

GOVERNMENT OF ZAMBIA

STATUTORY INSTRUMENT NO. 109 of 2020

The Fisheries Act, 2011
(Act No. 22 of 2011)

The Fisheries (Amendment) Regulations, 2020

IN EXERCISE of the powers contained in sections 14 and 41 of the Service Commissions Act, the following Regulations are made:

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| 1. These Regulations may be cited as the Fisheries (Amendment) Regulations, 2020, and shall be read as one with the Fisheries Regulations, 2012, in these Regulations referred to as the principal Regulations. | Title
S.I. No. 24
of 2012 |
| 2. Regulation 5 of the principal Regulations is amended by the deletion of sub regulation (1) and the substitution therefor of the following:(1)A person shall not use for fishing, without the approval of the Director, in a commercial fishing area set out in the First Schedule, any of the nets specified in the second column of that Schedule. | Amendment
of regulation
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| 3. The principal Regulations are amended by the revocation of regulation 6 and the substitution therefor of the following: | Revocation
and
replacement
of regulation
6 |
| 6. A person shall not, without the approval of the Director—

(a) introduce fishing gear or equipment in a commercial fishing area for the purpose of fishing; and

(b) construct an industrial fishing vessel for the purpose of fishing <i>kapenta</i> . | Restricted
fishing
equipment |

Amendment
of First
Schedule

4. The First Schedule to the principal Regulations is amended in item A—

(a) by the deletion of the headings in column 2 and 3 and the substitution therefor of the heading in column 2 “*Specified Nets*” and in column 3 “*Extent of Area of Restriction*” respectively; and

(b) under Lake Tanganyika Commercial Fishing area by the deletion of the column on specific Nets and the substitution therefor of the column set out in the Appendix.

APPENDIX 1

(Regulation 4)

FIRST SCHEDULE

(Regulations 3, 4 and 5)

Specific Nets

Draw/seine net of any mesh size

Multi-filament net of a mesh less than 63 mm

Monofilament net of all mesh sizes

Kapenta nets of mesh size less than 10 mm

Bukabuka (*L. stappersii*) multi-filament drifting net of all sizes

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