

STATE OF CALIFORNIA  
FISH AND GAME COMMISSION  
INITIAL STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR REGULATORY ACTION  
(Pre-publication of Notice Statement)

Amend subsections (b)(1) and (d)(2) of Section 7.00  
and subsections (b)(5), (b)(6), (b)(12.5), (b)(14), (b)(18.5), (b)(20), (b)(32), (b)(43.5),  
(b)(56), (b)(59.5), (b)(60), (b)(68), (b)(118), (b)(119), (b)(124), (b)(129), (b)(156),  
(b)(168.5), (b)(186), (b)(198), and (b)(212) of Section 7.50

Title 14, California Code of Regulations

Re: Central Valley Salmon Sport Fishing

I. Date of Initial Statement of Reasons: December 19, 2008

II. Dates and Locations of Scheduled Hearings:

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| (a) Notice Hearing:     | Date: February 5, 2009<br>Location: Sacramento, CA |
| (b) Discussion Hearing: | Date: March 4, 2009<br>Location: Woodland, CA      |
| (c) Discussion Hearing: | Date: April 9, 2009<br>Location: Lodi, CA          |
| (d) Adoption Hearing:   | Date: April 21, 2009<br>Location: Teleconference   |

III. Description of Regulatory Action:

- (a) Statement of Specific Purpose of Regulation Change and Factual Basis for Determining that Regulation Change is Reasonably Necessary:

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### **Present Regulations**

The current regulations have zero bag limits for Chinook salmon in all Central Valley rivers and streams except for a one salmon bag limit in the Sacramento River from Red Bluff Diversion Dam to Knights Landing from November 1 to December 31.

### **Proposed Regulations**

For public notice purposes to facilitate Commission discussion, the Department is proposing the following three options for changes to current regulations:

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Option 2 – Limited Fishing in Sacramento, Feather or American Rivers And No Salmon Fishing In All Other Anadromous Central Valley Waters

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- (b) Authority and Reference Sections from Fish and Game Code for Regulation:

Authority: Sections 200, 202, 205, 215, 220, 240, 315 and 316.5, Fish and Game Code.

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- (c) Specific Technology or Equipment Required by Regulatory Change:

None.

- (d) Identification of Reports or Documents Supporting Regulation Change:

None.

- (e) Public Discussions of Proposed Regulations Prior to Notice Publication:

No public meetings are being held prior to the notice publication. The 45-day comment period provides adequate time for review of the proposed amendments.

IV. Description of Reasonable Alternatives to Regulatory Action:

(a) Alternatives to Regulation Change:

The Commission could reduce season duration for salmon, require additional gear restrictions, or close entire river systems for all fisheries which include trout, steelhead, striped bass, sturgeon and other non-salmonids.

(b) No Change Alternative:

The no change alternative is one of the options under consideration if severe restrictions are placed on California's ocean salmon fisheries.

(c) Consideration of Alternatives:

In view of the information currently possessed, no reasonable alternative considered would be more effective in carrying out the purposes for which the regulation is proposed, or would be as effective and less burdensome to affected private persons than the proposed regulation.

V. Mitigation Measures Required by Regulatory Action:

The proposed regulatory action will have no negative impact on the environment. Therefore, no mitigation is necessary.

VI. Impact of Regulatory Action:

The potential for significant statewide adverse economic impacts that might result from the proposed regulatory action has been assessed, and the following initial determinations relative to the required statutory categories have been made:

(a) Significant Statewide Adverse Economic Impact Directly Affecting Businesses, Including the Ability of California Businesses to Compete with Businesses in Other States:

The proposed action will not have a significant statewide adverse economic impact directly affecting business, including the ability of California businesses to compete with businesses in other states. The proposed changes are necessary for the continued preservation of the

resource and therefore the prevention of adverse economic impacts.

- (b) Impact on the Creation or Elimination of Jobs Within the State, the Creation of New Businesses or the Elimination of Existing Businesses, or the Expansion of Businesses in California:

None.

- (c) Cost Impacts on a Representative Private Person or Business:

The agency is not aware of any cost impacts that a representative private person or business would necessarily incur in reasonable compliance with the proposed action.

- (d) Costs or Savings to State Agencies or Costs/Savings in Federal Funding to the State:

None.

- (e) Nondiscretionary Costs/Savings to Local Agencies:

None.

- (f) Programs Mandated on Local Agencies or School Districts:

None.

- (g) Costs Imposed on Any Local Agency or School District that is Required to be Reimbursed Under Part 7 (commencing with Section 17500) of Division 4, Government Code:

None.

- (h) Effect on Housing Costs:

None.

## Informative Digest (Policy Statement Overview)

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## Regulatory Language

### OPTION 1 – NO SALMON FISHING IN ALL ANADROMOUS CENTRAL VALLEY RIVERS AND STREAMS

Subsection 7.00(b)(1), Title 14, CCR, is amended to read:

<i>District/Water</i>	<i>Open Season</i>	<i>Daily Bag and Possession Limit</i>
(1) Anadromous waters of Tehama and Shasta counties not listed in the Special Regulations. (Section 7.50). (See subsection (b)(156) of Section 7.50, regarding the Sacramento River.)	Last Saturday in Apr. through Nov. 15. Only artificial lures and barbless hooks may be used.	0 <u>trout or steelhead</u> <u>Closed to salmon fishing.</u> <u>No take or possession of salmon.</u>

Subsection 7.00(d)(2), Title 14, CCR, is amended to read:

<i>District/Water</i>	<i>Open Season</i>	<i>Daily Bag and Possession Limit</i>
(2) All anadromous waters except those listed by name in the Special Regulations (See definition of anadromous waters, Section 1.04).	All year.	0 <u>trout or steelhead</u> <u>Closed to salmon fishing.</u> <u>No take or possession of salmon.</u>

**NOTE:**

Authority cited: Sections 200, 202, 205, 220 and 240, Fish and Game Code. Reference: Sections 200, 205 and 206, Fish and Game Code.

Subsection 7.50(b)(5), Title 14, CCR, is amended to read:

<i>Body of Water</i>	<i>Open Season and Special Regulations</i>	<i>Daily Bag and Possession Limit</i>
(5) American River (Sacramento Co.)		
(A) From Nimbus Dam to the Hazel Avenue bridge piers.	All year	1 hatchery trout or 1 hatchery steelhead** <del>0 salmon</del> <u>Closed to salmon fishing.</u> <u>No take or possession of salmon.</u>
(B) From Hazel Avenue bridge piers to the U.S. Geological Survey gauging station cable crossing about 300 yards downstream from the Nimbus Hatchery fish rack site.	Jan. 1 through Sept. 14. Only barbless hooks may be used.	1 hatchery trout or 1 hatchery steelhead**

		<u>0 salmon</u> <u>Closed to salmon fishing.</u> <u>No take or possession of salmon.</u>
(C) From the U.S. Geological Survey gauging station cable crossing about 300 yards downstream from the Nimbus Hatchery fish rack site to the SMUD power line crossing at the southwest boundary of Ancil Hoffman Park.	Jan. 1 through Oct. 31. Only barbless hooks may be used.	1 hatchery trout or 1 hatchery steelhead** <u>0 salmon</u> <u>Closed to salmon fishing.</u> <u>No take or possession of salmon.</u>
(D) From the SMUD power line crossing at the southwest boundary of Ancil Hoffman Park downstream to the <del>Jibboom Street Bridge</del> <u>mouth.</u>	All year	1 hatchery trout or 1 hatchery steelhead** <u>0 salmon</u> <u>Closed to salmon fishing.</u> <u>No take or possession of salmon.</u>
(E) From the <del>Jibboom Street Bridge</del> to the mouth.	July 16 through Dec. 31.	1 hatchery trout or 1 hatchery steelhead** <u>0 salmon</u>
	Jan. 1 through July 15.	1 hatchery trout or 1 hatchery steelhead** <u>0 salmon</u>

