

LEGISLATIVE FRAMEWORK FOR MANITOBA FISHERIES

CONSTITUTIONAL							
CONSERVATION		ABORIGINAL	COMMERCE				
FISH HARVEST	FISH HABITAT	DOMESTIC HARVEST	LICENCING	FISH MOVEMENT		FISH MARKETING	
				In MANITOBA	Import and Export*	In MANITOBA	Export*

FISHERIES ACT (CANADA)

Day to day management delegated to MB (Manitoba Fishery Regulations, 1987)
eg. creel limits, quotas, seasons by variances

Ongoing role for Fisheries and Oceans (Fisheries Act)
Sec. 20: Construction of fishways
Sec. 26: Obstruction of main channel
Sec. 27: Fish movement blockage on fishway or channel
Sec. 32: Destruction of fish
Sec. 35: Harmful alteration of fish habitat
Sec. 36: Deposit of deleterious substances

Federal fiduciary responsibilities (sec. 13, MFR, 1987)
eg. closures to all fishing including aboriginals with permitting provisions

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THE FISHERIES ACT (MANITOBA)

Licensing/Fees reflecting fact that fish are provincial property

Fishing Licensing, Fishing Licence Fee Regulations (Ticketable Fines)
The Summary Convictions Act
Offense Notices Regulations

Intra-provincial transportation of fish
(Fish Transportation Loadslip Regulations)

N/A

Controls sale / purchase of fish in Manitoba

Director's Authorization, Commercial Fisherman's Records Regulation

FRESHWATER Fish MARKETING ACT (CANADA)

Freshwater Fish Marketing Act prohibits exports other than as authorized by FFMC

As granted in The Fisheries Act (MB) FFMC can authorize fish marketing in MB (Special Dealer's Licence) FFMC/others need to meet Consumer Packaging and Labelling Act requirements

Sole control re: authority for inter-provincial & international fish sales



