

115-7-3. Fish; taking and use of bait fish or minnows. (a) Bait fish may be taken for noncommercial purposes by any of the following means:

- (1) A seine not longer than 15 feet and four feet deep with mesh not larger than 1/4 inch;
 - (2) a fish trap with mesh not larger than 1/4 inch and a throat not larger than one inch in diameter;
 - (3) a dip or cast net with mesh not larger than 3/8 inch; or
 - (4) a fishing line.
- (b) Each fish trap shall be tagged with the operator's name and address when the fish trap is in use.
- (c) Bait fish taken, except gizzard shad, shall not exceed 12 inches in total length.
- (d) The possession limit shall be 500 bait fish.
- (e) Wild-caught bait fish may be used as live bait only within the pool of a lake or impoundment where taken. If taken on a flowing stream or river, the wild-caught bait fish shall not be transported upstream across any dam or natural barrier.

This regulation shall be effective on and after January 1, 2012. (Authorized by and implementing K.S.A. 32-807; implementing K.S.A. 32-807 and K.S.A. 2008 Supp. 32-1002; effective Sept. 10, 1990; amended Nov. 20, 2009; amended P-_____.)