

"PERTAINING TO GILL NETS"

REGULATION 4 VAC 20-680-10 ET. SEQ.

§ 4VAC20-680-10 Purpose.

The purpose of this chapter is to preserve public safety and reduce conflicts between gill net fishermen and others in this area.

Statutory Authority §28.2-201 of the Code of Virginia.

Historical Notes

Derived from VR450-01-0091 §1; eff. June 1, 1993; amended, Virginia Register Volume 11, Issue 17, eff. April 14, 1995.

§ 4VAC20-680-20 Rescission.

VR 450-01-0092 is rescinded, and its provisions are reenacted in 4 VAC 20-680-30 of this chapter.

Statutory Authority §28.2-201 of the Code of Virginia.

Historical Notes

Derived from VR450-01-0091 §2; eff. June 1, 1993; amended, Virginia Register Volume 11, Issue 17, eff. April 14, 1995.

Editors Note

VR 450-01-0092, Pertaining to Gill Nets, effective July 1, 1993 and rescinded by 4VAC20- 80-20, effective April 14, 1995, was repealed, Virginia Register, Volume 11, Issue 14, effective March 3, 1995.

§ 4VAC20-680-30 Gill net closed season and area.

From May 15 through September 15 of each year, it shall be unlawful for any person to place, set, or fish any gill net within 400 feet of the shoreline in the area bounded by the Hampton Roads Bridge-Tunnel eastward to Cape Henry and south to the southern ocean front boundary of the United States Dam Neck Military Base.

Statutory Authority §28.2-201 of the Code of Virginia.

Historical Notes

Derived from VR450-01-0091 §3; eff. June 1, 1993; amended, Virginia Register Volume 11, Issue 17, eff. April 14, 1995.

Editors Note

This section, 4VAC20-680-30, replaces former VR 450-01-0092, Pertaining to Gill Nets, effective July 1, 1993 and repealed, Virginia Register, Volume 11, Issue 14, effective March 3, 1995.

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§ 4VAC20-680-40 Penalty.

As set forth in §28.2-903 of the Code of Virginia, any person violating the provisions of this chapter shall be guilty of a Class 3 misdemeanor and a second or subsequent violation of any provision of this chapter committed by the same person within 12 months of a prior violation is a Class 1 misdemeanor.

Statutory Authority §28.2-201 of the Code of Virginia.

Historical Notes

Derived from VR450-01-0091 §4; eff. June 1, 1993; amended, Virginia Register Volume 11, Issue 17, eff. April 14, 1995.

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REGULATION 450-01-0091

PREAMBLE

This regulation establishes an area along the southern shore of the Chesapeake Bay and Atlantic Ocean between the Hampton Roads Bridge-Tunnel and Dam Neck which is closed to gill nets. This regulation is promulgated pursuant to authority contained in §28.2-201 of the Code of Virginia.

This regulation amends previous Regulation 450-01-0091, which was adopted May 25, 1993 and effective June 1, 1993, and rescinds previous Regulation 450-01-0092, which was adopted June 22, 1993, and effective July 1, 1993, and reenacts its provisions in this regulation. The effective date of this regulation is April 14, 1995.

§1. PURPOSE:

The purpose of this regulation is to preserve public safety and reduce conflicts between gill net fishermen and others in this area.

§2. RESCISSION:

Regulation 450-01-0092 is rescinded, and its provisions are reenacted in Section 3 of this regulation.

§3. GILL NET CLOSED SEASON AND AREA:

From May 15 through September 15 of each year, it shall be unlawful for any person to place, set, or fish any gill net within 400 feet of the shoreline in the area bounded by the Hampton Roads Bridge-Tunnel eastward to Cape Henry and south to the southern oceanfront boundary of the United States Dam Neck Military Base.

§4. PENALTY:

As set forth in §28.2-903 of the Code of Virginia, any person violating the provisions of this regulation shall be guilty of a Class 3 misdemeanor, and a second or subsequent violation of any provision of this regulation committed by the same person within twelve months of a prior violation is a Class 1 misdemeanor.


This is to certify that the foregoing is a true and accurate copy of the Regulation approved by the Marine Resources Commission, pursuant to authority vested in the Commission by §28.2-201 of the

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REGULATION 450-01-0091

Code of Virginia and recorded in the Commission's minute book, at its meeting held in Newport News, Virginia on March 28, 1995.

COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA
MARINE RESOURCES COMMISSION

BY: 
WILLIAM A. PRUITT
COMMISSIONER

Subscribed and sworn to before me on this 17th day of April, 1995.

My Commission expires December 31, 1995.


Notary Public