CHAPTER 1035

TROUT FISHING

S. F. 1134

AN ACT relating to the regulation of trout fishing.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. Section one hundred nine point thirty-eight (109.38), subsection one (1), Code 1971, is amended to read as follows:

1. The commission may upon its own motion and after an investigation, alter, limit, or restrict the methods or means employed and the instruments or equipment used in taking deer, raccoon, trout, or rough fish, if the investigation reveals that such action would be desirable or beneficial in promoting the interests of conservation, or the commission may, after an investigation when it is found there is imminent danger of loss of fish through natural causes, authorize the taking of fish by such means as they may deem advisable to salvage such imperiled fish populations.

Approved April 22, 1972.

CHAPTER 1036

HUNTING RESTRICTIONS

S. F. 431

AN ACT relating to hunting restrictions.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. Section one hundred nine point forty-eight (109.48), Code 1971, is amended by striking the section and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

Restrictions. No person, except as otherwise provided by law, shall willfully disturb, pursue, shoot, kill, take or attempt to take or have in possession any of the following game birds or animals except within the open season established by the commission: gray or fox squirrel, bobwhite quail, cottontail or jack rabbit, duck, snipe, 8 pheasant, goose, woodcock, partridge, coot, rail, ruffed grouse, wild 9 turkey, or deer. The seasons, bag limits, possession limits and local-10 ity shall be established by the commission under the authority of sec-11 tions one hundred seven point twenty-four (107.24), one hundred nine 12 point thirty-eight (109.38), and one hundred nine point thirty-nine 13 14 (109.39) of the Code.

Subject to annual approval of the commission by departmental rule, no person shall take, possess, transport or use migratory game birds except during the periods of time and in the manner and numbers established under the provisions of the federal "Migratory Bird Treaty Act" and the "Migratory Bird Stamp Hunting Act".

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