Subsection 7.50(b)(6), Title 14, CCR, is amended to read:

<i>Body of Water</i>	<i>Open Season and Special Regulations</i>	<i>Daily Bag and Possession Limit</i>
(6) Antelope Creek (Tehama Co.).		
(A) From confluence with North Fork downstream to U.S. Geological Survey gauging station cable crossing at mouth of Antelope Creek Canyon.	Last Saturday in April through Nov. 15. Only artificial lures with barbless hooks may be used.	<u>0 trout or steelhead</u> <u>Closed to salmon fishing.</u> <u>No take or possession of salmon.</u>
(B) From U.S. Geological Survey gauging station cable crossing at mouth of Antelope Creek Canyon downstream to mouth of Antelope Creek.	June 16 through September 30.	<u>0 trout or steelhead</u> <u>Closed to salmon fishing.</u> <u>No take or possession of salmon.</u>

Subsection 7.50(b)(12.5), Title 14, CCR, is amended to read:

<i>Body of Water</i>	<i>Open Season and Special Regulations</i>	<i>Daily Bag and Possession Limit</i>
(12.5) Auburn Ravine Creek and tributaries (Placer Co.) east of Nelson Lane.	Fourth Saturday in May through Oct. 14.	0 trout <del>0 salmon</del> <u>Closed to salmon fishing.</u> <u>No take or possession of salmon.</u>

Subsection 7.50(b)(14), Title 14, CCR, is amended to read:

<i>Body of Water</i>	<i>Open Season and Special Regulations</i>	<i>Daily Bag and Possession Limit</i>
(14) Battle Creek (Shasta and Tehama Cos.).		
(A) From mouth to Coleman Fish Hatchery weir.	Closed to all fishing all year.	
(B) From 250 feet upstream from the Coleman National Fish Hatchery upstream to Angel Falls (near Mineral) on the South Fork and to Ponderosa Way Bridge on the North Fork.	Last Saturday in Apr. through Nov. 15. Only artificial lures with barbless hooks may be used.	0 <u>trout or steelhead</u> <u>Closed to salmon fishing.</u> <u>No take or possession of salmon.</u>

Subsection 7.50(b)(18.5), Title 14, CCR, is amended to read:

<i>Body of Water</i>	<i>Open Season and Special Regulations</i>	<i>Daily Bag and Possession Limit</i>
(18.5) Bear River and tributaries (Placer Co.)		
(A) <del>Bear River from</del> <u>From</u> Highway 20 south (downstream) 2.5 miles to the abandoned concrete dam (the Boardman Diversion Dam).	Last Saturday in Apr. through Nov. 15. Maximum size limit: 14 inches total length.	5 per day 10 in possession
(B) <del>Bear River and tributaries from</del> <u>From</u> Highway 65 to the South Sutter Irrigation District Diversion Dam.	Fourth Saturday in May through Oct. 14	0 trout <del>0 salmon</del> <u>Closed to salmon fishing.</u> <u>No take or possession of salmon.</u>

Subsection 7.50(b)(20), Title 14, CCR, is amended to read:

<i>Body of Water</i>	<i>Open Season and Special Regulations</i>	<i>Daily Bag and Possession Limit</i>
(20) Big Chico Creek (Butte Co.).		
(A) From mouth to Bear Hole, located approximately one mile downstream from the upper end of Bidwell Park	June 16 through Oct. 15.	0 <u>trout or steelhead</u> <u>Closed to salmon</u>

		<u>fishing.</u> <u>No take or possession of salmon.</u>
	Oct. 16 through Feb. 15. Only artificial lures with barbless hooks may be used.	0 <u>trout or steelhead</u> <u>Closed to salmon fishing.</u> <u>No take or possession of salmon.</u>
(B) From Bear Hole to the upper boundary of the Big Chico Creek Ecological Reserve	Nov. 1 through Apr. 30. Only artificial lures with barbless hooks may be used.	0 <u>trout or steelhead</u> <u>Closed to salmon fishing.</u> <u>No take or possession of salmon.</u>
(C) From the upper boundary of the Big Chico Creek Ecological Reserve to Higgins Hole Falls, located about one-half mile upstream from Ponderosa Way.	Closed to all fishing all year.	

Subsection 7.50(b)(32), Title 14, CCR, is amended to read:

<i>Body of Water</i>	<i>Open Season and Special Regulations</i>	<i>Daily Bag and Possession Limit</i>
(32) Butte Creek (Butte and Sutter Cos.).		
(A) <del>Butte Creek (Butte Co.) from</del> From the Oro-Chico Road bridge crossing south of Chico to the Centerville Head Dam, located 300 yards downstream from the DeSabra Powerhouse below DeSabra Reservoir.	November 15 through February 15. Only artificial lures with barbless hooks may be used.	0 trout <del>0 salmon</del> <u>Closed to salmon fishing.</u> <u>No take or possession of salmon.</u>
(B) <del>Butte Creek (Butte and Sutter Cos.) from</del> From the Oro-Chico Road bridge crossing south of Chico to the point that Butte Creek enters the Sacramento River both via Butte Slough outfall gates at Moon's Bend and through Butte Slough, thence both the East and West Canals of the Sutter Bypass, thence Sacramento Slough.	Closed to trout and salmon fishing all year. Open all year to fishing for other species.	

Subsection 7.50(b)(43.5), Title 14, CCR, is amended to read:

<i>Body of Water</i>	<i>Open Season and Special Regulations</i>	<i>Daily Bag and Possession Limit</i>
(43.5) Coon Creek and tributaries (Placer Co.) east of Highway 65.	Fourth Saturday in May through Oct. 14	0 trout <del>0 salmon</del> <u>Closed to salmon fishing.</u> <u>No take or possession of salmon.</u>

Subsection 7.50(b)(56), Title 14, CCR, is amended to read:

<i>Body of Water</i>	<i>Open Season and Special Regulations</i>	<i>Daily Bag and Possession Limit</i>
(56) Deer Creek (Tehama Co.).		
(A) From 250 feet below Upper Deer Creek Falls and fishway (located 1.5 miles upstream from Potato Patch Campground) downstream 31 miles to U.S. Geological Survey gauging station cable crossing at mouth of Deer Creek Canyon (see Section 2.35 for closure at Upper Deer Creek Falls).	Last Saturday in April through Nov. 15. Only artificial lures with barbless hooks may be used.	0 <u>trout</u> or <u>steelhead</u> Closed to <u>salmon</u> fishing. No take or <u>possession of salmon</u> .
(B) From U.S. Geological Survey gauging station cable crossing at mouth of Deer Creek Canyon downstream to mouth of Deer Creek.	June 16 through Sept. 30.	0 <u>trout</u> or <u>steelhead</u> Closed to <u>salmon</u> fishing. No take or <u>possession of salmon</u> .

