STATUTORY RULES OF NORTHERN IRELAND

2003 No. 271

FISHERIES

Fisheries (Amendment) Byelaws (Northern Ireland) 2003

Made - - - -	*15th May 2003*
Coming into operation	*1st June 2003*

The Fisheries Conservancy Board for Northern Ireland, in exercise of the powers conferred on it by sections 26(1) and 37(1) of the Fisheries Act (Northern Ireland) 1966(**1**) and of every other power enabling it in that behalf, with the approval of the Department of Culture, Arts and Leisure(**2**), hereby makes the following Byelaws:

Citation and commencement

1. These Byelaws may be cited as the Fisheries (Amendment) Byelaws (Northern Ireland) 2003 and shall come into operation on 1st June 2003.

Amendment of the Fisheries Byelaws (Northern Ireland) 1997

2. The Fisheries Byelaws (Northern Ireland) 1997(**3**) shall be amended as provided in Byelaws 3 and 4.

Interpretation

3. In Byelaw 2(1) for the definition of "concessionary season fishing rod licence" there shall be substituted the following definition –

> ""concessionary season fishing rod licence" means a licence issued by the Board to a disabled angler, or to a person who has attained the age of 60 years, for one rod and line or hand line to fish for, take and kill salmon, freshwater fish and eels;".

(**1**) 1966 c. 17 (N.I.); section 26(1) was amended by Article 8(3) of the Fisheries (Amendment) (Northern Ireland) Order 1991 (S.I.1991/1466 (N.I. 13)) and by section 5 of the Fisheries (Amendment) Act (Northern Ireland) 2001 (2001 c. 4 (N.I.)); section 37 was substituted by section 1 of, and Schedule 1 to, the Fisheries (Amendment) Act (Northern Ireland) 1968 (1968 c. 31 (N.I.)) and was amended by Article 9 of the Fisheries (Amendment) (Northern Ireland) Order 1991 and by section 6 of the Fisheries (Amendment) Act (Northern Ireland) 2001

(**2**) Functions transferred by virtue of S.R. 1999 No. 481 Article 3 and Schedule 1

(**3**) S.R. 1997 No. 425 as amended by S.R. 1999 No. 12, S.R. 1999 No. 488, S.R. 2000 No. 364, S.R. 2001 No. 433, S.R. 2002 No. 11, S.R. 2002 No. 274 and S.R. 2002 No. 371