

Regulations made under this section shall be uniform for each lake or equivalent in their effectiveness in the waters of each country as determined by the Commission. The Commission may from time to time make such regulations for each lake separately and may establish zones within a lake and make regulations for the various zones of that lake in accordance with differences in conditions. Regulations for a lake or for a zone within a lake shall be made with due regard to the necessary interdependence of such regulations with the regulations for other waters of the Great Lakes.

3. The Commission may make recommendations to the appropriate federal, provincial, state and local authorities regarding measures for dealing with such other factors affecting the Great Lakes fisheries, including silting and pollution, as are not included under section 2 of this Article.

4. The United States Section alone shall exercise all powers and functions of the Commission in matters relating to Lake Michigan having due regard to the necessary interdependence of regulations for that lake with those for the other lakes. The Commission shall likewise, with respect to the other lakes, have due regard to the regulations for and the conditions of Lake Michigan.

5. Regulations made by the Commission for United States waters, and by the United States Section for Lake Michigan, shall not become effective until approved by the President of the United States of America.

6. Regulations made by the Commission for Canadian waters shall not become effective until approved by the Governor General in Council.

ARTICLE V

1. The High Contracting Parties agree to provide for the enforcement, whether directly or through provincial and state governments or by both means, within their respective waters of the regulations made and approved under this Convention.

2. It is understood that in United States waters the regulations for each lake may be enforced in the first instance by the enforcement agencies of the states bordering thereon within their respective jurisdictions and in Canadian waters by the appropriate enforcement agencies in the Province of Ontario.

3. The Commission shall keep itself informed as to the effectiveness of enforcement, shall report to the High Contracting Parties with respect to any charges, allegations or conditions of unsatisfactory enforcement of which it is aware, and may recommend to the High Contracting Parties measures for the improvement of enforcement. Except as to Lake Michigan, upon the complaint of either National Section with respect to enforcement in any area of the waters of the other country the government of that country will take appropriate action to enforce the regulations for that area and will continue such action so long as it deems necessary.

ARTICLE VI

Nothing in this Convention shall be construed as preventing either of the High Contracting Parties, subject to their respective constitutional arrangements, or the Province of Ontario or any of the states of the United States of America bordering on the Great Lakes from making or enforcing such laws or regulations within their respective jurisdictions as will give further protection to the fisheries of the Great Lakes and as are not inconsistent with the provisions of this Convention or with the regulations made and approved thereunder.