Subsection 7.50(b)(59.5), Title 14, CCR, is amended to read:

<i>Body of Water</i>	<i>Open Season and Special Regulations</i>	<i>Daily Bag and Possession Limit</i>
(59.5) Dry Creek and tributaries (Placer Co.) east of the Atkinson Street Bridge in Roseville.	Fourth Saturday in May through Oct. 14	0 trout <del>0 salmon</del> Closed to <u>salmon</u> fishing. No take or <u>possession of salmon</u> .

Subsection 7.50(b)(60), Title 14, CCR, is amended to read:

<i>Body of Water</i>	<i>Open Season and Special Regulations</i>	<i>Daily Bag and Possession Limit</i>
(60) Dry Creek (Yuba and Nevada Co.) from mouth to Sid Smith Dam about one mile above junction of Scott Forbes and Peoria roads.	Fourth Saturday in May through Oct. 15.	0 <u>trout</u> or <u>steelhead</u> Closed to <u>salmon</u> fishing. No take or <u>possession of salmon</u> .

Subsection 7.50(b)(68), Title 14, CCR, is amended to read:

<i>Body of Water</i>	<i>Open Season and Special Regulations</i>	<i>Daily Bag and Possession Limit</i>
(68) Feather River below Oroville Dam (Butte, Sutter and Yuba Cos.).		
(A) <u>From</u> Fish Barrier Dam to Table Mountain bicycle bridge	Closed to all fishing all	

in Oroville.	year.	
(B) <u>From</u> Table Mountain bicycle bridge to Highway 70 bridge.	Jan. 1 through July 15. Only barbless hooks may be used.	1 hatchery trout or 1 hatchery steelhead** 0 salmon <u>Closed to salmon fishing.</u> <u>No take or possession of salmon.</u>
(C) <u>From</u> Highway 70 bridge to <u>Sunset Pumps</u> (approx. 5 miles downstream of the town of Live Oak) <u>the mouth.</u>	Jan. 1 through the last day in Feb. <u>All year.</u>	1 hatchery trout or 1 hatchery steelhead** 0 salmon <u>Closed to salmon fishing.</u> <u>No take or possession of salmon.</u>
	Mar. 1 through July 15.	1 hatchery trout or 1 hatchery steelhead** 0 salmon 1 salmon
	July 16 through Sep. 30.	1 hatchery trout or 1 hatchery steelhead** 0 salmon
	Oct. 1 through Dec. 31.	1 hatchery trout or 1 hatchery steelhead** 0 salmon
(D) <u>Sunset Pumps</u> (approx. 5 miles downstream of the town of Live Oak) to Highway 20 bridge.	Mar. 1 through July 15.	1 hatchery trout or 1 hatchery steelhead** 0 salmon
	July 16 through the last day in Feb.	1 hatchery trout or 1 hatchery steelhead** 0 salmon
(E) Highway 20 bridge to Feather River mouth.	Mar. 1 through July 15.	1 hatchery trout or 1 hatchery steelhead** 0 salmon
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(118) Merced River (Merced Co.).		
(A) From Crocker-Huffman Dam downstream to the Schaffer bridge on Oakdale Road.	Jan. 1 through Oct. 31. Only artificial lures with barbless hooks may be used.	0 trout <del>0 salmon</del> <u>Closed to salmon fishing.</u> <u>No take or possession of salmon.</u>
(B) From the Schaffer bridge on Oakdale Road downstream to the mouth.	Jan. 1 through Oct. 31. Bait may be used from Jan. 1 through Oct. 31. However, from April 1 through the Friday preceding the fourth Saturday in May, bait may be used only with single hooks having a gap between 1/2 and 1 inch, or with multiple hooks having a gap between 1/4 and 1/2 inch.	0 trout <del>0 salmon</del> <u>Closed to salmon fishing.</u> <u>No take or possession of salmon.</u>

Subsection 7.50(b)(119), Title 14, CCR, is amended to read:

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(119) Mill Creek (Tehama Co.).		
(A) From the Lassen National Park boundary downstream to the U.S. Geological Survey gauging station cable crossing at the mouth of Mill Creek Canyon.	Last Saturday in April through Nov. 15. Only artificial lures with barbless hooks may be used.	0 <u>trout or steelhead</u> <u>Closed to salmon fishing.</u> <u>No take or possession of salmon.</u>
(B) From U.S. Geological Survey gauging station cable crossing at mouth of Mill Creek Canyon downstream to the mouth of Mill Creek.	June 16 through Sept. 30.	0 <u>trout or steelhead</u> <u>Closed to salmon fishing.</u> <u>No take or possession of salmon.</u>

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(124) Mokelumne River (San Joaquin Co.).		
(A) From mouth to Peltier Road.	All year.	1 hatchery trout or 1 hatchery steelhead** <del>0 salmon</del>



		<u>Closed to salmon fishing.</u> <u>No take or possession of salmon.</u>
(B) From Peltier Road to Camanche Dam including Lodi Lake.	Jan. 1 through Mar. 31.	1 hatchery trout or 1 hatchery steelhead** <del>0 salmon</del> <u>Closed to salmon fishing.</u> <u>No take or possession of salmon.</u>
	Fourth Saturday in May through Oct. 15.	1 hatchery trout or 1 hatchery steelhead** <del>0 salmon</del> <u>Closed to salmon fishing.</u> <u>No take or possession of salmon.</u>
(C) Between the Woodbridge vehicle bridge and the Woodbridge Irrigation District Dam.	Closed to all fishing all year.	

Subsection 7.50(b)(129), Title 14, CCR, is amended to read:

<i>Body of Water</i>	<i>Open Season and Special Regulations</i>	<i>Daily Bag and Possession Limit</i>
(129) Napa River and tributaries (Napa Co.). Also see Section 8.00(c).		
(A) Main stem above the Oakville Cross Road Bridge near Yountville and all Napa River tributaries.	Closed to all fishing all year.	
(B) <del>Main stem from</del> <u>From</u> the Oakville Cross Road Bridge near Yountville to the Trancas Bridge. Note: The Napa River below the Trancas Bridge is tidewater, and is regulated by regulations for the Ocean and San Francisco Bay District (see Sections 1.53 and 27.00).	Fourth Saturday in May through Mar. 31. Only artificial lures with barbless hooks may be used from the fourth Saturday in May through Oct. 31. Only barbless hooks may be used from Nov. 1 through Mar. 31.	1 hatchery trout or 1 hatchery steelhead** <del>0 salmon</del> <u>Closed to salmon fishing.</u> <u>No take or possession of salmon.</u>

Subsection 7.50(b)(156), Title 14, CCR, is amended to read:

<i>Body of Water</i>	<i>Open Season and Special Regulations</i>	<i>Daily Bag and Possession Limit</i>
(156) Sacramento River main stem and Sacramento River tributaries (Butte, Colusa, Contra Costa, Glenn, Sacramento, Shasta, Siskiyou, Solano, Sutter, Tehama and	Also see Sierra District General Regulations (See Section 7.00(b)).	

