

Natural Resources

A Commissioners Order to regulate the opening and closing of the taking of fish by angling off of tribal land.

- WHEREAS: the Commissioner of Natural Resources is authorized to regulate the taking of fish through Band Statute 1001-MLC-1, Section 7:04; and,
- WHEREAS: the taking of fish should be done with preservation of species foremost; and,
- WHEREAS: the taking of fish will require a license or permit.
- NOW THEREFORE: pursuant to the authority vested in me by the Mille Lacs Band of Chippewa Indians under tribal law, I, Don Wedll, Commissioner of Natural Resources for the Mille Lacs Band of Chippewa Indians hereby prescribe the following regulations applicable for the taking of fish by angling off of tribal lands.

REGULATIONS

LICENSE REQUIREMENT

- All Band Members who are over the age of sixteen(16) years must have a license while angling off of tribal land.
- All band members who are under sixteen (16) are not required to have a license but need to register at the Mille Lacs Natural Resource Office or with a Mille Lacs Natural Resource Officer annually.
- It shall be a violation to use more than two lines with more than two hooks on each line.
- All lines shall be attended and the individual must be within 80 feet of said lines.

<u>Species</u>	<u>Open Seasons</u>	<u>Possession Limits</u>
Walleye	May 4 - Feb. 15, 1986	6
Northern Pike (pickeral)	May 4 - Feb. 15, 1986	5
Muskellunge (min. 30")	June 7 - Feb. 15, 1986	1
Catfish	May 4 - Feb. 15, 1986	8
Sturgeon (Size limit 45")	June 29 - Oct. 31	2
Largemouth & Smallmouth		
Black Bass	May 4 - Feb. 6, 1986	6
Trout	May 4 - Sept. 30, 1985	5
Sunfish	Continuous	30
Crappies	Continuous	15
Perch	Continuous	30
White Bass	Continuous	No limit
Bullheads	Continuous	No limit

Unprotected fish:

Carp, suckers, redhorse,
buffalofish, burbot (mee zie),
Gor, Sheephead, dogfish and
Quilback

Continuous

No limit

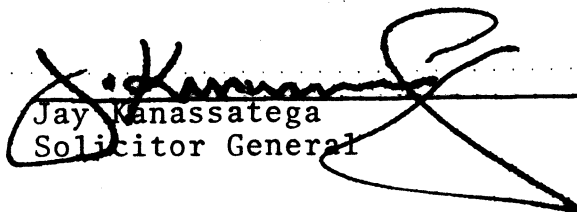
- The commercial gathering of minnows and leeches on
tribal land shall require a license.

DATED at Vineland, Minnesota, this fourth day of June in the year one
thousand nine hundred and eighty-five.


Don Wedll

Commissioner of Natural Resources

APPROVED AND NUMBERED AS TO
FORM AND EXECUTION


Jay Kanassataga
Solicitor General

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