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GENERAL DUTIES

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1. A Fishery Overseer, when appointed, is authorized to exercise within the limits of his district magisterial powers and is vested *ex officio*, with the function of a Justice of the Peace for all the purposes of the Fisheries Act and the Regulations made under it.

2. Full particulars of every violation of the Fishery Laws and Regulations coming to the Overseer's knowledge, whether in his own District or that of any other Fishery Overseer, should be promptly reported to the Inspector, where there is a District Inspector, otherwise to the Department of Lands, Forests and Fisheries.

3. Every officer will be expected to assist and co-operate with anyone sent from the Department, in enforcing the Fishery Laws, either by making seizures of illegal nets or other apparatus, or otherwise.