Yolo Cos.).		
(A) Sacramento River and tributaries from Box Canyon Dam downstream to the Scarlett Way bridge in Dunsmuir.	<del>Open</del> All year. Only artificial lures with barbless hooks may be used.	0
(B) Sacramento River and tributaries excluding Soda Creek from Scarlett Way bridge downstream to the county bridge at Sweetbriar (See Soda Creek 7.50(b)(180.5)).	Last Saturday in Apr. through Nov. 15.	5 per day 10 in possession
(C) Sacramento River mainstem (excluding all tributaries) from the Scarlett Way bridge downstream to the county bridge at Sweetbriar.	Nov. 16 through the Friday preceding the last Sat. in Apr. Only artificial lures with barbless hooks may be used.	0
(D) Sacramento River and tributaries excluding Castle Creek from the county bridge at Sweetbriar downstream to Shasta Lake (See Castle Creek 7.50(b)(39.3)).	Last Saturday in Apr. through Nov. 15. Only artificial lures with barbless hooks may be used.	2
(E) Sacramento River mainstem (excluding <u>all</u> tributaries) from the county bridge at Sweetbriar downstream to Shasta Lake.	Nov. 16 through the Friday preceding the last Sat. in Apr. Only artificial lures with barbless hooks may be used.	0
(F) Sacramento River from Keswick Dam to 650 feet below Keswick Dam.	Closed to all fishing all year.	
(G) Sacramento River from 650 feet below Keswick Dam to the Deschutes Road bridge.	All year. Trout maximum size limit: 16 inches. Only barbless hooks may be used.	1 trout <del>0 salmon</del> <u>Closed to salmon fishing.</u> <u>No take or possession of salmon.</u>
(H) Sacramento River from the Deschutes Road Bridge to 500 feet upstream from Red Bluff Diversion Dam.	Jan. 1 through Mar. 31.	1 hatchery trout or 1 hatchery steelhead** <del>0 salmon</del> <u>Closed to salmon fishing.</u> <u>No take or possession of salmon.</u>
	Apr. 1 through Aug 30.	1 hatchery trout or 1 hatchery steelhead** and 1 wild trout ** <del>0 salmon</del> <u>Closed to salmon fishing.</u> <u>No take or possession of</u>

		salmon.
	Aug. 31 through Dec 31.	1 hatchery trout or 1 hatchery steelhead** <del>0 salmon</del> <u>Closed to salmon fishing.</u> <u>No take or possession of salmon.</u>
(I) Sacramento River from 500 feet upstream from Red Bluff Diversion Dam to 150 feet below the Lower Red Bluff (Sycamore) Boat Ramp.	Closed to all fishing all year.	
(J) Sacramento River from 150 feet below the Lower Red Bluff (Sycamore) Boat Ramp to <del>the Hwy 113 bridge near Knights Landing</del> the Carquinez Bridge (includes Suisun Bay, Grizzly Bay and all tributary sloughs).	<del>Jan. 1 to Oct. 31.</del> All year.	1 hatchery trout or 1 hatchery steelhead** <del>0 salmon</del> <u>Closed to salmon fishing.</u> <u>No take or possession of salmon.</u>
	Nov. 1 to Dec. 31.	1 hatchery trout or 1 hatchery steelhead** 1 salmon
(K) Sacramento River from the Hwy 113 bridge near Knights Landing to the Carquinez Bridge (includes Suisun Bay, Grizzly Bay and all tributary sloughs).	Jan. 1 through Dec. 31.	1 hatchery trout or 1 hatchery steelhead** 0 salmon

Subsection 7.50(b)(168.5), Title 14, CCR, is amended to read:

<i>Body of Water</i>	<i>Open Season and Special Regulations</i>	<i>Daily Bag and Possession Limit</i>
(168.5) San Joaquin River. (Fresno, Madera, Merced, San Joaquin, and Stanislaus Cos.).		
(A) From Friant Dam downstream to the Highway 140 bridge.	All year.	5 trout <del>0 salmon</del> <u>Closed to salmon fishing.</u> <u>No take or possession of salmon.</u>
(B) From the Highway 140 bridge downstream to the <del>Highway 132 bridge</del> Interstate 5 bridge at Mossdale.	<del>Jan. 1 through Oct. 31.</del> All year.	0 trout <del>0 salmon</del> <u>Closed to salmon fishing.</u> <u>No take or possession of salmon.</u>

	Nov. 1 through Dec. 31.	0 trout 0 salmon
(C) From the Highway 132 bridge downstream to the Interstate 5 bridge at Mossdale.	Jan 1 through October 31.	0 trout 0 salmon
	Nov. 1 through Dec. 31.	0 trout 0 salmon

Subsection 7.50(b)(186), Title 14, CCR, is amended to read:

<i>Body of Water</i>	<i>Open Season and Special Regulations</i>	<i>Daily Bag and Possession Limit</i>
(186) Stanislaus River (Calaveras, San Joaquin, Stanislaus and Tuolumne Cos.).		
(A) From Goodwin Dam downstream to the Highway 120 bridge in Oakdale.	Jan. 1 through Oct. 31. Only artificial lures with barbless hooks may be used.	0 trout <del>0 salmon</del> <u>Closed to salmon fishing.</u> <u>No take or possession of salmon.</u>
(B) From the Highway 120 bridge in Oakdale to the mouth.	Jan. 1 through Oct. 31. Bait may be used from Jan. 1 through Oct. 31. However, from April 1 through the Friday preceding the fourth Saturday in May, bait may be used only with single hooks having a gap between 1/2 and 1 inch, or with multiple hooks having a gap between 1/4 and 1/2 inch.	0 trout <del>0 salmon</del> <u>Closed to salmon fishing.</u> <u>No take or possession of salmon.</u>

Subsection 7.50(b)(198), Title 14, CCR, is amended to read:

<i>Body of Water</i>	<i>Open Season and Special Regulations</i>	<i>Daily Bag and Possession Limit</i>
(198) Tuolumne River (Stanislaus and Tuolumne Cos.).		
(A) From O'Shaughnessy Dam (Hetch Hetchy Reservoir) downstream to Early Intake Dam.	Last Saturday in April through Nov. 15. Maximum size limit: 12 inches total length. Only artificial lures with barbless hooks may be used.	2
	Nov. 16 through the Friday preceding the last Saturday in Apr. Only artificial lures with barbless hooks may be	0

	used.	
(B) From Early Intake Dam downstream to Lumsden Bridge	Last Saturday in April through Nov. 15.	5
	Nov. 16 through the Friday preceding the last Saturday in Apr. Only artificial lures with barbless hooks may be used.	0
(C) From Lumsden Bridge downstream to Clavey River Falls.	Last Saturday in Apr. through Nov. 15. Maximum size limit: 12 inches total length Only artificial lures with barbless hooks may be used	2
	Nov. 16 through the Friday preceding the last Saturday in Apr. Only artificial lures with barbless hooks may be used.	0
(D) From La Grange Dam downstream to Hickman bridge.	Jan. 1 through Oct. 31. Only artificial lures with barbless hooks may be used.	0 <u>trout or steelhead</u> <u>Closed to salmon fishing.</u> <u>No take or possession of salmon.</u>
(E) From Hickman bridge to the mouth.	Jan. 1 through Oct. 31. Bait may be used from Jan. 1 through Oct. 31. However, from April 1 through the Friday preceding the fourth Saturday in May, bait may be used only with single hooks having a gap between 1/2 and 1 inch, or with multiple hooks having a gap between 1/4 and 1/2 inch.	0 trout <del>0 salmon</del> <u>Closed to salmon fishing.</u> <u>No take or possession of salmon.</u>

Subsection 7.50(b)(212), Title 14, CCR, is amended to read:

