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DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

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IRA S. LATIMER, Jr.  
Director

The Honorable John D. Rockefeller, IV  
Secretary of State  
State Capitol Building  
Charleston, West Virginia 25305

Dear Secretary Rockefeller:

Enclosed are two (2) copies of the West Virginia Administrative Regulations covering Rules and Regulations Governing Shoreline Camping on Government Owned Reservoir Areas in West Virginia, designated Series II of Chapter 20-1, replacing similar rules and regulations filed with your office in 1965.

I hereby certify that the attached rules and regulations are true and accurate copies of official rules and regulations adopted by the Department of Natural Resources.

Sincerely,

Ira S. Latimer, Jr.  
Director

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Enclosures  
cc: Mr. Charles W. Lewis

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WEST VIRGINIA ADMINISTRATIVE REGULATIONS  
Department of Natural Resources

Chapter 20 - 1  
Series II  
(1972)

Subject: Rules and Regulations Governing Shoreline Camping on  
Government Owned Reservoir Areas in West Virginia.

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Section 1. General

1.01. Use of Shoreline--The general public shall have access to and the use of the shoreline at all times.

1.02. Permits and Number of Days--All camping shall be by permit in designated areas and numbered sites and shall be limited to fourteen (14) day periods. All permits shall be filled out completely, retained at the campsite at all times, and posted fees shall be paid before occupying camping site. Permits are available on the area or at the wildlife manager's office.

1.03. Erection of Structures--The erection of structures other than cloth, fibrous or plastic tents is prohibited.

1.04. Signs--Signs other than those erected by authorized personnel are prohibited.

1.05. Campfires--Campfires are permitted but shall be contained, attended and controlled.

1.06. Cleanliness of Campsites--All campers shall keep their campsites clean and presentable at all times, and shall dispose of combustibles and refuse in accordance with instructions posted. Camps shall be completely razed and the sites clean before departure.

1.07. Abandonment of Personal Property--Abandonment of personal property on the lands or waters of the reservoir area is prohibited. Personal property shall not be left unattended by the permittee on the lands and waters of the reservoir, except in accordance with the regulations prescribed. The Department of Natural Resources assumes no responsibility for personal property and if such property is abandoned or left unattended by the permittee for a period in excess of forty-eight (48) hours, it shall be disposed of in the manner prescribed by law.

1.08. Removal or Alteration of Natural Features--Trees, shrubs, rocks or other natural features shall not be painted, whitewashed, cut, destroyed, removed or altered in any manner.

1.09. Loss or Damage to Equipment--The Department of Natural Resources shall not be responsible for loss or damage to equipment maintained in any campsite due to flooding or from any other cause.

1.10. Use of Roads and Trails--All roads and trails closed to motorized vehicle travel (including snowmobiles, all terrain vehicles, trail bikes, etc.) shall be closed with a sign, gate, cable or other obstruction and shall be designated on area maps. Maps shall be posted and may be obtained at manager's office in the headquarters area or at the district office.

1.11. Special Regulations--Applicable special regulations shall be posted on designated areas.