



FACT SHEET

WASHINGTON DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND WILDLIFE

600 Capitol Way North, Olympia, WA 98501-1091

Columbia River Compact/ Joint State Action Notice Washington Dept. of Fish and Wildlife

September 12, 2002

THE FOLLOWING COLUMBIA RIVER SEASONS WERE SET:

Non-Indian Commercial Salmon Fishery:

- DATES: Monday, September 16, 2002, 7:00 AM - 7:00 PM (12 hours)
Thursday, September 19, 2002, 7:00 AM - 7:00 PM (12 hours)
- AREA: Mouth upstream to Longview Bridge, Zones 1-3
- SANCTUARIES: Grays River, Elochoman A, and Abernathy Creek
- GEAR: 6" maximum mesh size restriction
- ALLOWABLE SALE: Salmon and sturgeon.
- MISCELLANEOUS The quick reporting rule is in effect for Washington buyers.
- REGULATIONS:

Quick Reporting Rule for Washington Buyers

WDFW has adopted rules that require commercial purchasers to report their landings by a specified time. This rule can be attached to any commercial season that is adopted, but is not in place unless specified. WDFW staff recommends that the "quick reporting required" clause be in place for this fishery. Washington buyers would be required to send a report of their landings to WDFW by 10AM on the day after the purchase date by either:

- a) FAX transmission to (360) 906-6776 or (360) 906-6777
- b) E-mail to crfishtickets@dfw.wa.gov
- c) Telephone to 1-866-791-1281

THE FOLLOWING COLUMBIA RIVER SEASONS WERE SET:

Treaty Indian Commercial Fishery:

DATES: Monday, September 16, 2002, 6:00 AM to Friday
September 20, 2002, 6:00 PM

AREA: All of Zone 6

SANCTUARIES: All standard sanctuaries remain in effect with the exception
of a small 150 ft sanctuary around Spring Creek Hatchery.

GEAR: 8"minimum mesh size restriction

ALLOWABLE
SALES: Salmon, Steelhead, Walleye, and Shad. Sturgeon between
4 and 5 feet may be retained for subsistence use.

MISCELLANEOUS Fish caught in the Klickitat River may be sold during open
commercial season.

REGULATIONS:

The next Compact Meeting has been scheduled for
September 18, 2002, 1:00 p.m. at

Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife
2501 SW First Avenue
Portland, Oregon 97207