<i>Body of Water</i>	<i>Open Season and Special Regulations</i>	<i>Daily Bag and Possession Limit</i>
(212) Yuba River (Yuba and Nevada Cos.) from mouth to Englebright Dam.		
(A) From mouth to <del>Daguerre Point Dam</del> <u>the Highway 20 bridge.</u>	<del>Jan. 1 through the last day in Feb. All year.</del> Only artificial lures with	1 hatchery trout or 1 hatchery steelhead**

	barbless hooks may be used.	0 salmon <u>Closed to salmon fishing.</u> <u>No take or possession of salmon.</u>
	Mar. 1 through July 31. Only artificial lures with barbless hooks may be used.	1 hatchery trout or 1 hatchery steelhead** 0 salmon
	Aug. 1 through Oct. 15. Only artificial lures with barbless hooks may be used.	1 hatchery trout or 1 hatchery steelhead** 0 salmon
	Oct. 16 through Dec. 31. Only artificial lures with barbless hooks may be used.	1 hatchery trout or 1 hatchery steelhead** 0 salmon
(B) From Daguerre Point Dam to Highway 20 Bridge.	All year. Only artificial lures with barbless hooks may be used.	1 hatchery trout or 1 hatchery steelhead** 0 salmon
(C) (B) From Highway 20 bridge to Englebright Dam.	Dec. 1 through Aug. 31. Only artificial lures with barbless hooks may be used.	0 1 hatchery trout or 1 hatchery steelhead** <u>Closed to salmon fishing.</u> <u>No take or possession of salmon.</u>

\*\* Hatchery trout or steelhead are those showing a healed adipose fin clip (adipose fin is absent). Unless otherwise provided, all other trout and steelhead must be immediately released. Wild trout or steelhead are those not showing a healed adipose fin clip.

NOTE:

Authority cited: Sections 200, 202, 205, 215, 220, 240, 315 and 316.5, Fish and Game Code. Reference: Sections 200, 202, 205, 215 and 316.5, Fish and Game Code.

**OPTION 2 – LIMITED FISHING IN SACRAMENTO, FEATHER OR AMERICAN RIVERS (IF SALMON ARE AVAILABLE FOR SPORT HARVEST) AND NO SALMON FISHING IN ALL OTHER ANADROMOUS WATERS**

Subsection 7.00(b)(1), Title 14, CCR, is amended to read:

<i>District/Water</i>	<i>Open Season</i>	<i>Daily Bag and Possession Limit</i>
(1) Anadromous waters of Tehama and Shasta counties not listed in the Special Regulations. (Section 7.50). (See	Last Saturday in Apr. through Nov. 15. Only	0 <u>trout</u> or <u>steelhead</u>

subsection (b)(156) of Section 7.50, regarding the Sacramento River.)	artificial lures and barbless hooks may be used.	<u>Closed to salmon fishing.</u> <u>No take or possession of salmon.</u>
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Subsection 7.00(d)(2), Title 14, CCR, is amended to read:

<i>District/Water</i>	<i>Open Season</i>	<i>Daily Bag and Possession Limit</i>
(2) All anadromous waters except those listed by name in the Special Regulations (See definition of anadromous waters, Section 1.04).	All year.	<u>0 trout or steelhead</u> <u>Closed to salmon fishing.</u> <u>No take or possession of salmon.</u>

**NOTE:**

Authority cited: Sections 200, 202, 205, 220 and 240, Fish and Game Code. Reference: Sections 200, 205 and 206, Fish and Game Code.

Subsection 7.50(b)(5), Title 14, CCR, is amended to read:

<i>Body of Water</i>	<i>Open Season and Special Regulations</i>	<i>Daily Bag and Possession Limit</i>
(5) American River (Sacramento Co.)		
(A) From Nimbus Dam to the Hazel Avenue bridge piers.	All year	1 hatchery trout or 1 hatchery steelhead** <del>0 salmon</del> <u>Closed to salmon fishing.</u> <u>No take or possession of salmon.</u>
(B) From Hazel Avenue bridge piers to the U.S. Geological Survey gauging station cable crossing about 300 yards downstream from the Nimbus Hatchery fish rack site.	Jan. 1 through Sept. 14. Only barbless hooks may be used.	1 hatchery trout or 1 hatchery steelhead** <del>0 salmon</del> <u>Closed to salmon fishing.</u> <u>No take or possession of salmon.</u>
(C) From the U.S. Geological Survey gauging station cable crossing about 300 yards downstream from the Nimbus Hatchery fish rack site to the SMUD power line crossing at the southwest boundary of Ancil Hoffman Park.	Jan. 1 through Oct. 31. Only barbless hooks may be used.	1 hatchery trout or 1 hatchery steelhead** <del>0 salmon</del> <u>Closed to salmon fishing.</u> <u>No take or</u>

		<u>possession of salmon.</u>
(D) From the SMUD power line crossing at the southwest boundary of Ancil Hoffman Park downstream to the <del>Jibboom Street Bridge</del> <u>mouth.</u>	<u>All year</u> <u>Jan. 1 through July 15.</u>	1 hatchery trout or 1 hatchery steelhead** <u>0 salmon</u> <u>Closed to salmon fishing.</u> <u>No take or possession of salmon.</u>
	<u>[Varied dates between July 16 through Dec. 31.]</u>	1 hatchery trout or 1 hatchery steelhead** <u>[1 or 2 salmon]</u>
<del>(E) From the Jibboom Street Bridge to the mouth.</del>	<del>July 16 through Dec. 31.</del>	<del>1 hatchery trout or 1 hatchery steelhead**</del> <del>0 salmon</del>
	<del>Jan. 1 through July 15.</del>	<del>1 hatchery trout or 1 hatchery steelhead**</del> <del>0 salmon</del>

Subsection 7.50(b)(6), Title 14, CCR, is amended to read:

<i>Body of Water</i>	<i>Open Season and Special Regulations</i>	<i>Daily Bag and Possession Limit</i>
(6) Antelope Creek (Tehama Co.).		
(A) From confluence with North Fork downstream to U.S. Geological Survey gauging station cable crossing at mouth of Antelope Creek Canyon.	Last Saturday in April through Nov. 15. Only artificial lures with barbless hooks may be used.	0 <u>trout or steelhead</u> <u>Closed to salmon fishing.</u> <u>No take or possession of salmon.</u>
(B) From U.S. Geological Survey gauging station cable crossing at mouth of Antelope Creek Canyon downstream to mouth of Antelope Creek.	June 16 through September 30.	0 <u>trout or steelhead</u> <u>Closed to salmon fishing.</u> <u>No take or possession of salmon.</u>

Subsection 7.50(b)(12.5), Title 14, CCR, is amended to read:

<i>Body of Water</i>	<i>Open Season and Special Regulations</i>	<i>Daily Bag and Possession Limit</i>
(12.5) Auburn Ravine Creek and tributaries (Placer Co.) east of Nelson Lane.	Fourth Saturday in May through Oct. 14.	0 trout <u>0 salmon</u> <u>Closed to salmon</u>



		fishing. No take or possession of salmon.
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Subsection 7.50(b)(14), Title 14, CCR, is amended to read:

<i>Body of Water</i>	<i>Open Season and Special Regulations</i>	<i>Daily Bag and Possession Limit</i>
(14) Battle Creek (Shasta and Tehama Cos.).		
(A) From mouth to Coleman Fish Hatchery weir.	Closed to all fishing all year.	
(B) From 250 feet upstream from the Coleman National Fish Hatchery upstream to Angel Falls (near Mineral) on the South Fork and to Ponderosa Way Bridge on the North Fork.	Last Saturday in Apr. through Nov. 15. Only artificial lures with barbless hooks may be used.	0 <u>trout or steelhead</u> Closed to salmon fishing. No take or possession of salmon.

