one time except that in Puget Sound waters it is unlawful to use at any one time more than two units of gear for the purpose of taking crabs and two additional units of gear for the purpose of taking shrimp. One unit of gear is equivalent to one ring net or one shellfish pot.
- (3) It is unlawful for any person to operate a shellfish pot not attached to a buoy bearing that person's name, except that a second person may assist the pot owner in operation of the gear. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75-.08.080. 81-05-027 (Order 81-13), § 220-56-315, filed 2/17/81, effective 4/1/81; 80-03-064 (Order 80-12), § 220-56-315, filed 2/27/80, effective 4/1/80.]

WAC 220-56-320 Shellfish gear--Unlawful acts.

- (1) It is unlawful for the owner or operator of any personal—use shellfish gear to leave such gear unattended in the waters of the state unless said gear is marked with a buoy to which shall be affixed in a visible and legible manner the name and address of the operator. Unattended shellfish gear left in the waters of Puget Sound must have the line attaching the buoy to the pot weighted sufficiently to prevent the line from floating on the water's surface. The following additional requirements apply to buoys attached to unattended shellfish pots in Puget Sound waters:
- (a) All buoys must consist of durable material and remain floating above the water's surface when at least 5 pounds of weight are attached. It is unlawful to use bleach, antifreeze or detergent bottles, paint cans or any other container.
- (b) The entire buoy must be fluorescent yellow if attached to shrimp gear.
- (c) The buoy must be half fluorescent red and half white if attached to crab gear.
- (d) The number of pots attached to each buoy must be marked on the buoy in a manner that is visible and legible at all times.
- (2) It is unlawful for any person using shellfish traps for personal—use shellfishing to allow said traps to become uncovered by water.
- (3) It is unlawful to take, fish for or possess crab taken with shellfish pot gear that are equipped with tunnel triggers or other devices which prevent free exit of crabs under the legal limit unless such gear is equipped with not less than one escape ring not less than 4-1/8 inches inside diameter located in the upper half of the crab pot.
- (4) It is unlawful to take, fish for or possess shrimp taken for personal use with shellfish pot gear in the waters of Hood Canal southerly of the site of the Hood Canal Floating Bridge unless such gear meets the following requirements:

- (a) The top, bottom, and at least one—half of the area of the sides of the shellfish pots must have the minimum mesh size defined below.
- (b) The minimum mesh size for shrimp pots is defined as a square or rectangular mesh such that the inside distance between any knot or corner and each adjacent knot or corner shall be no less than 7/8-inch: *Provided*, That the shortest inside diagonal of each mesh shall be no less than 1-1/8 inches. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82-07-047 (Order 82-19), § 220-56-320, filed 3/18/82; 81-05-027 (Order 81-13), § 220-56-320, filed 2/17/81, effective 4/1/81; 80-03-064 (Order 80-12), § 220-56-320, filed 2/27/80, effective 4/1/80. Formerly WAC 220-56-088.]
- WAC 220-56-340 General provisions—Clams, cockles, mussels—Gear. (1)(a) It is lawful to take, dig for and possess clams (excluding razor clams), cockles, and mussels taken for personal use by hand or with hand—operated forks, picks, mattocks and shovels.
- (b) It is lawful to take, dig for and possess razor clams taken for personal use by hand, shovels or with cylindrical cans, tubes or hinged digging devices: *Provided*, That when used for digging razor clams, the opening of these devices be either circular or elliptical; with the circular can/tube having a minimum outside diameter of 4 inches and the elliptical can/tube having a minimum dimension of 4 inches long and 3 inches wide outside diameter. The hinged digging device when opened in a cylindrical position, must have a minimum outside diameter of 4 inches at the bottom.
- (2) Any newly-designed or modified digging device intended for the recreational use of razor clams must receive the specific approval of the director of fisheries.
- (3) Each digger, including holders of razor clam disability permits, must have his or her limit in a separate container. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82–07–047 (Order 82–19), § 220–56–340, filed 3/18/82; 81–05–027 (Order 81–13), § 220–56–340, filed 2/17/81, effective 4/1/81; 80–03–064 (Order 80–12), § 220–56–340, filed 2/27/80, effective 4/1/80. Formerly WAC 220–56–082.]
- WAC 220-56-350 Hardshells, cockles, mussels—Areas and seasons. (1) It is lawful to take, dig for and possess clams, cockles, borers and mussels taken for personal use on Puget Sound the entire year: *Provided*, That it is unlawful to take, dig for or possess such shellfish taken for personal use:
- (a) West of the tip of Dungeness Spit from April 1 through October 31.
- (b) Garrison Bay: All state— and federally—owned tidelands south of a boundary marker located approximately 1,010 yards southerly of Bell Point are closed to clam digging the entire year. Those tidelands north of the above—described boundary marker are open to harvest the entire year.
- (c) All state—owned tidelands at Camano Island State Park from the most northerly launch ramp southeast to the most southeasterly boundary shall be closed to the

- personal-use harvest of all clams from January 1, 1980 through December 31, 1981.
- (d) From that portion of the Sequim Bay State Park public beach from the launch ramp southeast to the park boundary through March 31, 1983.
- (e) Saltwater State Park—All state—owned tidelands at Saltwater State Park shall be closed to the personal—use harvest of all species of clams from June 16 through December 31.
- (f) Twanoh State Park—All state—owned tidelands at Twanoh State Park shall be closed to the personal—use harvest of all species of clams from June 16 through December 31.
- (g) Shine Tidelands—A 1.5-acre plot (160'x400') located 1/4 mile north of the west approach to the former Hood Canal Floating Bridge shall be closed to clam digging the entire year.
- (h) Fry Cove, Thurston County Parks—A 1-acre gravel plot (290'x140') located 1/4 mile north of Fry Cove on Eld Inlet shall be closed to clam digging the entire year.
- (2) It shall be lawful to take, dig for and possess clams, cockles, borers, and mussels, not including razor clams, taken for personal use in Grays Harbor and Willapa Harbor the entire year; and from the Pacific Ocean beaches from November 1 through March 31. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 81-05-027 (Order 81-13), § 220-56-350, filed 2/17/81, effective 4/1/81; 80-03-064 (Order 80-12), § 220-56-350, filed 2/27/80, effective 4/1/80. Formerly WAC 220-56-082.]
- WAC 220-56-360 Razor clams—Areas and seasons. It is unlawful to take, dig for or possess razor clams taken for personal use from any beaches in Razor Clam Areas 1, 2, and 3. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 83-01-025 (Order 82-220), § 220-56-360, filed 12/8/82; 82-07-047 (Order 82-19), § 220-56-360, filed 3/18/82; 80-03-064 (Order 80-12), § 220-56-360, filed 2/27/80, effective 4/1/80.]
- WAC 220-56-365 Razor clams—Unlawful acts. It is unlawful to return any razor clams to the beach or water regardless of size or condition, and all razor clams taken for personal use must be retained by the digger as a part of his possession limit. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 81-05-027 (Order 81-13), § 220-56-365, filed 2/17/81, effective 4/1/81; 80-03-064 (Order 80-12), § 220-56-365, filed 2/27/80, effective 4/1/80.]
- WAC 220-56-372 Razor clam sanctuaries. The following areas are hereby set aside for experimental purposes by the department of fisheries razor clam enhancement project. As need arises in the future, specific sections of these areas will be closed to public use.
- (1) Long Beach from a line extending westward from the middle of the Oysterville approach north for one quarter mile (1,320 feet).
- (2) Twin Harbors Beach from a line extending westward from the middle of the county line approach south for one quarter mile (1,320 feet).

- (3) Copalis Beach in the posted no driving area at Ocean Shores, from a point beginning three—quarters of a mile north of the Oyhut approach and extending north for one quarter mile (1,320 feet). [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82–07–047 (Order 82–19), § 220–56–372, filed 3/18/82; 80–13–064 (Order 80–123), § 220–56–372, filed 9/17/80.]
- WAC 220-56-380 Oysters—Areas and seasons. (1) It is unlawful to take oysters for any purpose from state oyster reserves without written permission of the director of fisheries.
- (2) (a) It is unlawful to take or possess oysters for personal use from all Hood Canal beaches south of a line projected from Misery Point to Quatsop (Black) Point through December 31, 1983.
- (b) It is lawful to take and possess oysters for personal use from all other Washington state public beaches, except all federally—owned tidelands at Seal Rock Forest Service campground are closed to personal—use harvest of oysters from July 16 through May 14.
- (3) It is unlawful to pick or take oysters for personal use from waters measuring more than two feet in depth at the time of removal.
- (4) It shall be lawful for private beach owners to harvest oysters for their own personal use from their own tidelands. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82–13–040 (Order 82–61), § 220–56–380, filed 6/9/82; 82–07–047 (Order 82–19), § 220–56–380, filed 3/18/82; 81–05–027 (Order 81–13), § 220–56–380, filed 2/17/81, effective 4/1/81; 80–03–064 (Order 80–12), § 220–56–380, filed 2/27/80, effective 4/1/80. Formerly WAC 220–56–086.]
- WAC 220-56-390 Squid, octopus. It is lawful to take, fish for and possess squid taken for personal use by hook and line, squid lures and herring rake, or with hand dip net gear. Octopus may be taken by hand or by any instrument which will not penetrate or mutilate the body. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82-07-047 (Order 82-19), § 220-56-390, filed 3/18/82; 80-03-064 (Order 80-12), § 220-56-390, filed 2/27/80, effective 4/1/80.]

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WAC 220-57-120 Bear River. Bag limit A – July 1 through October 31: Downstream from the lime quarry road to Highway 101 Bridge (a distance of approximately 2 stream miles). [Statutory Authority: RCW 75-.08.080. 82-07-047 (Order 82-19), § 220-57-120, filed

3/18/82; 80-03-064 (Order 80-12), § 220-57-120, filed 2/27/80, effective 4/1/80; Order 77-3, § 220-57-120, filed 1/28/77, effective 3/1/77; Order 76-14, § 220-57-120, filed 3/15/76, effective 5/1/76. Formerly WAC 220-57-106.]

WAC 220-57-130 Bogachiel River. Bag limit A – July 1 through October 31: Downstream from the Highway 101 Bridge. Coho salmon greater than 24 inches in length must be immediately released if taken on or after October 1. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82-07-047 (Order 82-19), § 220-57-130, filed 3/18/82; 80-03-064 (Order 80-12), § 220-57-130, filed 2/27/80, effective 4/1/80; 79-02-052 (Order 79-7), § 220-57-130, filed 1/30/79, effective 4/1/79; Order 77-3, § 220-57-130, filed 1/28/77, effective 3/1/77; Order 76-14, § 220-57-130, filed 3/15/76, effective 5/1/76. Formerly WAC 220-57-004.]

WAC 220-57-135 Calawah River. Bag limit A – July 1 through October 31: Downstream from the Highway 101 Bridge. Coho salmon greater than 24 inches in length must be immediately released if taken on or after October 1. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82-07-047 (Order 82-19), § 220-57-135, filed 3/18/82; 80-03-064 (Order 80-12), § 220-57-135, filed 2/27/80, effective 4/1/80; 79-02-052 (Order 79-7), § 220-57-135, filed 1/30/79, effective 4/1/79; Order 77-3, § 220-57-135, filed 1/28/77, effective 3/1/77; Order 76-14, § 220-57-135, filed 3/15/76, effective 5/1/76. Formerly WAC 220-57-006.]

