

7. Why is adherence to notice and hearing requirements contrary to the public interest and the immediate adoption of the rule is required?

Changes are needed to reflect the 2024 season dates.

8. Rule establishes or increases a fee? (See G.S. 12-3.1)

Yes

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Consultation not required. Cite authority:

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1 15A NCAC 10C .0307 is amended under temporary procedures with changes as follows:

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3 **15A NCAC 10C .0307 FLOUNDER**

4 *(a) The daily creel limit for flounder is one ~~four~~ fish.*

5 *(b) The minimum size limit is 15 inches.*

6 *(c) The season for taking and possessing flounder is September 1 ~~through~~ and 2; and September 14-7 and 8.*

7 ~~[Flounder shall not be taken or possessed.]~~

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9 *History Note: Authority G.S. 113-134; 113-292; 113-304; 113-305;*

10 *Eff. November 1, 2013;*

11 *Readopted Eff. October 1, 2021;*

12 *Temporary Amendment Eff. September 1, 2022;*

13 *Amended Eff. August 1, 2024; March 15, ~~2023~~, 2023;*

14 *Temporary Amendment Eff. August 8, 2024.*

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7. Why is adherence to notice and hearing requirements contrary to the public interest and the immediate adoption of the rule is required?

Changes are needed to reflect the new 2024-2025 season framework on this game land and update season dates in the 2024-2025 Regulations Digest.

8. Rule establishes or increases a fee? (See G.S. 12-3.1)

Yes

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1 15A NCAC 10D .0252 is amended under temporary procedures with changes as follows:

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3 **15A NCAC 10D .0252 NEEDMORE GAME LAND IN MACON AND SWAIN COUNTIES**

4 Needmore game land is a Seven Days per Week Area, in which the following applies:

5 (1) Horseback riding is prohibited except on designated trails May 16 through August 31, and all
6 horseback riding is prohibited from September 1 through May 15.

7 (2) On posted dove fields, dove hunting on the opening day of dove season is by permit only.

8 (3) ~~[No antlerless deer may be taken during the first open Saturday of the Deer With Visible Antlers~~
9 ~~season on Needmore Game Land.]~~ No antlerless deer shall be taken during the Deer With Visible
10 Antler season.

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12 *History Note: Authority G.S. 113-134; 113-264; 113-291.2; 113-291.5; 113-296; 113-305;*

13 *Eff. August 8, 2024; October 1, 2022; 2023;*

14 *Temporary Amendment Eff. August 8, 2024.*

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