Subsection 7.50(b)(18.5), Title 14, CCR, is amended to read:

<i>Body of Water</i>	<i>Open Season and Special Regulations</i>	<i>Daily Bag and Possession Limit</i>
(18.5) Bear River and tributaries (Placer Co.)		
(A) <del>Bear River from</del> From Highway 20 south (downstream) 2.5 miles to the abandoned concrete dam (the Boardman Diversion Dam).	Last Saturday in Apr. through Nov. 15. Maximum size limit: 14 inches total length.	5 per day 10 in possession
(B) <del>Bear River and tributaries from</del> From Highway 65 to the South Sutter Irrigation District Diversion Dam.	Fourth Saturday in May through Oct. 14	0 trout <del>0 salmon</del> Closed to salmon fishing. No take or possession of salmon.

Subsection 7.50(b)(20), Title 14, CCR, is amended to read:

<i>Body of Water</i>	<i>Open Season and Special Regulations</i>	<i>Daily Bag and Possession Limit</i>
(20) Big Chico Creek (Butte Co.).		
(A) From mouth to Bear Hole, located approximately one mile downstream from the upper end of Bidwell Park	June 16 through Oct. 15.	0 <u>trout or steelhead</u> Closed to salmon fishing. No take or possession of salmon.

	Oct. 16 through Feb. 15. Only artificial lures with barbless hooks may be used.	0 trout or <u>steelhead</u> <u>Closed to salmon fishing.</u> <u>No take or possession of salmon.</u>
(B) From Bear Hole to the upper boundary of the Big Chico Creek Ecological Reserve	Nov. 1 through Apr. 30. Only artificial lures with barbless hooks may be used.	0 trout or <u>steelhead</u> <u>Closed to salmon fishing.</u> <u>No take or possession of salmon.</u>
(C) From the upper boundary of the Big Chico Creek Ecological Reserve to Higgins Hole Falls, located about one-half mile upstream from Ponderosa Way.	Closed to all fishing all year.	

Subsection 7.50(b)(32), Title 14, CCR, is amended to read:

<i>Body of Water</i>	<i>Open Season and Special Regulations</i>	<i>Daily Bag and Possession Limit</i>
(32) Butte Creek (Butte and Sutter Cos.).		
(A) <del>Butte Creek (Butte Co.) from</del> From the Oro-Chico Road bridge crossing south of Chico to the Centerville Head Dam, located 300 yards downstream from the DeSabra Powerhouse below DeSabra Reservoir.	November 15 through February 15. Only artificial lures with barbless hooks may be used.	0 trout <del>0 salmon</del> <u>Closed to salmon fishing.</u> <u>No take or possession of salmon.</u>
(B) <del>Butte Creek (Butte and Sutter Cos.) from</del> From the Oro-Chico Road bridge crossing south of Chico to the point that Butte Creek enters the Sacramento River both via Butte Slough outfall gates at Moon's Bend and through Butte Slough, thence both the East and West Canals of the Sutter Bypass, thence Sacramento Slough.	Closed to trout and salmon fishing all year. Open all year to fishing for other species.	

Subsection 7.50(b)(43.5), Title 14, CCR, is amended to read:

<i>Body of Water</i>	<i>Open Season and Special Regulations</i>	<i>Daily Bag and Possession Limit</i>
(43.5) Coon Creek and tributaries (Placer Co.) east of Highway 65.	Fourth Saturday in May through Oct. 14	0 trout <del>0 salmon</del> <u>Closed to salmon fishing.</u> <u>No take or possession of salmon.</u>

Subsection 7.50(b)(56), Title 14, CCR, is amended to read:

<i>Body of Water</i>	<i>Open Season and</i>	<i>Daily Bag and</i>
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	<i>Special Regulations</i>	<i>Possession Limit</i>
(56) Deer Creek (Tehama Co.).		
(A) From 250 feet below Upper Deer Creek Falls and fishway (located 1.5 miles upstream from Potato Patch Campground) downstream 31 miles to U.S. Geological Survey gauging station cable crossing at mouth of Deer Creek Canyon (see Section 2.35 for closure at Upper Deer Creek Falls).	Last Saturday in April through Nov. 15. Only artificial lures with barbless hooks may be used.	0 trout or steelhead <u>Closed to salmon fishing.</u> <u>No take or possession of salmon.</u>
(B) From U.S. Geological Survey gauging station cable crossing at mouth of Deer Creek Canyon downstream to mouth of Deer Creek.	June 16 through Sept. 30.	0 trout or steelhead <u>Closed to salmon fishing.</u> <u>No take or possession of salmon.</u>

Subsection 7.50(b)(59.5), Title 14, CCR, is amended to read:

<i>Body of Water</i>	<i>Open Season and Special Regulations</i>	<i>Daily Bag and Possession Limit</i>
(59.5) Dry Creek and tributaries (Placer Co.) east of the Atkinson Street Bridge in Roseville.	Fourth Saturday in May through Oct. 14	0 trout <del>0 salmon</del> <u>Closed to salmon fishing.</u> <u>No take or possession of salmon.</u>

Subsection 7.50(b)(60), Title 14, CCR, is amended to read:

<i>Body of Water</i>	<i>Open Season and Special Regulations</i>	<i>Daily Bag and Possession Limit</i>
(60) Dry Creek (Yuba and Nevada Co.) from mouth to Sid Smith Dam about one mile above junction of Scott Forbes and Peoria roads.	Fourth Saturday in May through Oct. 15.	0 trout or steelhead <u>Closed to salmon fishing.</u> <u>No take or possession of salmon.</u>

Subsection 7.50(b)(68), Title 14, CCR, is amended to read:

<i>Body of Water</i>	<i>Open Season and Special Regulations</i>	<i>Daily Bag and Possession Limit</i>
(68) Feather River below Oroville Dam (Butte, Sutter and Yuba Cos.).		
(A) <u>From</u> Fish Barrier Dam to Table Mountain bicycle bridge in Oroville.	Closed to all fishing all year.	
(B) Table Mountain bicycle bridge to Highway 70 bridge.	Jan. 1 through July 15. Only barbless hooks may be used.	1 hatchery trout or 1 hatchery steelhead**

		<del>0</del> salmon <u>Closed to salmon fishing.</u> <u>No take or possession of salmon.</u>
(C) <u>From Highway 70 bridge to Sunset Pumps (approx. 5 miles downstream of the town of Live Oak) the Highway 20 bridge.</u>	Jan. 1 through <del>the last day in Feb</del> <u>July 15.</u>	1 hatchery trout or 1 hatchery steelhead** <del>0</del> salmon <u>Closed to salmon fishing.</u> <u>No take or possession of salmon.</u>
	<del>Mar. 1 through July 15.</del> <u>[Varied dates between July 16 through Dec. 31.]</u>	1 hatchery trout or 1 hatchery steelhead** <del>0</del> salmon 4 <u>[1 or 2]</u> salmon
	<del>July 16 through Sep. 30.</del>	1 hatchery trout or 1 hatchery steelhead** <del>0</del> salmon
	<del>Oct. 1 through Dec. 31.</del>	1 hatchery trout or 1 hatchery steelhead** <del>0</del> salmon
(D) <u>Sunset Pumps (approx. 5 miles downstream of the town of Live Oak) to Highway 20 bridge.</u>	<del>Mar. 1 through July 15.</del>	1 hatchery trout or 1 hatchery steelhead** <del>0</del> salmon
	<del>July 16 through the last day in Feb.</del>	1 hatchery trout or 1 hatchery steelhead** <del>0</del> salmon
(E) <u>(D) From Highway 20 bridge to Feather River the mouth.</u>	<del>Mar. 1</del> <u>Jan. 1</u> through July 15.	1 hatchery trout or 1 hatchery steelhead** <del>0</del> salmon <u>Closed to salmon fishing.</u> <u>No take or possession of salmon.</u>
	<del>July 16 through the last day in Feb.</del> <u>[Varied dates between July 16 through Dec. 31.]</u>	1 hatchery trout or 1 hatchery steelhead** <del>0</del> <u>[1 or 2]</u> salmon