WAC 220-57-137 Carbon River. Bag limit A – October 1 through November 30: Downstream from old bridge abutments near the east end of Bridge Street in Orting to confluence with Puyallup River. Chinook salmon over 28 inches must be released. Closed to the taking of pink salmon in odd-numbered years. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82-13-040 (Order 82-61), § 220-57-137, filed 6/9/82; 81-05-027 (Order 81-13), § 220-57-137, filed 2/17/81, effective 4/1/81; 79-02-052 (Order 79-7), § 220-57-137, filed 1/30/79, effective 4/1/79.]

WAC 220-57-138 Chambers Creek. Bag limit A – October 1 through November 30: Downstream from a set of markers 400 feet below the Boise-Cascade dam (immediately upstream from the Boise-Cascade West Tacoma Mill). [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82-13-040 (Order 82-61), § 220-57-138, filed 6/9/82; 81-05-027 (Order 81-13), § 220-57-138, filed 2/17/81, effective 4/1/81.]

WAC 220-57-140 Chehalis River. Bag limit C open entire year: Downstream from markers approximately 1/2-mile upstream from the Porter Bridge to the Union Pacific Railroad Bridge in Aberdeen. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82-07-047 (Order 82-19), § 220-57-140, filed 3/18/82; 81-05-027 (Order 81-13), § 220-57-140, filed 2/17/81, effective 4/1/81; 80-03-064 (Order 80-12), § 220-57-140, filed 2/27/80,

effective 4/1/80; Order 77-3, § 220-57-140, filed 1/28/77, effective 3/1/77; Order 76-14, § 220-57-140, filed 3/15/76, effective 5/1/76. Formerly WAC 220-57-008.]

WAC 220-57-150 Clallam River. Bag limit C – July 1 through November 30: Downstream from the confluence of Boulder Creek, located approximately one mile upstream of the uppermost Highway 12 Bridge. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82-13-040 (Order 82-61), § 220-57-150, filed 6/9/82; 81-05-027 (Order 81-13), § 220-57-150, filed 2/17/81, effective 4/1/81; Order 76-14, § 220-57-150, filed 3/15/76, effective 5/1/76. Formerly WAC 220-57-009.]

WAC 220-57-155 Clearwater River (Jefferson County). (1) Bag limit C – July 1 through September 30: Downstream from the mouth of the Snahapish River.

- (2) Bag limit A October 1 through October 31: Downstream from the mouth of the Snahapish River. Coho salmon over 24 inches must be released. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82–07–047 (Order 82–19), § 220–57–155, filed 3/18/82; 81–05–027 (Order 81–13), § 220–57–155, filed 2/17/81, effective 4/1/81; 79–02–052 (Order 79–7), § 220–57–155, filed 1/30/79, effective 4/1/79; Order 77–3, § 220–57–155, filed 1/28/77, effective 3/1/77; Order 76–14, § 220–57–155, filed 3/15/76, effective 5/1/76. Formerly WAC 220–57–010.]
- WAC 220-57-160 Columbia River. (1) Bag limit C June 1 through October 15: Downstream from Chief Joseph Dam to the Richland Pasco Highway 12 Bridge. The following are closed waters:
- (a) Chief Joseph Dam waters between the upstream line of Chief Joseph Dam to a line perpendicular to the thread of the stream from a point 400 feet downstream from the west end of the tailrace deck.
- (b) Wells Dam waters between the upstream line of Wells Dam to a point 400 feet below the spawning channel discharge stream.
- (c) Rocky Reach, Rock Island and Wanapum Dams waters between the upstream line of these dams to a point 1,000 feet downstream.
- (d) Priest Rapids Dam waters between the upstream line of Priest Rapids Dam and a point 1,500 feet downstream.
- (e) Jackson (Moran) Creek waters within 500 feet of the mouth.
- (2) Bag limit A April 1 through June 30: East bank only in that portion of the Columbia River from WDF boundary marker located approximately 1/2 mile upstream from Spring Creek (Ringold hatchery rearing pond outlet) downstream to a WDF boundary marker located approximately 1/4 mile downstream of Ringold wasteway outlet.
- (3) Waters downstream from the Richland-Pasco Highway 12 Bridge to Hood River Bridge: Closed entire year.
- (4) Bag limit A September 1 through March 15: That portion downstream from Hood River Bridge to

the Interstate 5 Bridge at Vancouver, with the exception of the following closed waters:

Spring Creek – waters within 1/4 mile of the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service Hatchery grounds between posted boundary markers located 1/4 mile on either side of the fish ladder entrance.

- (5) Bag limit A August 16 through March 15: Waters downstream from the Interstate 5 bridge to the Megler–Astoria Bridge. During the month of September, it is unlawful to take, fish for, or possess salmon for personal use in that portion of the Columbia River north of a line projected from Abernathy Point to a boundary marker east of the mouth of Abernathy Creek.
- (6) Bag limit A August 16 through March 15: Waters downstream from the Megler-Astoria Bridge to a line projected true north and south through Buoy 10, except that on or after August 16 and through September 30, size and bag limit regulations shall conform with the most recent ocean fishing regulations when the ocean was last open. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82-13-040 (Order 82-61), § 220-57-160, filed 6/9/82; 82-07-047 (Order 82-19), § 220-57-160, filed 3/18/82; 81-05-027 (Order 81-13), § 220-57-160, filed 2/17/81, effective 4/1/81; 80-03-064 (Order 80-12), § 220–57–160, filed 2/27/80, effective 4/1/80; 79– 02-052 (Order 79-7), § 220-57-160, filed 1/30/79, effective 4/1/79; Order 77-3, § 220-57-160, filed 1/28/77, effective 3/1/77; Order 76–14, § 220–57–160, filed 3/15/76 and 3/24/76, effective 5/1/76. Formerly WAC 220-57-011.]
- WAC 220-57-175 Cowlitz River. (1) Special bag limit April 1 through July 31: Downstream from the cross river cable below the Cowlitz Salmon Hatchery Barrier Dam to the mouth. Bag limit is six salmon per day not less than 10 inches in length, only three of which may exceed 24 inches in length.
- (2) That portion of the Cowlitz River downstream from the mouth of Mill Creek is open to salmon angling 24 hours per day during the period April 1 to July 31.
- (3) Bag limit A August 1 through March 31: Downstream from markers 400 feet below the barrier dam.

During the period October 1 through December 31, chinook salmon over 28 inches in length taken upstream of boundary markers at Toutle River mouth must be released.

- (4) Salmon angling from boats is prohibited the entire year in designated open waters between the barrier dam and the mouth of Mill Creek.
- (5) Bag limit C November 1 through December 31: From the confluence of the Muddy Fork and Ohanapecosh Rivers downstream to Riffe (Davisson) Lake. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82–13–040 (Order 82–61), § 220–57–175, filed 6/9/82; 82–07–047 (Order 82–19), § 220–57–175, filed 3/18/82; 80–03–064 (Order 80–12), § 220–57–175, filed 2/27/80, effective 4/1/80; Order 77–3, § 220–57–175, filed 1/28/77, effective 3/1/77; Order 76–14, § 220–57–175, filed 3/15/76, effective 5/1/76. Formerly WAC 220–57–014.]

WAC 220-57-180 Curley Creek (Kitsap County). Bag limit C – July 1 through November 30. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82-13-040 (Order 82-61), § 220-57-180, filed 6/9/82; Order 76-14, § 220-57-180, filed 3/15/76, effective 5/1/76. Formerly WAC 220-57-015.]

WAC 220-57-185 Deep Creek (Clallam County). Bag limit C – July 1 through November 30. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82-13-040 (Order 82-61), § 220-57-185, filed 6/9/82; 81-05-027 (Order 81-13), § 220-57-185, filed 2/17/81, effective 4/1/81; Order 76-14, § 220-57-185, filed 3/15/76, effective 5/1/76. Formerly WAC 220-57-018.]

WAC 220-57-190 Deschutes River. Bag limit A – July 1 through November 30: Upstream from Interstate 5 Bridge except closed from a point 400 feet below the lower fish ladder at Tumwater Falls upstream to the Old Highway 99 Bridge immediately upstream from Tumwater Falls. Female chinook salmon must be released. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82–13–040 (Order 82–61), § 220–57–190, filed 6/9/82; 80–03–064 (Order 80–12), § 220–57–190, filed 2/27/80, effective 4/1/80; Order 77–3, § 220–57–190, filed 1/28/77, effective 3/1/77; Order 76–14, § 220–57–190, filed 3/15/76, effective 5/1/76. Formerly WAC 220–57–021.]

WAC 220-57-195 Dewatto Creek. Bag limit C – July 1 through November 30. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82-13-040 (Order 82-61), § 220-57-195, filed 6/9/82; Order 76-14, § 220-57-195, filed 3/15/76, effective 5/1/76. Formerly WAC 220-57-022.]

WAC 220-57-205 Dosewallips River. Bag limit A — October 15 through January 31: Downstream from the Highway 101 Bridge. Closed to the taking of pink salmon in odd-numbered years. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82-13-040 (Order 82-61), § 220-57-205, filed 6/9/82; 81-05-027 (Order 81-13), § 220-57-205, filed 2/17/81, effective 4/1/81; 79-02-052 (Order 79-7), § 220-57-205, filed 1/30/79, effective 4/1/79; Order 76-14, § 220-57-205, filed 3/15/76, effective 5/1/76. Formerly WAC 220-57-024.]

WAC 220-57-210 Duckabush River. Bag limit A — October 15 through January 31: Downstream from the Highway 101 Bridge. Closed to the taking of pink salmon in odd-numbered years. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82-13-040 (Order 82-61), § 220-57-210, filed 6/9/82; 81-05-027 (Order 81-13), § 220-57-210, filed 2/17/81, effective 4/1/81; 79-02-052 (Order 79-7), § 220-57-210, filed 1/30/79, effective 4/1/79; Order 76-14, § 220-57-210, filed 3/15/76, effective 5/1/76. Formerly WAC 220-57-026.]

WAC 220-57-215 Dungeness River. Bag limit A – October 15 through December 31: Downstream from markers at former Taylor Bridge site approximately one mile below the state salmon hatchery rack. Chinook

salmon over 28 inches must be released. Closed to the taking of pink salmon in odd-numbered years. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82–13–040 (Order 82–61), § 220–57–215, filed 6/9/82; 81–05–027 (Order 81–13), § 220–57–215, filed 2/17/81, effective 4/1/81; 79–02–052 (Order 79–7), § 220–57–215, filed 1/30/79, effective 4/1/79; Order 77–3, § 220–57–215, filed 1/28/77, effective 3/1/77; Order 76–14, § 220–57–215, filed 3/15/76, effective 5/1/76. Formerly WAC 220–57–027.]

WAC 220-57-220 Duwamish River. (1) Bag limit A – July 1 through November 30: Upstream from the First Avenue South Bridge to the Highway 405 Bridge.

(2) Bag limit A – September 1 through October 15: Downstream from the First Avenue South Bridge to an east—west line projected through S.W. Hanford Street on Harbor Island and parallel to S.W. Spokane Street where it crosses Harbor Island.

(3) Bag limit H – October 16 through August 31: Downstream from the First Avenue South Bridge; open to salmon angling 24 hours a day. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82–07–047 (Order 82–19), § 220–57–220, filed 3/18/82; 81–05–027 (Order 81–13), § 220–57–220, filed 2/17/81, effective 4/1/81; 80–03–064 (Order 80–12), § 220–57–220, filed 2/27/80, effective 4/1/80; 79–02–052 (Order 79–7), § 220–57–220, filed 1/30/79, effective 4/1/79; Order 77–3, § 220–57–220, filed 1/28/77, effective 3/1/77; Order 76–14, § 220–57–220, filed 3/15/76, effective 5/1/76. Formerly WAC 220–57–028.]

