

GOVERNMENT OF GUAM  
Office of the Governor  
Agana, Guam

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 166-18

REGULATIONS AND LICENSES FOR HUNTING FRUIT BAT


WHEREAS, Section 12321, Government Code of Guam, in conjunction with Section 12007, Government Code of Guam, authorizes the Department of Agriculture, subject to the approval of the Director of Agriculture, to formulate regulations to implement or carry out the purposes of Article I, Chapter 4, Title XIII, Government Code of Guam, dealing with Game and Fish; and

WHEREAS, Section 12321, Government Code of Guam, authorizes the Director of Agriculture to regulate and license the hunting of fruit bat; and regulations are necessary to implement this activity; and


WHEREAS, the aforesaid Section 12007, Government Code of Guam, provides that such regulations shall be issued upon approval by the Governor and promulgation by executive order;

NOW, THEREFORE, by virtue of the foregoing, it is ordered that the attached Department of Agriculture Regulation No. 24 relating to regulations and licenses for hunting fruit bat is hereby approved and promulgated to be in effect this date.

Dated at Agana, Guam, this 7th day of October, 1966.

  
MANUEL F. L. GUERRERO  
Governor of Guam

COUNTERSIGNED:

  
DENVER DICKERSON  
Secretary of Guam

GOVERNMENT OF GUAM  
DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

REGULATION NO. 24

FALL 1966 REGULATION AND LICENSE FOR HUNTING FRUIT BAT

Pursuant to the authority vested in the Director of Agriculture by Sections 12321 and 12007, Government Code of Guam, the following regulations relating to licensing and hunting of fruit bats are hereby approved:

1. FRUIT BAT HUNTING SEASON. Fruit bats will be opened to hunting from Saturday, November 26, through Saturday, December 25, 1966, inclusive.

2. BAG LIMIT. Only four (4) fruit bats per day may be taken.

3. LAWFUL HUNTING ARMS, DEVICES, OR METHODS. Fruit bats shall not be hunted, pursued, taken, wounded, killed, or shot with any firearm, device, or method other than a shotgun, or bow and arrow.

4. COLONY OR ROOST CLOSED TO HUNTING. Firing any gun or bow and arrow at a fruit bat colony or roosting area, or within 100 yards of such areas is prohibited. A fruit bat colony or roosting area is a gathering or collection of fruit bats numbering 20 or more flying or roosting within an area the size of 10,000 square feet (100 feet long by 100 feet wide).

5. LEGAL SHOOTING TIME. It shall be legal to hunt fruit bats from one-half hour before sunrise to one-half hour after sunset.

6. HUNTING LICENSE REQUIRED. It shall be unlawful for any person to hunt, pursue, catch, capture, kill, wound, or shoot any wild animal or bird on the protected

list without first obtaining a general hunting license from the Government of Guam, Department of Agriculture, or any authorized licensing agent.

7. HUNTING LICENSE FEE. Five Dollars (\$5.00).

The hunting license shall be valid during all the prescribed hunting seasons of the calendar year for which issued.

8. DUPLICATE LICENSE. If a license becomes lost, destroyed, or stolen, a duplicate license may be issued by any licensing agent. Fee for a duplicate license shall be one dollar (\$1.00).

9. LICENSE TO BE IN POSSESSION OF LICENSEE.

Every person shall have on his person at the time of hunting wild animals or birds a valid Guam hunting license.

10. ALTERING, BORROWING, LOANING, OR TRANSFERRING LICENSE. No person shall at any time alter, change, borrow, loan, or transfer to another, any hunting license issued in accordance with law.

11. INSPECTION. The hunting license is subject at all times to inspection by any peace officer of the territory.

12. WHO MAY HUNT.

A. Only persons 12 years or older may hunt.

B. While hunting, persons 12 through 17 years of age must be accompanied by a licensed hunter 21 years of age or older.

13. HUNTING FROM MOVING VEHICLE PROHIBITED. No person shall hunt, pursue, molest, catch, kill, or destroy any wild animal or game bird at any time from any automobile, power-propelled vehicle or other mechanical contrivance.

14. VILLAGES AND ROADS CLOSED TO HUNTING.

Firing any gun or bow and arrow within a village or within 100 yards thereof, or within 100 yards of an occupied dwelling, or on or across a public road is prohibited.

15. UNPROTECTED WILD ANIMALS AND BIRDS. The following wild animals and birds may be taken during the legal shooting time:

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| A. Wild Dogs | F. Marianas Starlings    |
| B. Wild Cats | G. Marianas Kingfishers  |
| C. Reptiles  | H. European Tree Sparrow |
| D. Rats      | I. Black-Headed Manikins |
| E. Crows     | J. Java Sparrow          |

16. VIOLATIONS. Violations of these regulations shall be punished as prescribed in Sections 12322 and 12323, Government Code of Guam.

Dated this 27th day of September, 1966.

  
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Director of Agriculture