Subsection 7.50(b)(118), Title 14, CCR, is amended to read:

<i>Body of Water</i>	<i>Open Season and Special Regulations</i>	<i>Daily Bag and Possession Limit</i>
(118) Merced River (Merced Co.).		
(A) From Crocker-Huffman Dam downstream to the Schaffer bridge on Oakdale Road.	Jan. 1 through Oct. 31. Only artificial lures with barbless hooks may be used.	0 trout <del>0 salmon</del> <u>Closed to salmon fishing.</u> <u>No take or possession of salmon.</u>
(B) From the Schaffer bridge on Oakdale Road downstream to the mouth.	Jan. 1 through Oct. 31. Bait may be used from Jan. 1 through Oct. 31. However, from April 1 through the Friday preceding the fourth Saturday in May, bait may be used only with single hooks having a gap between 1/2 and 1 inch, or with multiple hooks having a gap between 1/4 and 1/2 inch.	0 trout <del>0 salmon</del> <u>Closed to salmon fishing.</u> <u>No take or possession of salmon.</u>

Subsection 7.50(b)(119), Title 14, CCR, is amended to read:

<i>Body of Water</i>	<i>Open Season and Special Regulations</i>	<i>Daily Bag and Possession Limit</i>
(119) Mill Creek (Tehama Co.).		
(A) From the Lassen National Park boundary downstream to the U.S. Geological Survey gauging station cable crossing at the mouth of Mill Creek Canyon.	Last Saturday in April through Nov. 15. Only artificial lures with barbless hooks may be used.	0 trout or steelhead <u>Closed to salmon fishing.</u> <u>No take or possession of salmon.</u>
(B) From U.S. Geological Survey gauging station cable crossing at mouth of Mill Creek Canyon downstream to the mouth of Mill Creek.	June 16 through Sept. 30.	0 trout or steelhead <u>Closed to salmon fishing.</u> <u>No take or possession of salmon.</u>

Subsection 7.50(b)(124), Title 14, CCR, is amended to read:

<i>Body of Water</i>	<i>Open Season and Special Regulations</i>	<i>Daily Bag and Possession Limit</i>
(124) Mokelumne River (San Joaquin Co.).		
(A) From mouth to Peltier Road.	All year.	1 hatchery trout

		or 1 hatchery steelhead** <del>0 salmon</del> <u>Closed to salmon fishing.</u> <u>No take or possession of salmon.</u>
(B) From Peltier Road to Camanche Dam including Lodi Lake.	Jan. 1 through Mar. 31.	1 hatchery trout or 1 hatchery steelhead** <del>0 salmon</del> <u>Closed to salmon fishing.</u> <u>No take or possession of salmon.</u>
	Fourth Saturday in May through Oct. 15.	1 hatchery trout or 1 hatchery steelhead** <del>0 salmon</del> <u>Closed to salmon fishing.</u> <u>No take or possession of salmon.</u>
(C) Between the Woodbridge vehicle bridge and the Woodbridge Irrigation District Dam.	Closed to all fishing all year.	

Subsection 7.50(b)(129), Title 14, CCR, is amended to read:

<i>Body of Water</i>	<i>Open Season and Special Regulations</i>	<i>Daily Bag and Possession Limit</i>
(129) Napa River and tributaries (Napa Co.). Also see Section 8.00(c).		
(A) Main stem above the Oakville Cross Road Bridge near Yountville and all Napa River tributaries.	Closed to all fishing all year.	
(B) <del>Main stem from</del> <u>From</u> the Oakville Cross Road Bridge near Yountville to the Trancas Bridge. Note: The Napa River below the Trancas Bridge is tidewater, and is regulated by regulations for the Ocean and San Francisco Bay District (see Sections 1.53 and 27.00).	Fourth Saturday in May through Mar. 31. Only artificial lures with barbless hooks may be used from the fourth Saturday in May through Oct. 31. Only barbless hooks may be used from Nov. 1 through Mar. 31.	1 hatchery trout or 1 hatchery steelhead** <del>0 salmon</del> <u>Closed to salmon fishing.</u> <u>No take or possession of salmon.</u>

Subsection 7.50(b)(156), Title 14, CCR, is amended to read:

<i>Body of Water</i>	<i>Open Season and Special Regulations</i>	<i>Daily Bag and Possession Limit</i>
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(156) Sacramento River main stem and Sacramento River tributaries (Butte, Colusa, Contra Costa, Glenn, Sacramento, Shasta, Siskiyou, Solano, Sutter, Tehama and Yolo Cos.).	Also see Sierra District General Regulations (See Section 7.00(b)).	
(A) Sacramento River and tributaries from Box Canyon Dam downstream to the Scarlett Way bridge in Dunsmuir.	<del>Open</del> All year. Only artificial lures with barbless hooks may be used.	0
(B) Sacramento River and tributaries excluding Soda Creek from Scarlett Way bridge downstream to the county bridge at Sweetbriar (See Soda Creek 7.50(b)(180.5)).	Last Saturday in Apr. through Nov. 15.	5 per day 10 in possession
(C) Sacramento River mainstem (excluding all tributaries) from the Scarlett Way bridge downstream to the county bridge at Sweetbriar.	Nov. 16 through the Friday preceding the last Sat. in Apr. Only artificial lures with barbless hooks may be used.	0
(D) Sacramento River and tributaries excluding Castle Creek from the county bridge at Sweetbriar downstream to Shasta Lake (See Castle Creek 7.50(b)(39.3)).	Last Saturday in Apr. through Nov. 15. Only artificial lures with barbless hooks may be used.	2
(E) Sacramento River mainstem (excluding <u>all</u> tributaries) from the county bridge at Sweetbriar downstream to Shasta Lake.	Nov. 16 through the Friday preceding the last Sat. in Apr. Only artificial lures with barbless hooks may be used.	0
(F) Sacramento River from Keswick Dam to 650 feet below Keswick Dam.	Closed to all fishing all year.	
(G) Sacramento River from 650 feet below Keswick Dam to the Deschutes Road bridge.	All year. Trout maximum size limit: 16 inches. Only barbless hooks may be used.	1 trout <del>0 salmon</del> <u>Closed to salmon fishing.</u> <u>No take or possession of salmon.</u>
(H) Sacramento River from the Deschutes Road Bridge to 500 feet upstream from Red Bluff Diversion Dam.	Jan. 1 through Mar. 31.	1 hatchery trout or 1 hatchery steelhead** <del>0 salmon</del> <u>Closed to salmon fishing.</u> <u>No take or possession of salmon.</u>
	Apr. 1 through Aug 30.	1 hatchery trout or 1 hatchery steelhead** and 1 wild trout ** <del>0 salmon</del> <u>Closed to salmon</u>