WAC 220-57-225 East Twin River. Bag limit C – July 1 through November 30. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82-13-040 (Order 82-61), § 220-57-225, filed 6/9/82; 81-05-027 (Order 81-13), § 220-57-225, filed 2/17/81, effective 4/1/81; Order 76-14, § 220-57-225, filed 3/15/76, effective 5/1/76. Formerly WAC 220-57-029.]

WAC 220-57-230 Elk River. Bag limit C – July 1 through January 31: Downstream from the confluence of the West Fork and the Middle Fork to the Highway 105 Bridge. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 81-05-027 (Order 81-13), § 220-57-230, filed 2/17/81, effective 4/1/81; Order 77-3, § 220-57-230, filed 1/28/77, effective 3/1/77; Order 76-14, § 220-57-230, filed 3/15/76, effective 5/1/76. Formerly WAC 220-57-030.]

WAC 220-57-235 Elochoman River. (1) Bag limit A – September 1 through December 31: Downstream from mouth of the West Fork.

(2) Closed from a point 100 feet above the upper hatchery rack to the Elochoman Salmon Hatchery Bridge located 400 feet below the upper hatchery rack. Closed from the department of fisheries temporary rack downstream to Foster (Risk) Road Bridge while this rack is installed in river. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 81–05–027 (Order 81–13), § 220–57–235, filed 2/17/81, effective 4/1/81; 80–03–064 (Order 80–

12), § 220-57-235, filed 2/27/80, effective 4/1/80; 79-02-052 (Order 79-7), § 220-57-235, filed 1/30/79, effective 4/1/79; Order 76-14, § 220-57-235, filed 3/15/76, effective 5/1/76. Formerly WAC 220-57-031.]

WAC 220-57-240 Elwha River. Bag limit A – October 15 through December 31: Chinook salmon over 28 inches must be released. Closed to the taking of pink salmon in odd-numbered years. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82-13-040 (Order 82-61), § 220-57-240, filed 6/9/82; 81-05-027 (Order 81-13), § 220-57-240, filed 2/17/81, effective 4/1/81; 79-02-052 (Order 79-7), § 220-57-240, filed 1/30/79, effective 4/1/79; Order 77-3, § 220-57-240, filed 1/28/77, effective 3/1/77; Order 76-14, § 220-57-240, filed 3/15/76, effective 5/1/76. Formerly WAC 220-57-032.]

WAC 220-57-255 Green River (Cowlitz County). Closed to salmon angling the entire year. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82-07-047 (Order 82-19), § 220-57-255, filed 3/18/82; 81-05-027 (Order 81-13), § 220-57-255, filed 2/17/81, effective 4/1/81; 80-03-064 (Order 80-12), § 220-57-255, filed 2/27/80, effective 4/1/80; 78-03-034 (Order 78-8), § 220-57-255, filed 2/21/78, effective 4/1/78; Order 76-14, § 220-57-255, filed 3/15/76, effective 5/1/76. Formerly WAC 220-57-037.]

WAC 220-57-260 Green River (King County). (1) Bag limit A – July 1 through October 15: Downstream from the Porter Bridge (Auburn Eighth Street NW Bridge) to Highway 405 Bridge.

(2) Bag limit A – October 16 through November 30: Downstream from the downstream side of the Highway 18 Bridge to the Highway 405 Bridge. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82–07–047 (Order 82–19), § 220–57–260, filed 3/18/82; 81–05–027 (Order 81–13), § 220–57–260, filed 2/17/81, effective 4/1/81; 80–03–064 (Order 80–12), § 220–57–260, filed 2/27/80, effective 4/1/80; 79–02–052 (Order 79–7), § 220–57–260, filed 1/30/79, effective 4/1/79; Order 77–3, § 220–57–260, filed 1/28/77, effective 3/1/77; Order 76–14, § 220–57–260, filed 3/15/76, effective 5/1/76. Formerly WAC 220–57–038.]

WAC 220-57-265 Hamma Hamma River. Bag limit A – October 15 through January 31: Downstream from the Highway 101 Bridge. Closed to the taking of pink salmon in odd-numbered years. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82–13–040 (Order 82–61), § 220–57–265, filed 6/9/82; 81–05–027 (Order 81–13), § 220–57–265, filed 2/17/81, effective 4/1/81; 79–02–052 (Order 79–7), § 220–57–265, filed 1/30/79, effective 4/1/79; Order 76–14, § 220–57–265, filed 3/15/76, effective 5/1/76. Formerly WAC 220–57–039.]

WAC 220-57-270 Hoh River. (1) Special bag limit – Saturday preceding Memorial Day through October 31: Downstream from a marker approximately a quarter mile above Highway 101 Bridge to the National Park

boundary at Oil City the bag limit is six salmon not less than 10 inches in length, only one of which may exceed 24 inches in length except that the salmon greater than 24 inches in length may not be a coho salmon.

(2) Bag limit C – Saturday preceding Memorial Day through October 31: Upstream from a marker approximately one–quarter mile above Highway 101 Bridge to the National Park Boundary near the confluence of the South Fork. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82–07–047 (Order 82–19), § 220–57–270, filed 3/18/82; 81–05–027 (Order 81–13), § 220–57–270, filed 2/17/81, effective 4/1/81; 80–03–064 (Order 80–12), § 220–57–270, filed 2/27/80, effective 4/1/80; 79–02–052 (Order 79–7), § 220–57–270, filed 1/30/79, effective 4/1/79; 78–03–034 (Order 78–8), § 220–57–270, filed 2/21/78, effective 4/1/78; Order 77–3, § 220–57–270, filed 1/28/77, effective 3/1/77; Order 76–14, § 220–57–270, filed 3/15/76, effective 5/1/76. Formerly WAC 220–57–040.]

WAC 220-57-275 Hoko River. Bag limit C – July 1 through November 30: Downstream from the Ozette Highway Bridge. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82-13-040 (Order 82-61), § 220-57-275, filed 6/9/82; 81-05-027 (Order 81-13), § 220-57-275, filed 2/17/81, effective 4/1/81; Order 76-14, § 220-57-275, filed 3/15/76, effective 5/1/76. Formerly WAC 220-57-041.]

WAC 220-57-280 Hoquiam River. (1) Bag limit C – July 1 through November 30 – in main Hoquiam River and tributaries.

(2) Bag limit C – November 16 through January 31: East fork of Hoquiam River downstream from the game department access area below Berryman Creek. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82–07–047 (Order 82–19), § 220–57–280, filed 3/18/82; Order 76–14, § 220–57–280, filed 3/15/76, effective 5/1/76. Formerly WAC 220–57–042.]

WAC 220-57-285 Humptulips River. (1) Bag limit C – July 1 through January 31: Downstream from confluence of East and West forks to confluence with Stevens Creek.

- (2) Bag limit A July 1 through November 30: Downstream from confluence of Stevens Creek to Highway 109 Bridge. Chinook salmon over 24 inches in length and all chum salmon must be released.
- (3) Bag limit C December 1 through January 31: Downstream from confluence of Stevens Creek to Highway 109 Bridge. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82–13–040 (Order 82–61), § 220–57–285, filed 6/9/82; 82–07–047 (Order 82–19), § 220–57–285, filed 3/18/82; Order 77–3, § 220–57–285, filed 1/28/77, effective 3/1/77; Order 76–14, § 220–57–285, filed 3/15/76, effective 5/1/76. Formerly WAC 220–57–043 1

WAC 220-57-300 Johns River. Bag limit C – July 1 through January 31: Downstream from old M&B Logging Camp Bridge at upper boundary of Johns River

Game Range to Highway 105 Bridge. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82–07–047 (Order 82–19), § 220–57–300, filed 3/18/82; 81–05–027 (Order 81–13), § 220–57–300, filed 2/17/81, effective 4/1/81; 80–03–064 (Order 80–12), § 220–57–300, filed 2/27/80, effective 4/1/80; Order 77–3, § 220–57–300, filed 1/28/77, effective 3/1/77; Order 76–14, § 220–57–300, filed 3/15/76, effective 5/1/76. Formerly WAC 220–57–046.]

WAC 220-57-310 Kalama River. (1) Bag limit A – Saturday preceding Memorial Day through November 30: From Summers Creek upstream to the 6420 Road (approximately one mile above the gate at the end of the county road) is open to the taking of salmon with lawful fly fishing tackle only. Legal flies are limited to single-hook artificial flies measuring not more than 1/2 inches between shank and point.

- (2) Bag limit A Saturday preceding Memorial Day through November 30: Downstream from the mouth of Summers Creek to the markers at the Kalama Falls (Upper) Salmon Hatchery.
- (3) Bag limit A open the entire year: Downstream from a point 1,000 feet below the fishway at the upper salmon hatchery, with the following exception: During the period September 1 through October 31, that portion of the Kalama River from markers at the Lower Kalama Hatchery pumphouse (intake) downstream to the natural gas pipeline crossing at Mahaffey's Campground will be open for fly fishing only.

October 1 through December 31: Chinook salmon over 28 inches caught in the area downstream from a point 1,000 feet below the fishway at the upper salmon hatchery to the natural gas pipeline must be released.

(4) During the time the department of fisheries temporary rack is installed just below the Modrow Bridge, that portion of the river from a point 200 feet above the temporary rack downstream to a set of markers 1,500 feet below the temporary rack is closed to salmon angling. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82-07-047 (Order 82-19), § 220-57-310, filed 3/18/82; 81-05-027 (Order 81-13), § 220-57-310, filed 2/17/81, effective 4/1/81; 80-03-064 (Order 80-12), § 220-57-310, filed 2/27/80, effective 4/1/80; 79-02-052 (Order 79–7), \S 220–57–310, filed 1/30/79, effective 4/1/79; 78-03-034 (Order 78-8), § 220-57-310, filed 2/21/78, effective 4/1/78; Order 77-3, § 220-57-310, filed 1/28/77, effective 3/1/77; Order 76-14, § 220-57-310, filed 3/15/76, effective 5/1/76. Formerly WAC 220-57-048.]

WAC 220-57-315 Klickitat River. (1) Bag limit A – April 1 through January 31: Downstream from the Fisher Hill Bridge approximately 1-1/2 miles above the mouth EXCEPT open to salmon angling only from 12:00 noon Thursdays to 12:00 noon Mondays from April 1 through May 31.

(2) Bag limit C – Saturday preceding Memorial Day through November 30 – Downstream from the Lydel Bridge to a point 400 feet above the No. 5 fishway.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82–14–090 (Order 82–75), § 220–57–315, filed 7/7/82; 82–07–047 (Order 82–19), § 220–57–315, filed 3/18/82; 81–05–027 (Order 81–13), § 220–57–315, filed 2/17/81, effective 4/1/81; 80–03–064 (Order 80–12), § 220–57–315, filed 2/27/80, effective 4/1/80; Order 76–14, § 220–57–315, filed 3/15/76, effective 5/1/76. Formerly WAC 220–57–049.]

WAC 220-57-319 Lewis River. (1) Mainstem – bag limit A – open entire year: Downstream from East Fork to mouth.

- (2) East Fork:
- (a) Bag limit A open entire year: Downstream from the LaCenter Bridge.
- (b) Bag limit A July 1 through December 31: Downstream from Lucia Falls to the LaCenter Bridge. From October 1 through November 30 chinook salmon over 28 inches must be released.
 - (3) North Fork:
- (a) Bag limit A January 1 through September 30: Downstream from overhead power lines below Ariel Dam
- (b) Bag limit A open entire year: From markers approximately 700 feet upstream from the salmon hatchery building to East Fork. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 81–05–027 (Order 81–13), § 220–57–319, filed 2/17/81, effective 4/1/81; 80–03–064 (Order 80–12), § 220–57–319, filed 2/27/80, effective 4/1/80; Order 77–3, § 220–57–319, filed 1/28/77, effective 3/1/77; Order 76–14, § 220–57–319, filed 3/15/76, effective 5/1/76. Formerly WAC 220–57–050 (part).]

