

Department of Natural Resources

Chapters:

Adopted Expedited Emergency Game and Fish Rules:

6234

2015 BEAVER SEASON EXTENSION

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Please see the attachment for language of this expedited emergency game and fish rules package relating to extending the 2015 beaver season from May 1 through May 15, 2015.

1.1 **Department of Natural Resources**

1.2 **Adopted Expedited Emergency Game and Fish Rules: 2015 Beaver Season Extension**

1.3 **6234.1900 TAKING BEAVER.**

1.4 [For text of subps 1 and 2, see 39 SR 172]

1.5 Subp. 3. **Beaver season extension in North Zone.** Beaver may be taken and
1.6 possessed without limit from May 1 to May 15 under the following conditions in that
1.7 portion of the state described in part 6234.1000, subpart 3:

1.8 A. foothold traps must be set in at least eight inches of water;

1.9 B. body-gripping traps must be completely submerged as described in part
1.10 6234.0900, subpart 5. Body-gripping traps with a jaw opening greater than 7.5 inches
1.11 must be set with the trigger wires moved all the way to one side of the trap; and

1.12 C. snares must be set with stops affixed to the cable to ensure that the portion
1.13 of the snare that makes up the noose loop may not be less than four inches in diameter
1.14 when fully closed.

1.15 **EFFECTIVE PERIOD.** Minnesota Rules, part 6234.1900, subpart 3, expires December
1.16 31, 2015.