		<u>fishing.</u> <u>No take or possession of salmon.</u>
	Aug. 31 through Dec 31.	1 hatchery trout or 1 hatchery steelhead** <del>0 salmon</del> <u>Closed to salmon fishing.</u> <u>No take or possession of salmon.</u>
(I) Sacramento River from 500 feet upstream from Red Bluff Diversion Dam to 150 feet below the Lower Red Bluff (Sycamore) Boat Ramp.	Closed to all fishing all year.	
(J) Sacramento River from 150 feet below the Lower Red Bluff (Sycamore) Boat Ramp to the Hwy 113 bridge near Knights Landing.	Jan. 1 to <del>Oct. 31.</del> <u>July 15.</u>	1 hatchery trout or 1 hatchery steelhead** <del>0 salmon</del> <u>Closed to salmon fishing.</u> <u>No take or possession of salmon.</u>
	<del>Nov. 1 to Dec. 31.</del> [Varied dates between <u>July 16 through Dec. 31.</u> ]	1 hatchery trout or 1 hatchery steelhead** 4 [1 or 2] salmon
(K) Sacramento River from the Hwy 113 bridge near Knights Landing to the Carquinez Bridge (includes Suisun Bay, Grizzly Bay and all tributary sloughs).	Jan. 1 through <del>Dec. 31.</del> <u>July 15.</u>	1 hatchery trout or 1 hatchery steelhead** <del>0 salmon</del> <u>Closed to salmon fishing.</u> <u>No take or possession of salmon.</u>
	[Varied dates between <u>July 16 through Dec. 31.</u> ]	<u>1 hatchery trout or 1 hatchery steelhead**</u> <u>[1 or 2] salmon</u>

Subsection 7.50(b)(168.5), Title 14, CCR, is amended to read:

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(168.5) San Joaquin River. (Fresno, Madera, Merced, San Joaquin, and Stanislaus Cos.).		
(A) From Friant Dam downstream to the Highway 140 bridge.	All year.	5 trout <del>0 salmon</del>



		<u>Closed to salmon fishing.</u> <u>No take or possession of salmon.</u>
(B) From the Highway 140 bridge downstream to the Highway 132 bridge Interstate 5 bridge at Mossdale.	<del>Jan. 1 through Oct. 31.</del> All year.	0 trout <del>0 salmon</del> <u>Closed to salmon fishing.</u> <u>No take or possession of salmon.</u>
	Nov. 1 through Dec. 31.	0 trout 0 salmon
(C) From the Highway 132 bridge downstream to the Interstate 5 bridge at Mossdale.	Jan 1 through October 31.	0 trout 0 salmon
	Nov. 1 through Dec. 31.	0 trout 0 salmon

Subsection 7.50(b)(186), Title 14, CCR, is amended to read:

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(186) Stanislaus River (Calaveras, San Joaquin, Stanislaus and Tuolumne Cos.).		
(A) From Goodwin Dam downstream to the Highway 120 bridge in Oakdale.	Jan. 1 through Oct. 31. Only artificial lures with barbless hooks may be used.	0 trout <del>0 salmon</del> <u>Closed to salmon fishing.</u> <u>No take or possession of salmon.</u>
(B) From the Highway 120 bridge in Oakdale to the mouth.	Jan. 1 through Oct. 31. Bait may be used from Jan. 1 through Oct. 31. However, from April 1 through the Friday preceding the fourth Saturday in May, bait may be used only with single hooks having a gap between 1/2 and 1 inch, or with multiple hooks having a gap between 1/4 and 1/2 inch.	0 trout <del>0 salmon</del> <u>Closed to salmon fishing.</u> <u>No take or possession of salmon.</u>

Subsection 7.50(b)(198), Title 14, CCR, is amended to read:

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(198) Tuolumne River (Stanislaus and Tuolumne Cos.).		

(A) From O'Shaughnessy Dam (Hetch Hetchy Reservoir) downstream to Early Intake Dam.	Last Saturday in April through Nov. 15. Maximum size limit: 12 inches total length. Only artificial lures with barbless hooks may be used.	2
	Nov. 16 through the Friday preceding the last Saturday in Apr. Only artificial lures with barbless hooks may be used.	0
(B) From Early Intake Dam downstream to Lumsden Bridge	Last Saturday in April through Nov. 15.	5
	Nov. 16 through the Friday preceding the last Saturday in Apr. Only artificial lures with barbless hooks may be used.	0
(C) From Lumsden Bridge downstream to Clavey River Falls.	Last Saturday in Apr. through Nov. 15. Maximum size limit: 12 inches total length Only artificial lures with barbless hooks may be used	2
	Nov. 16 through the Friday preceding the last Saturday in Apr. Only artificial lures with barbless hooks may be used.	0
(D) From La Grange Dam downstream to Hickman bridge.	Jan. 1 through Oct. 31. Only artificial lures with barbless hooks may be used.	0 <u>trout or steelhead</u> <u>Closed to salmon fishing.</u> <u>No take or possession of salmon.</u>

(E) From Hickman bridge to the mouth.	Jan. 1 through Oct. 31. Bait may be used from Jan. 1 through Oct. 31. However, from April 1 through the Friday preceding the fourth Saturday in May, bait may be used only with single hooks having a gap between 1/2 and 1 inch, or with multiple hooks having a gap between 1/4 and 1/2 inch.	0 trout <del>0 salmon</del> <u>Closed to salmon fishing.</u> <u>No take or possession of salmon.</u>
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Subsection 7.50(b)(212), Title 14, CCR, is amended to read:

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(212) Yuba River (Yuba and Nevada Cos.) from mouth to Englebright Dam.		
(A) From mouth to <del>Daguerre Point Dam</del> <u>the Highway 20 bridge.</u>	<del>Jan. 1 through the last day in Feb. All year.</del> Only artificial lures with barbless hooks may be used.	1 hatchery trout or 1 hatchery steelhead** <del>0 salmon</del> <u>Closed to salmon fishing.</u> <u>No take or possession of salmon.</u>
	<del>Mar. 1 through July 31.</del> Only artificial lures with barbless hooks may be used.	1 hatchery trout or 1 hatchery steelhead** <del>0 salmon</del>
	<del>Aug. 1 through Oct. 15.</del> Only artificial lures with barbless hooks may be used.	1 hatchery trout or 1 hatchery steelhead** <del>0 salmon</del>
	<del>Oct. 16 through Dec. 31.</del> Only artificial lures with barbless hooks may be used.	1 hatchery trout or 1 hatchery steelhead** <del>0 salmon</del>
(B) From <del>Daguerre Point Dam</del> to Highway 20 Bridge.	All year. Only artificial lures with barbless hooks may be used.	1 hatchery trout or 1 hatchery steelhead** <del>0 salmon</del>
<del>(C)</del> (B) From Highway 20 bridge to Englebright Dam.	Dec. 1 through Aug. 31. Only artificial lures with barbless hooks may be used.	<del>0</del> 1 hatchery trout or 1 hatchery steelhead** <u>Closed to salmon fishing.</u> <u>No take or possession of</u>

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\*\* Hatchery trout or steelhead are those showing a healed adipose fin clip (adipose fin is absent). Unless otherwise provided, all other trout and steelhead must be immediately released. Wild trout or steelhead are those not showing a healed adipose fin clip.

NOTE:

Authority cited: Sections 200, 202, 205, 215, 220, 240, 315 and 316.5, Fish and Game Code. Reference: Sections 200, 202, 205, 215 and 316.5, Fish and Game Code.