WAC 220-57-325 Lyre River. Bag limit C – July 1 through November 30. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75-.08.080. 82-13-040 (Order 82-61), § 220-57-325, filed 6/9/82; 81-05-027 (Order 81-13), § 220-57-325, filed 2/17/81, effective 4/1/81; Order 76-14, § 220-57-325, filed 3/15/76, effective 5/1/76. Formerly WAC 220-57-052.]

WAC 220-57-326 McAllister Creek. Bag limit A – October 1 through November 30: Downstream from the downstream side of the Olympia–Steilacoom Road Bridge. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82-13-040 (Order 82-61), § 220-57-326, filed 6/9/82.]

WAC 220-57-330 Morse Creek (Clallam County). Bag limit C – October 1 through December 31. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82-13-040 (Order 82-61), § 220-57-330, filed 6/9/82; Order 76-14, § 220-57-330, filed 3/15/76, effective 5/1/76. Formerly WAC 220-57-056.]

WAC 220-57-345 Nisqually River. Bag limit A – July 1 through January 31: Downstream from military tank-crossing bridge located one mile upstream from the mouth of Muck Creek. Closed to the taking of pink salmon in odd-numbered years. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82-13-040 (Order 82-61), § 220-57-345, filed 6/9/82; 81-05-027 (Order 81-13), § 220-57-

345, filed 2/17/81, effective 4/1/81; 80-03-064 (Order 80-12), § 220-57-345, filed 2/27/80, effective 4/1/80; 79-02-052 (Order 79-7), § 220-57-345, filed 1/30/79, effective 4/1/79; Order 76-14, § 220-57-345, filed 3/15/76, effective 5/1/76. Formerly WAC 220-57-059.]

WAC 220-57-350 Nooksack River. (1) Bag limit A – July 1 through March 31: Downstream from the confluence of North and South Forks to Lummi Indian Reservation boundary.

- (2) Bag limit C September 1 through October 31: (North Fork) downstream from Maple Creek to mouth of North Fork.
- (3) The entire Nooksack River is closed to the taking of pink salmon in odd-numbered years. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82–13–040 (Order 82–61), § 220–57–350, filed 6/9/82; 81–05–027 (Order 81–13), § 220–57–350, filed 2/17/81, effective 4/1/81; 79–02–052 (Order 79–7), § 220–57–350, filed 1/30/79, effective 4/1/79; Order 77–3, § 220–57–350, filed 1/28/77, effective 3/1/77; Order 76–14, § 220–57–350, filed 3/15/76, effective 5/1/76. Formerly WAC 220–57–060.]

WAC 220-57-370 Puyallup River. Bag limit A – July 1 through November 30: Downstream from the mouth of the Carbon River to the 11th Street Bridge. Closed to the taking of pink salmon in odd–numbered years. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82–13–040 (Order 82–61), § 220–57–370, filed 6/9/82; 81–05–027 (Order 81–13), § 220–57–370, filed 2/17/81, effective 4/1/81; 80–03–064 (Order 80–12), § 220–57–370, filed 2/27/80, effective 4/1/80; 79–02–052 (Order 79–7), § 220–57–370, filed 1/30/79, effective 4/1/79; Order 77–3, § 220–57–370, filed 1/28/77, effective 3/1/77; Order 76–14, § 220–57–370, filed 3/15/76, effective 5/1/76. Formerly WAC 220–57–066.]

WAC 220-57-375 Pysht River. Bag limit C – July 1 through November 30: Downstream from the confluence of Green Creek. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75-.08.080. 82-13-040 (Order 82-61), § 220-57-375, filed 6/9/82; 81-05-027 (Order 81-13), § 220-57-375, filed 2/17/81, effective 4/1/81; Order 76-14, § 220-57-375, filed 3/15/76, effective 5/1/76. Formerly WAC 220-57-067.]

WAC 220-57-380 Quilcene (Big Quilcene) River. Bag limit A – October 1 through January 31: Downstream from Highway 101 Bridge. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82-07-047 (Order 82-19), § 220-57-380, filed 3/18/82; Order 77-3, § 220-57-380, filed 1/28/77, effective 3/1/77; Order 76-14, § 220-57-380, filed 3/15/76, effective 5/1/76. Formerly WAC 220-57-069.]

WAC 220-57-385 Quillayute River. Bag limit A – Saturday preceding Memorial Day through November 30: Outside the boundary of Olympic National Park. During the period October 1 through November 30,

coho salmon over 20 inches in length must be released. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82–07–047 (Order 82–19), § 220–57–385, filed 3/18/82; 81–05–027 (Order 81–13), § 220–57–385, filed 2/17/81, effective 4/1/81; 80–03–064 (Order 80–12), § 220–57–385, filed 2/27/80, effective 4/1/80; 79–02–052 (Order 79–7), § 220–57–385, filed 1/30/79, effective 4/1/79; 78–03–034 (Order 78–8), § 220–57–385, filed 2/21/78, effective 4/1/78; Order 77–3, § 220–57–385, filed 1/28/77, effective 3/1/77; Order 76–14, § 220–57–385, filed 3/15/76, effective 5/1/76. Formerly WAC 220–57–070.]

WAC 220-57-390 Quinault River. Bag limit A – July 1 through October 31: Downstream from the bridge connecting Graves Creek and North Shore roads. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82-07-047 (Order 82-19), § 220-57-390, filed 3/18/82; Order 76-14, § 220-57-390, filed 3/15/76, effective 5/1/76. Formerly WAC 220-57-071.]

WAC 220-57-405 Samish River. Bag limit A – October 15 through November 30: Downstream from Interstate 5 Bridge to markers located approximately one-quarter mile downstream from Samish Island Bridge. Chinook salmon over 24 inches in length must be released. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82-07-047 (Order 82-19), § 220-57-405, filed 3/18/82; 81-05-027 (Order 81-13), § 220-57-405, filed 2/17/81, effective 4/1/81; 80-03-064 (Order 80-12), § 220-57-405, filed 2/27/80, effective 4/1/80; Order 77-3, § 220-57-405, filed 1/28/77, effective 3/1/77; Order 76-14, § 220-57-405, filed 3/15/76, effective 5/1/76. Formerly WAC 220-57-075.]

WAC 220-57-410 Sammamish River (Slough). Bag limit A – October 15 through December 31: Upstream of the Kenmore Highway Bridge. All sockeye salmon must be released. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08-.080. 82-13-040 (Order 82-61), § 220-57-410, filed 6/9/82; Order 77-3, § 220-57-410, filed 1/28/77, effective 3/1/77; Order 76-14, § 220-57-410, filed 3/15/76, effective 5/1/76. Formerly WAC 220-57-077.]

WAC 220-57-415 Satsop River. (1) Bag limit C – July 1 through September 30: Downstream from the bridge at Schafer State Park on East Fork.

- (2) Bag limit A October 1 through November 30: Downstream from the bridge at Shafer State Park on East Fork. Chinook salmon over 24 inches in length and all chum salmon must be released.
- (3) Bag limit C December 1 through January 31: Downstream from the bridge at Shafer State Park on East Fork. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82–07–047 (Order 82–19), § 220–57–415, filed 3/18/82; 80–03–064 (Order 80–12), § 220–57–415, filed 2/27/80, effective 4/1/80; Order 77–3, § 220–57–415, filed 1/28/77, effective 3/1/77; Order 76–14, § 220–57–415, filed 3/15/76, effective 5/1/76. Formerly WAC 220–57–078.]

WAC 220-57-420 Sekiu River. Bag limit C – July 1 through November 30: Downstream from the confluence of the north and south forks. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82-13-040 (Order 82-61), § 220-57-420, filed 6/9/82; 81-05-027 (Order 81-13), § 220-57-420, filed 2/17/81, effective 4/1/81; Order 76-14, § 220-57-420, filed 3/15/76, effective 5/1/76. Formerly WAC 220-57-079.]

WAC 220-57-425 Skagit River. (1) Bag limit A – July 1 through December 31: Downstream from the mouth of the Cascade River to Gilligan Creek. Chinook salmon over 24 inches in length must be released.

- (2) Special bag limit Downstream from Gilligan Creek bag limit A from July 1 through December 31 EXCEPT the six salmon daily bag limit may include no more than one chinook salmon greater than 24 inches in length.
- (3) The entire Skagit River is closed to the taking of pink salmon in odd-numbered years. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82-07-047 (Order 82-19), § 220-57-425, filed 3/18/82; 81-05-027 (Order 81-13), § 220-57-425, filed 2/17/81, effective 4/1/81; Order 77-3, § 220-57-425, filed 1/28/77, effective 3/1/77; Order 76-14, § 220-57-425, filed 3/15/76, effective 5/1/76. Formerly WAC 220-57-081.]

WAC 220-57-427 Skamokawa Creek. Bag limit A – August 16 through December 31: Downstream from mouth of first west fork downstream to Highway 4 Bridge. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82-07-047 (Order 82-19), § 220-57-427, filed 3/18/82.]

WAC 220-57-430 Skokomish River. Bag limit A — July 1 through January 31: Downstream from the mouth of Vance Creek. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82-13-040 (Order 82-61), § 220-57-430, filed 6/9/82; Order 77-3, § 220-57-430, filed 1/28/77, effective 3/1/77; Order 76-14, § 220-57-430, filed 3/15/76, effective 5/1/76. Formerly WAC 220-57-082.]

WAC 220-57-435 Skykomish River. Bag limit A – July 1 through December 31: Downstream from the confluence of North and South Forks. Closed to the taking of pink salmon in odd-numbered years. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82-13-040 (Order 82-61), § 220-57-435, filed 6/9/82; 81-05-027 (Order 81-13), § 220-57-435, filed 2/17/81, effective 4/1/81; 80-03-064 (Order 80-12), § 220-57-435, filed 2/27/80, effective 4/1/80; 79-02-052 (Order 79-7), § 220-57-435, filed 1/30/79, effective 4/1/79; Order 77-3, § 220-57-435, filed 1/28/77, effective 3/1/77; Order 76-14, § 220-57-435, filed 3/15/76, effective 5/1/76. Formerly WAC 220-57-083.]

WAC 220-57-450 Snohomish River. Bag limit A – July 1 through December 31: Downstream from confluence of Skykomish and Snoqualmie Rivers. Closed to the taking of pink salmon in odd-numbered years. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82-13-040 (Order 82-61), § 220-57-450, filed 6/9/82; 81-05-027

(Order 81–13), § 220–57–450, filed 2/17/81, effective 4/1/81; 80–03–064 (Order 80–12), § 220–57–450, filed 2/27/80, effective 4/1/80; Order 77–3, § 220–57–450, filed 1/28/77, effective 3/1/77; Order 76–14, § 220–57–450, filed 3/15/76, effective 5/1/76. Formerly WAC 220–57–086.]

WAC 220-57-455 Snoqualmie River. Bag limit A – July 1 through December 31. Closed to the taking of pink salmon in odd-numbered years. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82-13-040 (Order 82-61), § 220-57-455, filed 6/9/82; 81-05-027 (Order 81-13), § 220-57-455, filed 2/17/81, effective 4/1/81; 80-03-064 (Order 80-12), § 220-57-455, filed 2/27/80, effective 4/1/80; 79-02-052 (Order 79-7), § 220-57-455, filed 1/30/79, effective 4/1/79; Order 77-3, § 220-57-455, filed 1/28/77, effective 3/1/77; Order 76-14, § 220-57-455, filed 3/15/76, effective 5/1/76. Formerly WAC 220-57-087.]

