

Minnesota Department of Natural Resources
APPLICATION AND DISABILITY PERMIT
TAKE BIG GAME, SMALL GAME, AND/OR ROUGH FISH WITH A CROSSBOW
(continuation from front)

III. PERMIT CONDITIONS:

1. Permittee must comply with all laws and rules relating to seasons, bag limits, transportation of archery, equipment, trespass, and all other applicable provisions.
2. Crossbows used for hunting under this permit must:
 - 1) Be fired from the shoulder.
 - 2) Deliver at least 42 foot-pounds of energy at a distance of 10 feet.
 - 3) Have a stock at least 30 inches long.
 - 4) Have a working safety, and
 - 5) Be used with arrows or bolts at least 10 inches long
 - 6) In addition, arrowheads used for hunting big game or turkey must be sharp, have a minimum of two metal cutting edges, be of barbless broadhead design, and must have a diameter of at least 7/8 inch.
3. Arrows or bolts used to take rough fish with a crossbow under this permit must be tethered or controlled by an attached line.
4. This permit also allows a person to hunt with a bow drawn, held, or released by a mechanical device.
5. Permit is valid for a period of two years, or is permanent, as indicated on the front of this application. This permit may be revoked, amended, suspended, or modified at any time for cause, including but not limited to: change in permit laws or rules; change in disability eligibility; or violation of hunting, trespass, or archery bow transportation laws.
6. Permit and valid license must be in possession while hunting or while taking rough fish with a crossbow.
7. Permit is valid only when fully completed, signed by the applicant, signed by a licensed physician, certified physician assistant, certified nurse practitioner acting under the direction of a licensed physician, or licensed chiropractor. The permit is not valid until it has been approved by the DNR Enforcement Division office closest to you home (they are listed below, and you will receive a permit card in the mail.
8. The completed and signed permit application must be mailed or faxed to the indicated DNR Enforcement office location nearest your home.

DNR Enforcement, Northeast Region
 1201 E. Hwy 2
 Grand Rapids, MN 55744
 Ph: 218-328-8802
 Fax: 218-327-4507

DNR Enforcement, Northwest Region
 2115 Birchmont Beach Rd N.E.
 Bemidji, MN 56601
 Ph: 218-308-2673
 Fax: 218-755-4066

DNR Enforcement, South Region
 21371 State Hwy 15
 New Ulm, MN 56073
 Ph: 507-359-6043
 Fax: 507-359-6018

DNR Enforcement, Central Region
 1200 Warner Rd.
 St. Paul, MN 55106
 Ph: 651-259-5882
 Fax: 651-772-7907

(Please allow 4 weeks for review and processing)

COPY DISTRIBUTION: Original - send to one of the DNR Enforcement offices listed above
Duplicate - make a copy for your records