WAC 220-57-460 Soleduck River. Bag limit A -Saturday preceding Memorial Day through October 31: Downstream from Concrete pump station at Soleduck Hatchery. During the period October 1 through October 31, coho salmon over 24 inches in length must be released. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82-07-047 (Order 82–19), § 220–57–460, filed 3/18/82; 81– 05-027 (Order 81-13), § 220-57-460, filed 2/17/81, effective 4/1/81; 80-03-064 (Order 80-12), § 220-57-460, filed 2/27/80, effective 4/1/80; 79-02-052 (Order 79–7), \S 220–57–460, filed 1/30/79, effective 4/1/79; 78-03-034 (Order 78-8), § 220-57-460, filed 2/21/78, effective 4/1/78; Order 77-3, § 220-57-460, filed 1/28/77, effective 3/1/77; Order 76–14, § 220–57–460, filed 3/15/76, effective 5/1/76. Formerly WAC 220-57-088.]

WAC 220-57-465 Stillaguamish River. Bag limit A – July 1 through January 31: Downstream from confluence of North and South forks. Closed to the taking of pink salmon in odd-numbered years. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82-13-040 (Order 82-61), § 220-57-465, filed 6/9/82; 81-05-027 (Order 81-13), § 220-57-465, filed 2/17/81, effective 4/1/81; 79-02-052 (Order 79-7), § 220-57-465, filed 1/30/79, effective 4/1/79; Order 76-14, § 220-57-465, filed 3/15/76, effective 5/1/76. Formerly WAC 220-57-089.]

WAC 220-57-470 Tahuya River. Bag limit C – July 1 through November 30. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82-13-040 (Order 82-61), § 220-57-470, filed 6/9/82; Order 76-14, § 220-57-470, filed 3/15/76, effective 5/1/76. Formerly WAC 220-57-091.]

WAC 220-57-475 Tolt River. Bag limit C – July 1 through November 30: Downstream from the forks. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82-13-040 (Order 82-61), § 220-57-475, filed 6/9/82; Order 76-14, § 220-57-475, filed 3/15/76, effective 5/1/76. Formerly WAC 220-57-092.]

WAC 220-57-480 Toutle River. Closed to salmon angling the entire year. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75-08.080. 82-07-047 (Order 82-19), § 220-57-480, filed 3/18/82; 81-05-027 (Order 81-13), § 220-57-480, filed 2/17/81, effective 4/1/81; 80-03-064 (Order 80-12), § 220-57-480, filed 2/27/80, effective 4/1/80; 79-02-052 (Order 79-7), § 220-57-480, filed 1/30/79, effective 4/1/79; 78-03-034 (Order 78-8), § 220-57-480, filed 2/21/78, effective 4/1/78; Order 77-3, § 220-57-480, filed 1/28/77, effective 3/1/77; Order 76-14, § 220-57-480, filed 3/15/76, effective 5/1/76. Formerly WAC 220-57-093.]

WAC 220-57-490 Union River. Bag limit C – July 1 through November 30. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82-13-040 (Order 82-61), § 220-57-490, filed 6/9/82; Order 76-14, § 220-57-490, filed 3/15/76, effective 5/1/76. Formerly WAC 220-57-095.]

WAC 220-57-500 West Twin River. Bag limit C – July 1 through November 30. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82-13-040 (Order 82-61), § 220-57-500, filed 6/9/82; 81-05-027 (Order 81-13), § 220-57-500, filed 2/17/81, effective 4/1/81; Order 76-14, § 220-57-500, filed 3/15/76, effective 5/1/76. Formerly WAC 220-57-099.]

WAC 220-57-505 White Salmon River. Bag limit A – September 1 through December 31: Downstream from a set of markers approximately 1/2 mile north of Highway 14 Bridge. (Little) White Salmon River (Drano Lake): Bag limit A – September 1 through December 31: Downstream from markers on point of land downstream and across from federal salmon hatchery. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82-07-047 (Order 82-19), § 220-57-505, filed 3/18/82; 81-05-027 (Order 81-13), § 220-57-505, filed 2/17/81, effective 4/1/81; 80-03-064 (Order 80-12), § 220-57-505, filed 2/27/80, effective 4/1/80; 79-02-052 (Order 79-7), § 220-57-505, filed 1/30/79, effective 4/1/79; Order 76-14, § 220-57-505, filed 3/15/76, effective 5/1/76. Formerly WAC 220-57-100.]

WAC 220–57–515 Wind River. Closed to salmon angling the entire year. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75-08.080. 82–07–047 (Order 82–19), § 220–57–515, filed 3/18/82; 80-03-064 (Order 80-12), § 220–57–515, filed 2/27/80, effective 4/1/80; 79-02-052 (Order 79-7), § 220–57–515, filed 1/30/79, effective 4/1/79; 78-03-034 (Order 78-8), § 220–57–515, filed 2/21/78, effective 4/1/78; Order 77-3, § 220–57–515, filed 1/28/77, effective 3/1/77; Order 76-14, § 220–57–515, filed 3/15/76, effective 5/1/76. Formerly WAC 220–57–103.]

WAC 220-57-520 Wishkah River. Bag limit C – July 1 through January 31 – downstream from the mouth of the West Fork. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82-07-047 (Order 82-19), § 220-57-520, filed 3/18/82; Order 76-14, § 220-57-520, filed

3/15/76, effective 5/1/76. Formerly WAC 220-57-104.]

WAC 220-57-525 Wynoochee River. (1) Bag limit A – July 1 through September 30: Downstream from the mouth of Schafer Creek. Chinook salmon over 24 inches in length and all chum salmon must be released.

(2) Bag limit C – October 1 through January 31: Downstream from the mouth of Shafer Creek. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82–14–090 (Order 82–75), § 220–57–525, filed 7/7/82; 82–07–047 (Order 82–19), § 220–57–525, filed 3/18/82; 80–03–064 (Order 80–12), § 220–57–525, filed 2/27/80, effective 4/1/80; Order 76–14, § 220–57–525, filed 3/15/76, effective 5/1/76. Formerly WAC 220–57–105.]

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WAC 220-57A-005 American Lake (Pierce County). 220-57A-010 Armstrong Lake (Snohomish County). 220-57A-012 Baker Lake (Whatcom County). 220-57A-030 Capitol Lake. 220-57A-040 Cushman Lake (Mason County). 220-57A-065 Duck Lake (Grays Harbor County). 220-57A-080 Goodwin Lake (Snohomish County). 220-57A-082 (Upper) Goose Lake (Grant County). 220-57A-090 Hewitt Lake (Thurston County). 220-57A-095 Hicks Lake (Thurston County). 220-57A-112 McMurray Lake (Skagit County). Meridian Lake (King County). 220-57A-115 220-57A-120 Merwin Lake (Reservoir). 220-57A-135 Roesiger Lake. 220-57A-145 Sammamish Lake. Shannon Reservoir (Skagit County). 220-57A-152 220-57A-155 Shoecraft Lake (Snohomish County). 220-57A-160 Sprague Lake (Lincoln County). 220-57A-175 Lake Washington. 220-57A-180 Washington Ship Canal, Lake (including Lake Union). Wilderness Lake (King County). 220-57A-185 220-57A-190 Wynoochee Reservoir (Grays Harbor County).

WAC 220-57A-005 American Lake (Pierce County). Closed to salmon angling the entire year. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 81-05-027 (Order 81-13), § 220-57A-005, filed 2/17/81, effective 4/1/81; 80-03-064 (Order 80-12), § 220-57A-005, filed 2/27/80, effective 4/1/80; 79-02-052 (Order 79-7), § 220-57A-005, filed 1/30/79, effective 4/1/79; 78-03-034 (Order 78-8), § 220-57A-005, filed 2/21/78, effective 4/1/78; Order 77-3, § 220-57A-005, filed 1/28/77, effective 3/1/77; Order 76-14, § 220-57A-005, filed 3/15/76, effective 5/1/76. Formerly WAC 220-57-107.]

WAC 220-57A-010 Armstrong Lake (Snohomish County). Closed to salmon angling the entire year. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 81-05-027 (Order 81-13), § 220-57A-010, filed 2/17/81, effective 4/1/81; 80-03-064 (Order 80-12), § 220-57A-010, filed 2/27/80, effective 4/1/80; 79-02-052 (Order 79-7), § 220-57A-010, filed 1/30/79, effective 4/1/79; 78-03-034 (Order 78-8), § 220-57A-010, filed

2/21/78, effective 4/1/78; Order 77–3, § 220–57A–010, filed 1/28/77, effective 3/1/77; Order 76–14, § 220–57A–010, filed 3/15/76, effective 5/1/76. Formerly WAC 220–57–002.]

WAC 220-57A-012 Baker Lake (Whatcom County). Bag limit I – April 18 through October 31. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82-07-047 (Order 82-19), § 220-57A-012, filed 3/18/82; 81-05-027 (Order 81-13), § 220-57A-012, filed 2/17/81, effective 4/1/81; 80-03-064 (Order 80-12), § 220-57A-012, filed 2/27/80, effective 4/1/80.]

WAC 220-57A-030 Capitol Lake. Bag limit A – July 1 through November 30: Downstream from the Interstate 5 Bridge to the shear boom at the north end of the lake. Female chinook salmon must be released. Percival Cove shall be defined as those waters of Capitol Lake lying westerly of a set of markers on the western shoreline of the south basin of Capitol Lake. Percival Cove is closed to food fish angling the entire year. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82–13–040 (Order 82–61), § 220–57A–030, filed 6/9/82; 78–03–034 (Order 78–8), § 220–57A–030, filed 2/21/78, effective 4/1/78; Order 77–3, § 220–57A–025, filed 1/28/77, effective 3/1/77; Order 76–14, § 220–57A–030, filed 3/15/76, effective 5/1/76. Formerly WAC 220–57–007.]

WAC 220-57A-040 Cushman Lake (Mason County). Bag limit I – April 18 through October 31. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82-07-047 (Order 82-19), § 220-57A-040, filed 3/18/82; 81-05-027 (Order 81-13), § 220-57A-040, filed 2/17/81, effective 4/1/81; 80-03-064 (Order 80-12), § 220-57A-040, filed 2/27/80, effective 4/1/80; 79-02-052 (Order 79-7), § 220-57A-040, filed 1/30/79, effective 4/1/79; 78-03-034 (Order 78-8), § 220-57A-040, filed 2/21/78, effective 4/1/78; Order 77-3, § 220-57A-040, filed 1/28/77, effective 3/1/77; Order 76-14, § 220-57A-040, filed 3/15/76, effective 5/1/76. Formerly WAC 220-57-016.]

WAC 220-57A-065 Duck Lake (Grays Harbor County). Bag limit I – open entire year. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82-07-047 (Order 82-19), § 220-57A-065, filed 3/18/82; 81-05-027 (Order 81-13), § 220-57A-065, filed 2/17/81, effective 4/1/81; 80-03-064 (Order 80-12), § 220-57A-065, filed 2/27/80, effective 4/1/80; 79-02-052 (Order 79-7), § 220-57A-065, filed 1/30/79, effective 4/1/79; 78-03-034 (Order 78-8), § 220-57A-065, filed 2/21/78, effective 4/1/78; Order 77-3, § 220-57A-065, filed 1/28/77, effective 3/1/77; Order 76-14, § 220-57A-065, filed 3/15/76, effective 5/1/76. Formerly WAC 220-57-112.]

WAC 220-57A-080 Goodwin Lake (Snohomish County). Closed to salmon angling the entire year. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 81-05-027 (Order 81-13), § 220-57A-080, filed 2/17/81, effective

4/1/81; 80–03–064 (Order 80–12), § 220–57A–080, filed 2/27/80, effective 4/1/80; 79–02–052 (Order 79–7), § 220–57A–080, filed 1/30/79, effective 4/1/79; 78–03–034 (Order 78–8), § 220–57A–080, filed 2/21/78, effective 4/1/78; Order 77–3, § 220–57A–080, filed 1/28/77, effective 3/1/77; Order 76–14, § 220–57A–080, filed 3/15/76, effective 5/1/76. Formerly WAC 220–57–034.]

WAC 220-57A-082 (Upper) Goose Lake (Grant County). Bag limit of five salmon not less than 6 inches in length or an aggregate daily catch of five salmon and other fish not exceeding six pounds and one fish. Open entire year. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82-07-047 (Order 82-19), § 220-57A-082, filed 3/18/82.]

WAC 220-57A-090 Hewitt Lake (Thurston County). Closed to salmon angling the entire year. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 81-05-027 (Order 81-13), § 220-57A-090, filed 2/17/81, effective 4/1/81; Order 76-14, § 220-57A-090, filed 3/15/76, effective 5/1/76. Formerly WAC 220-57-114.]

WAC 220-57A-095 Hicks Lake (Thurston County). Closed to salmon angling the entire year. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 81-05-027 (Order 81-13), § 220-57A-095, filed 2/17/81, effective 4/1/81; 80-03-064 (Order 80-12), § 220-57A-095, filed 2/27/80, effective 4/1/80; 79-02-052 (Order 79-7), § 220-57A-095, filed 1/30/79, effective 4/1/79; 78-03-034 (Order 78-8), § 220-57A-095, filed 2/21/78, effective 4/1/78; Order 77-3, § 220-57A-095, filed 1/28/77, effective 3/1/77; Order 76-14, § 220-57A-095, filed 3/15/76, effective 5/1/76.]

WAC 220-57A-112 McMurray Lake (Skagit County). Bag limit I – April 18 through September 16. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82-07-047 (Order 82-19), § 220-57A-112, filed 3/18/82.]

WAC 220-57A-115 Meridian Lake (King County). Closed to salmon angling the entire year. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 81-05-027 (Order 81-13), § 220-57A-115, filed 2/17/81, effective 4/1/81; 80-03-064 (Order 80-12), § 220-57A-115, filed 2/27/80, effective 4/1/80; 79-02-052 (Order 79-7), § 220-57A-115, filed 1/30/79, effective 4/1/79; 78-03-034 (Order 78-8), § 220-57A-115, filed 2/21/78, effective 4/1/78; Order 77-3, § 220-57A-115, filed 1/28/77, effective 3/1/77; Order 76-14, § 220-57A-115, filed 3/15/76, effective 5/1/76. Formerly WAC 220-57-055.]

WAC 220-57A-120 Merwin Lake (Reservoir). Bag limit I - April 18 through November 30. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82-07-047 (Order 82-19), 220-57A-120, filed 3/18/82; 81-05-027 (Order 81-13), 220-57A-120, filed 2/17/81, effective 4/1/81; 80-03-064 (Order 80-12), 220-57A-120, filed 2/27/80, effective 4/1/80; 220-57A-120, filed 2/27/80, effective 2/27/80, effective

034 (Order 78–8), § 220–57A–120, filed 2/21/78, effective 4/1/78; Order 76–14, § 220–57A–120, filed 3/15/76, effective 5/1/76.]

WAC 220-57A-135 Roesiger Lake. Closed to salmon angling the entire year. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 81-05-027 (Order 81-13), § 220-57A-135, filed 2/17/81, effective 4/1/81; 80-03-064 (Order 80-12), § 220-57A-135, filed 2/27/80, effective 4/1/80; 79-02-052 (Order 79-7), § 220-57A-135, filed 1/30/79, effective 4/1/79; Order 76-14, § 220-57A-135, filed 3/24/76; Order 76-14, § 220-57A-135, filed 3/15/76 and 3/24/76, effective 5/1/76. Formerly WAC 220-57-072.]

WAC 220-57A-145 Sammamish Lake. Bag limit A – August 16 through December 31: Waters within 1/4 mile of the mouth of Issaquah Creek are closed to salmon angling at all times. Closed to the taking of sockeye salmon. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82-13-040 (Order 82-61), § 220-57A-145, filed 6/9/82; 81-05-027 (Order 81-13), § 220-57A-145, filed 2/17/81, effective 4/1/81; Order 77-3, § 220-57A-145, filed 1/28/77, effective 3/1/77; Order 76-14, § 220-57A-145, filed 3/15/76, effective 5/1/76. Formerly WAC 220-57-076.]

WAC 220-57A-152 Shannon Reservoir (Skagit County). Bag limit I – April 18 through October 31. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82-07-047 (Order 82-19), § 220-57A-152, filed 3/18/82; 81-05-027 (Order 81-13), § 220-57A-152, filed 2/17/81, effective 4/1/81; 80-03-064 (Order 80-12), § 220-57A-152, filed 2/27/80, effective 4/1/80.]

WAC 220-57A-155 Shoecraft Lake (Snohomish County). Closed to salmon angling the entire year. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 81-05-027 (Order 81-13), § 220-57A-155, filed 2/17/81, effective 4/1/81; 80-03-064 (Order 80-12), § 220-57A-155, filed 2/27/80, effective 4/1/80; 79-02-052 (Order 79-7), § 220-57A-155, filed 1/30/79, effective 4/1/79; 78-03-034 (Order 78-8), § 220-57A-155, filed 2/21/78, effective 4/1/78; Order 77-3, § 220-57A-155, filed 1/28/77, effective 3/1/77; Order 76-14, § 220-57A-155, filed 3/15/76, effective 5/1/76. Formerly WAC 220-57-117.]

WAC 220-57A-160 Sprague Lake (Lincoln County). Closed to salmon angling the entire year. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 81-05-027 (Order 81-13), § 220-57A-160, filed 2/17/81, effective 4/1/81; Order 76-14, § 220-57A-160, filed 3/15/76, effective 5/1/76. Formerly WAC 220-57-118.]

WAC 220-57A-175 Lake Washington. (1) Waters north of the Evergreen Point Floating Bridge – bag limit A – August 16 through December 31.

(2) Waters south of the Evergreen Point Floating Bridge – bag limit A – October 15 through December 31

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Note: Waters within a 1,000-foot radius of the mouth of the Cedar River are closed to salmon angling at all times.

(3) It is unlawful to take, fish for or possess sockeye salmon in Lake Washington the entire year. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82–13–040 (Order 82–61), § 220–57A–175, filed 6/9/82; 81–05–027 (Order 81–13), § 220–57A–175, filed 2/17/81, effective 4/1/81; Order 77–3, § 220–57A–175, filed 1/28/77, effective 3/1/77; Order 76–14, § 220–57A–175, filed 3/15/76, effective 5/1/76. Formerly WAC 220–57–096.]

WAC 220-57A-180 Washington Ship Canal, Lake (including Lake Union). (1) Bag limit A – August 16 through December 31: West of University Bridge, to eastern end of the north wingwall of the Chittenden Locks. Waters between the University Bridge and the concrete abutment ends [east of the Montlake Bridge and waters between the eastern end] of the north wingwall of the Chittenden Locks and the Railroad Bridge west of the Locks are closed to salmon angling at all times.

(2) It shall be unlawful to take, fish for or possess sockeye salmon the entire year. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82–13–040 (Order 82–61), § 220–57A–180, filed 6/9/82; 81–05–027 (Order 81–13), § 220–57A–180, filed 2/17/81, effective 4/1/81; Order 77–3, § 220–57A–180, filed 1/28/77, effective 3/1/77; Order 76–14, § 220–57A–180, filed 3/15/76, effective 5/1/76. Formerly WAC 220–57–097.]

Reviser's note: RCW 34.04.058 requires the use of underlining and deletion marks to indicate amendments to existing rules, and deems ineffectual changes not filed by the agency in this manner. The bracketed material in the above section does not appear to conform to the statutory requirement.

WAC 220-57A-185 Wilderness Lake (King County). Closed to salmon angling the entire year. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 81-05-027 (Order 81-13), § 220-57A-185, filed 2/17/81, effective 4/1/81; 80-03-064 (Order 80-12), § 220-57A-185, filed 2/27/80, effective 4/1/80; 79-02-052 (Order 79-7), § 220-57A-185, filed 1/30/79, effective 4/1/79; 78-03-034 (Order 78-8), § 220-57A-185, filed 2/21/78, effective 4/1/78; Order 77-3, § 220-57A-185, filed 1/28/77, effective 3/1/77; Order 76-14, § 220-57A-185, filed 3/15/76, effective 5/1/76. Formerly WAC 220-57-101.]

WAC 220-57A-190 Wynoochee Reservoir (Grays Harbor County). Bag limit I – April 18 through October 31. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82-07-047 (Order 82-19), § 220-57A-190, filed 3/18/82; 81-05-027 (Order 81-13), § 220-57A-190, filed 2/17/81, effective 4/1/81; 80-03-064 (Order 80-12), § 220-57A-190, filed 2/27/80, effective 4/1/80; 79-02-052 (Order 79-7), § 220-57A-190, filed 1/30/79, effective 4/1/79; 78-03-034 (Order 78-8), § 220-57A-190, filed 2/21/78, effective 4/1/78; Order 77-3, § 220-57A-190, filed 1/28/77, effective 3/1/77; Order 76-14, § 220-57A-190, filed 3/15/76, effective 5/1/76. Formerly WAC 220-57-190.]

Chapter 220–69 WAC FISH RECEIVING TICKETS—WEIGHT DELIVERY SHEETS

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WAC 220-69-23401 Description of shellfish receiving ticket. (1) There is hereby created a shellfish receiving ticket form to be prepared, printed, and distributed upon request, by the department of fisheries, which shall contain space for the following information:

- (a) Fisherman or owner: Name of seller or deliverer.
- (b) Address: Address of seller or deliverer.
- (c) Boat name: Name or Coast Guard number of landing vessel.
- (d) WDF boat registration: Washington department of fisheries boat registration number.
 - (e) Gear: Code number or name of specific gear used.
- (f) Fisherman's signature: Signature of seller or deliverer.
 - (g) Date: Date of landing.
- (h) Dealer: Name of dealer, and department of fisheries' number assigned to dealer.
- (i) Buyer: Name of buyer, and department of fisheries' number assigned to buyer.
- (j) Dealer's signature: Signature of purchaser or receiver.
 - (k) Number of days fished: Days spent catching fish.
- (l) Fish caught inside or outside 3-mile limit: Check one box.
- (m) Catch area: Marine fish/shellfish catch area code.
- (n) Physical gear used: Circle the physical gear actually used to catch the fish.
- (o) Tally space for dealer's use: Used at dealer's discretion
 - (p) Species code: Department of fisheries species code.
- (q) Number of fish, species description, pounds, and value: Information for each species landed.
 - (r) Total amount: Total value of landing.
 - (s) 1% tax: 1% tax collected.
 - (t) Amount paid: Value paid to seller.
 - (2) The shellfish receiving ticket shall be used for:
 - (a) Any nontreaty deliveries of shellfish.
 - (b) Any imports of fresh or frozen shellfish.
- (c) Any incidental catch of bottomfish made while fishing for shellfish. The species name, total pounds and price per pound must be entered for each species of bottomfish caught. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080.

81-14-039 (Order 81-44), § 220-69-23401, filed 6/29/81; 80-05-093 (Order 80-27), § 220-69-23401, filed 5/2/80.]

- WAC 220-69-23402 Description of aquaculture production report. (1) There is hereby created an aquaculture production report form to be prepared, printed and distributed on request by the department of fisheries which shall contain space for the following information:
 - (a) Firm name: Name of aquaculture firm
 - (b) Firm address: Address of aquaculture firm
 - (c) Site address: Address of aquaculture site
- (d) Aquaculture dealer number: Department of fisheries assigned dealer number
- (e) Report for month of: Month and year covered by the report
- (f) Number of employees: Number of employees employed by the firm during reporting month
 - (g) Species: Species grown at aquaculture site
- (h) Species code: Department of fisheries assigned species code
- (i) Number produced: Number of each species produced monthly
- (j) Pounds produced: Pounds of each species produced monthly
 - (k) Price: Price per pound received
 - (1) Value: Value of monthly production
- (m) Signature: Signature of firm executive or authorized representative
- (2) The aquaculture production report shall be used for monthly reporting of aquaculture production as specified in WAC 220-69-241(3). [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 81-03-032 (Order 81-6), § 220-69-23402, filed 1/13/81.]
- WAC 220-69-23501 Description of hardshell clam production report. (1) There is hereby created a hardshell clam production report form to be prepared, printed and distributed on request by the department of fisheries which shall contain space for the following information:
 - (a) Firm name: Name of licensee or firm
 - (b) Firm address: Address of licensee or firm
- (c) Clam farm registration number: Department of fisheries assigned registration number
- (d) Report for month of: Month and year covered by the report
- (e) Number of employees: Number of employees employed by the firm during reporting month
 - (f) Tract location: Geographical location of clam farm
- (g) Area code: Department of fisheries assigned geographical area code
 - (h) Species: Species of clam
- (i) Species code: Department of fisheries assigned species code
 - (i) Pounds: Pounds of clams harvested
 - (k) Price: Price per pound received
 - (1) Value: Value of monthly harvest
- (m) Signature: Signature of licensee or authorized representative

(2) The hardshell clam production report shall be used for monthly reporting of hardshell clam production as specified in WAC 220-69-241(4). [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 81-03-032 (Order 81-6), § 220-69-23501, filed 1/13/81.]

WAC 220-69-240 Duties of commercial purchasers and receivers. (1) Every person, partnership, association, corporation, or similar entity receiving or purchasing fresh or iced food fish or shellfish or parts thereof, or frozen food fish or shellfish or parts thereof that have not been previously landed in another state or territory from fishermen, firms, or individuals, regardless of whether or not the receiver or purchaser holds a license as required under Title 75 RCW, must immediately, completely, accurately, and legibly prepare the appropriate state of Washington fish receiving ticket regarding each and every purchase or receipt of such commodities. Each delivery must be recorded on a separate state of Washington fish receiving ticket: Provided, That provisions of this section do not apply to purchases or receipts made by individuals or consumers at retail: Provided further, That the provisions of this section do not apply to fresh, iced, or frozen food fish or shellfish, or parts thereof purchased from any person, partnership, association, corporation, or similar entity, possessing a valid Washington wholesale dealer's license except that a wholesale dealer purchasing fish from a commercial fisherman or shellfish grower shall complete the appropriate fish receiving ticket regardless of whether the commercial fisherman or shellfish grower possesses a wholesale dealer's license. It is the purchaser's responsibility to obtain the name, address, and Washington wholesale dealer's license number, together with such sales receipt documents or information as may be required, to show the seller's name, quantity of fish, and date of the transaction and retain these with the food fish or shellfish.

- (2) State of Washington fish receiving tickets are required for:
- (a) Fresh food fish or shellfish previously landed in another state, territory, or country and shipped or transported into the state of Washington.
- (b) Any frozen food fish or shellfish received in the state of Washington which were not previously landed in another state or territory.
- (3) Fishermen, fishermen-wholesalers, and wholesalers shall determine the weight of baitfish contained in an average and normal brail and multiply the number of such brailers of baitfish by this weight factor and report such baitfish in both dozens and total weight: *Provided*, That it is lawful for such fishermen, fishermen-wholesalers, and wholesalers, when receiving herring, candlefish, anchovy, or pilchards for bait purposes, to delay completing that portion of the fish receiving ticket which indicates number of herring received, only if the herring, candlefish, anchovy, or pilchards are sold individually or counted as dozens. Such counts must be entered on the fish tickets immediately. An estimate of herring, candlefish, anchovy, or pilchards caught but not sold due to

mortality must be included on the fish ticket as "Loss Estimate."

- (4) It is lawful for an original receiver, when receiving purse seine-caught herring taken from Areas 20A, 20B, 21A, and 21B during the period April 15 through May 31, to delay completing that portion of the fish receiving ticket which indicates the weight of herring received only until the herring are off-loaded from the original receiver's vessel. The herring must then be weighed and the weight immediately entered in the appropriate space on the ticket. A separate state of Washington fish receiving ticket must be initiated at the time of each individual receipt of herring from the purse seine catching vessel.
- (5) The original receiver of herring taken from Puget Sound Marine Fish-Shellfish Catch Areas 20A, 20B, 21A, and 21B, during the period April 16 through May 31 must report each calendar day's receipts by noon of the following day to the Department of Fisheries, Olympia, Washington; telephone (206) 753-6637.
- (6) It is unlawful for any person, partnership, association, corporation, or similar entity receiving or purchasing geoducks from fishermen, firms, or individuals, regardless of whether or not the purchaser or receiver holds a license as required under Title 75 RCW, to fail to accurately and legibly complete the fish receiving ticket initiated on the harvest tract immediately upon the actual landing of geoducks from the harvesting vessel onto the shore. This fish receiving ticket shall accompany the harvested geoducks from the department of natural resources harvest tract to the point of landing. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82-17-040 (Order 82–105), § 220–69–240, filed 8/13/82; 81–11–006 (Order 81–31), § 220–69–240, filed 5/11/81; Order 77– 14, § 220–69–240, filed 4/15/77; Order 76–153, § 220– 69–240, filed 12/17/76.]

WAC 220-69-241 Duties of commercial fisherman and growers. (1) Every fisherman, or food fish or shell-fish grower, selling his food fish or shellfish to the consumer, restaurant, boathouse, or other retail outlet, and every fisherman, or food fish or shellfish grower, who places, or attempts to place, into inter-state commerce any food fish or shellfish previously landed in this state, or caught, or harvested from the territorial waters of this state, is required to:

- (a) Immediately, completely, accurately, and legibly prepare the appropriate state of Washington fish receiving ticket in his own name for each retail sale or out-of-state shipment so made, or
- (b) At the close of each day's business, completely, accurately, and legibly prepare the appropriate state of Washington fish receiving ticket in his own name for the total day's activities, or
- (2) In the commercial geoduck fishery, a vessel operator so designated by the geoduck tract holder must be present at all times on each vessel commercially harvesting geoducks or having commercially harvested geoducks aboard. For each day's harvest of geoducks from

- each tract, the designated operator must legibly and accurately enter the following information on a fish receiving ticket before leaving the department of natural resources geoduck harvest tract:
- (a) Enter in the "dealer's use" column the number of cages of geoducks harvested.
- (b) Write across the top of the fish receiving ticket directly below the tear strip, the harvest vessel name, its Washington department of fisheries identification number and the date.
 - (c) Sign the fish receiving ticket as the fisherman.
- (3) Food fish growers who sell their product as a wholesale dealer or make a direct sale out of state may, upon written approval from the department of fisheries, completely, accurately and legibly prepare a monthly state of Washington aquaculture production report for each and every month irrespective of whether aquaculture harvest was done during that month, or
- (4) Clam farm licensees harvesting hardshell clams may, upon written approval from the department of fisheries, completely, accurately and legibly prepare a monthly state of Washington hardshell clam production report for each and every month irrespective of whether hardshell clams were harvested that month. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 81–11–006 (Order 81–31), § 220–69–241, filed 5/11/81; 81–03–032 (Order 81–6), § 220–69–241, filed 1/13/81; Order 76–153, § 220–69–241, filed 1/17/76.]

WAC 220-69-25402 Required information on aquaculture production report. Entries (a) through (g), (i) through (k) and entry (m) of subsection (1) of WAC 220-69-23402 shall be required on each completed aquaculture production report. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 81-03-032 (Order 81-6), § 220-69-25402, filed 1/13/81.]

WAC 220-69-25501 Required information on hard-shell clam production report. Entries (a) through (h) and entries (j), (k) and (m) of subsection (1) of WAC 220-69-23501 shall be required on each completed hardshell clam production report. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75-.08.080. 81-03-032 (Order 81-6), § 220-69-25501, filed 1/13/81.]

WAC 220-69-26402 Distribution of copies of aquaculture production report. State of Washington aquaculture production reports must be made out in duplicate (two copies). The dealer's copy must be retained by the aquaculture firm for their use and the state copy must be mailed to the department of fisheries within fifteen days after the end of the month for which the aquaculture production report is prepared. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 81-03-032 (Order 81-6), § 220-69-26402, filed 1/13/81.]

WAC 220-69-265 Distribution of copies of oyster production report. State of Washington oyster production reports must be made out in duplicate (two copies). The dealer's copy (white) must be retained by the purchaser or receiver for their use, and the state copy

(green) must be mailed to the department of fisheries within fifteen days after the end of the month for which the oyster production report is prepared. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 81–03–032 (Order 81–6), § 220–69–265, filed 1/13/81; Order 76–153, § 220–69–265, filed 12/17/76.]

WAC 220-69-26501 Distribution of copies of hardshell clam production report. State of Washington hardshell clam production reports must be made out in duplicate (two copies). The dealer's copy must be retained by the licensee for his use and the state copy must be mailed to the department of fisheries within fifteen days after the end of the month for which the hardshell clam production report is prepared. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 81-03-032 (Order 81-6), § 220-69-26501, filed 1/13/81.]

WAC 220-69-280 Fish receiving ticket accountability. Only Series G, Series H, Series J or Series K state of Washington fish receiving tickets shall be used, and shall be subject to the following orders:

(1) Official state of Washington fish receiving tickets may be ordered free of charge from the department of fisheries.

(2) Fish receiving ticket books shall be used in numerical sequence, starting with the lowest numbered ticket book issued to the purchaser or receiver. All Series G tickets shall be used before using Series H, all Series H tickets shall be used before using Series J, and all Series J tickets shall be used before using Series K tickets.

(3) Fish receiving tickets or ticket books shall not be transferred from one purchaser or receiver to another purchaser or receiver without written permission from the department of fisheries.

(4) Any purchaser or receiver terminating business shall notify the department of fisheries in writing and shall return all unused fish receiving tickets and ticket books to the department of fisheries within 30 days after termination of business.

(5) All fish receiving tickets that are incorrectly made out, voided, or otherwise unused, shall be submitted to the department of fisheries accompanying, and in sequence with, other fish receiving tickets.

(6) All fish receiving tickets that are lost, destroyed, or otherwise missing, shall be accounted for in writing to the department of fisheries. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82–17–040 (Order 82–105), § 220–69–280, filed 8/13/82; 80–05–093 (Order 80–27), § 220–69–280, filed 5/2/80. Statutory Authority: RCW 78.08.080. 78–03–031 (Order 78–7), § 220–69–280, filed 2/17/78; Order 76–153, § 220–69–280, filed 12/17/76.]

Chapter 220–95 WAC COMMERCIAL FISHING GEAR REDUCTION PROGRAM

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220-95-010 Repealed.
220-95-011 Application to sell.
220-95-012 Marginal production.

220-95-015	Repealed.
220-95-016	Ranking of applications.
220-95-017	Repealed.
220-95-020	Repealed.
220-95-021	Program options.
220-95-026	Surveys—Vessels—License—Permit values.
220-95-030	Repealed.
220-95-031	Use restrictions and penalties.
220-95-040	Repealed.
22095045	Repealed.
220-95-050	Repealed.
220-95-055	Repealed.

DISPOSITION OF SECTIONS FORMERLY CODIFIED IN THIS CHAPTER

220–95–010 Application to sell—Qualification. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 81–09–018 (Order 81–22), § 220–95–010, filed 4/10/81; 79–11–069 (Order 79–111), § 220–95–010, filed 10/18/79; 79–03–025 (Order 79–13), § 220–95–010, filed 2/22/79; Order 76–26, § 220–95–010, filed 1:45 p.m., 4/20/76.] Repealed by 82–19–082 (Order 82–141), filed 9/21/82. Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080.

220–95–015 Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080.

Survey—Vessel—Gear—License—Permit. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 79–10–013 (Order 79–75), § 220–95–015, filed 9/7/79; 79–03–025 (Order 79–13), § 220–95–015, filed 2/22/79; Order 76–98, § 220–95–015, filed 9/22/76; Order 76–26, § 220–95–015, filed 1:45 p.m., 4/20/76.] Repealed by 82–19–082 (Order 82–141), filed 9/21/82. Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080.

220-95-017 Bonus payments. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08-.080. 81-09-018 (Order 81-22), § 220-95-017, filed 4/10/81.] Repealed by 82-19-082 (Order 82-141), filed 9/21/82. Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080.

220-95-020 Offer to sell. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 79-10-013 (Order 79-75), § 220-95-020, filed 9/7/79; Order 76-26, § 220-95-020, filed 1:45 p.m., 4/20/76.] Repealed by 82-19-082 (Order 82-141), filed 9/21/82. Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080.

220-95-030 Offer to sell—Forms. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 79-10-013 (Order 79-75), § 220-95-030, filed 9/7/79; Order 76-26, § 220-95-030, filed 1:45 p.m., 4/20/76.] Repealed by 82-19-082 (Order 82-141), filed 9/21/82. Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080.

220-95-040 Protection—Undisclosed liens, claims, etc. [Order 76-26, § 220-95-040, filed 1:45 p.m., 4/20/76.] Repealed by 82-19-082 (Order 82-141), filed 9/21/82. Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080.

220-95-045 Selling of vessels, equipment, gear—Conditions. [Order 76-26, § 220-95-045, filed 1:45 p.m., 4/20/76.] Repealed by 82-19-082 (Order 82-141), filed 9/21/82. Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080.

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Use of buy-back vessels. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 79–10–013 (Order 79–75), § 220–95–050, filed 9/7/79; Order 76–26, § 220–95–050, filed 6/10/76; Order 76–26, § 220–95–050, filed 1:45 p.m., 4/20/76.] Repealed by 82–19–082 (Order 82–141), filed 9/21/82. Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080.

220-95-055 Violations—Conditions—Penalties. [Order 76-26, § 220-95-055, filed 1:45 p.m., 4/20/76.] Repealed by 82-19-082 (Order 82-141), filed 9/21/82. Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08,080.

WAC 220-95-010 Repealed. See Disposition Table at beginning of this table.

WAC 220-95-011 Application to sell. A person desiring to sell a license or vessel restriction to the department of fisheries shall submit an application to the department. The application must be notarized, received

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during an open-application period established by the department, submitted on a departmental form and from an individual listed as a vessel owner on a license who has not accepted retraining benefits under a buy-back program administered by the department. The applicant must provide his name, address, phone number, and date of birth together with a description of the vessel, a list of licenses, and license numbers held at the time of application and a statement of whether the applicant is offering the license(s) only or the license(s) and vessel restriction pursuant to WAC 220-95-021. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82-19-082 (Order 82-141), § 220-95-011, filed 9/21/82.]

- WAC 220-95-012 Marginal production. (1) In order to sell license, gear and vessel to the program, a commercial salmon fisherman must document, in the form of Washington state fish receiving tickets, a cumulative average catch in the top 95 percent of their respective fleet's average annual production during the base period 1973-1977. Commercial salmon fishermen landing catches in the bottom five percent of their fleet's average annual production for the same base period will be eligible to sell only licenses to the program.
- (2) In order to sell license, gear and vessel to the program, a salmon charter license holder must document, in the form of income tax records, a level of income derived from charter fishing generated by the license for sale of at least \$4,000 in Washington state in any one of the years 1978, 1979, and 1980. Charter salmon license holders with an income of less than \$4,000 for 1978, 1979, or 1980 are eligible to sell only licenses to the program. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 81–09–018 (Order 81–22), § 220–95–012, filed 4/10/81.]

WAC 220-95-015 Repealed. See Disposition Table at beginning of this table.

WAC 220-95-016 Ranking of applications. (1) The department shall separate applicants into one of the following license categories:

- (a) Troll and vessel delivery permit;
- (b) Purse seine;
- (c) Puget Sound gill net;
- (d) Willapa and Grays Harbor gill net;
- (e) Charter;
- (f) Reef net.
- (2) The department shall establish priority rankings within each category. The department shall use license and catch records maintained by the department and may, for charters, use other license and catch records as the director finds appropriate to establish the rankings. Within a category, the department shall rank applicants beginning with applicants who have held a license the greatest cumulative number of years. For applicants other than charters with the same number of years, the department shall rank applicants beginning with the largest average poundage catch within the state for the years 1973–1977. For charters with the same number of years, the department shall rank applicants beginning with the highest average income generated by the license

- for sale in 1978, 1979, and 1980. The department shall accept only federal income tax records to document income.
- (3) A marginal fisherman is a fisherman having an average catch for 1973–1977 ranked in the bottom five percent of all catches in that respective license category or a charter boat owner who cannot document at least four thousand dollars of income derived in Washington state from charter fishing generated by the license for sale in 1978, 1979, or 1980. The department shall accept only federal income tax records to document required income. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82–19–082 (Order 82–141), § 220–95–016, filed 9/21/82.]

WAC 220-95-017 Repealed. See Disposition Table at beginning of this table.

WAC 220-95-020 Repealed. See Disposition Table at beginning of this table.

- WAC 220-95-021 Program options. (1) The department may purchase either an applicant's license(s) or an applicant's license(s) and a restriction on the vessel prohibiting the vessel's use as a commercial or charter salmon fishing vessel or salmon delivery vessel.
- (2) The department may purchase license(s) or vessel restriction if the applicant's vessel is currently licensed to fish for or deliver salmon within the state and the applicant is qualified pursuant to RCW 75.28.510.
- (3) Each vessel use restriction shall be purchased for thirty percent of the fair market value of the vessel. Purchase offers will be made in order of priority ranking established for each category of applicants pursuant to WAC 220-95-016.
- (4) The department shall not purchase vessel use restrictions from marginal applicants as defined in WAC 220-95-016.
- (5) License and vessel values shall be established as provided in WAC 220-95-026. After the value of the vessel has been established and the applicant has provided paid receipts for the first two surveys, the department may communicate a purchase offer to the applicant. If the applicant accepts the offer, the applicant shall sign and return the offer within ten calendar days of the date of the offer.
- (6) The department may not purchase more than one vessel restriction or license from an applicant until all applicants have had an opportunity to sell.
- (7) A person who previously sold either a vessel or license to the program may sell only other licenses and restrictions on other vessels owned at the time the person first sold to the program. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82–19–082 (Order 82–141), § 220–95–021, filed 9/21/82.]
- WAC 220-95-026 Surveys—Vessels—License—Permit values. (1) The department shall conduct a yearly market survey in consultation with the advisory board established pursuant to RCW 75.28.530 in order to determine the fair market value of licenses in each license category.

- (2) The department shall establish fair market value for vessels using the following method:
- (a) Each vessel shall be surveyed by two marine surveyors chosen by the applicant from a list provided by the department.
- (b) A third survey shall be done if the value of the lower survey is less than fifty thousand dollars and the difference between the surveys is more than twenty percent of the lower survey, or the value of the lower survey is more than fifty thousand dollars and the difference between the surveys is more than ten percent of the lower survey value. The department shall randomly select the third surveyor from the same list supplied to the applicant. The department shall not conduct a third survey until the applicant provides the department with paid receipts for the first two surveys.
- (c) The applicant and program manager or their representatives shall be in attendance during each survey.
- (d) Each surveyor shall send copies of the survey to the applicant and to the department.
- (e) The cost of the first two surveys shall be borne by the applicant. The department shall reimburse this cost if the applicant accepts the purchase offer. The cost of the third survey shall be borne by the department.
- (f) The fair market value of the vessel shall be computed by the department averaging the two closest survey values.
- (g) The department shall maintain confidentiality of the surveys prior to completion of the purchase by the department. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82–19–082 (Order 82–141), § 220–95–026, filed 9/21/82.]
- WAC 220-95-030 Repealed. See Disposition Table at beginning of this table.
- WAC 220-95-031 Use restrictions and penalties. (1) For a period of ten years from the date of the purchase of the vessel's restriction by the department it shall be unlawful to:
- (a) Use the vessel as a commercial or charter salmon fishing vessel or as a salmon delivery vessel other than as a vessel used for angling or other personal use in waters within the state of Washington, including the concurrent waters of the Columbia river.
- (b) Use the vessel as a commercial or charter salmon fishing vessel or as a salmon delivery vessel other than as a vessel used for angling or other personal use in waters outside the three mile limit off the Washington coast in an area from the southern jetty at the mouth of the Columbia River north to the United States/Canadian border.
- (c) Use the vessel as a commercial or charter salmon fishing vessel or as a salmon delivery vessel with the intent to deliver fish in another state, in waters outside the three mile limit off the Washington coast in an area from the southern jetty at the mouth of the Columbia river north to the United States/Canadian border.
- (2) Failure to comply with the provisions of subsection (1) of this section will cause the state substantial damage and the amount of damage will be difficult to ascertain precisely. The vessel owner will pay to the

- department of fisheries as liquidated damages, in addition to all other sums payable hereunder, two hundred dollars for each day or portion thereof on which the vessel is used by any person or entity in violation of the provisions of subsection (1) of this section.
- (3) The department shall have relief by injunction to prevent the operation of the vessel for the purposes prohibited in subsection (1) of this section, together with any other relief provided by law. If the vessel is used for any purpose in violation of subsection (1) of this section, in addition to any other penalties provided by law, said vessel's fish, equipment, gear and personal property on board will be subject to immediate confiscation by, and forfeiture to, the state without notice to any owner or user of the vessel. If catches of the vessel prohibited by subsection (1) of this section have been sold or transferred, the owner or user of the vessel is liable to the department in the amount thereof and all Washington state commercial fishing licenses and/or permits issued to the owner or user shall be immediately revoked without notice by the department.
- (4) The vessel owner and any subsequent transferee assigns to the department any and all rights to enforce the provisions of subsection (1) of this section. At any time the department may inspect the vessel for the limited purpose of ascertaining whether the vessel is being used for any purpose or use in violation of subsection (1) of this section. If any subsequent transferee is a treaty Indian, the department will require proof of treaty status prior to approving a transfer of vessel ownership or use. Nonapplicability of use restrictions to treaty Indians will not affect imposition of use restrictions to non-Indian transferees, owners or users of any vessel. [Statutory Authority: RCW 75.08.080. 82–19–082 (Order 82–141), § 220–95–031, filed 9/21/82.]
- WAC 220-95-040 Repealed. See Disposition Table at beginning of this table.
- WAC 220-95-045 Repealed. See Disposition Table at beginning of this table.
- WAC 220-95-050 Repealed. See Disposition Table at beginning of this table.
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