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SECRETARY OF STATE  
LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS

# TRANSMITTAL SHEET

PAUL RIVIERE, SECRETARY OF STATE  
STATE CAPITOL  
LITTLE ROCK, AR 72201

FOR OFFICE  
USE ONLY:

EFFECTIVE DATE ~~July 1, 1979~~

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Sept. 19

CODE NUMBER 002-00-79017

Regulation No. 016-79

NAME OF AGENCY ARKANSAS GAME AND FISH COMMISSION

DEPARTMENT LEGAL DIVISION

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STATUTORY AUTHORITY FOR PROMULGATING RULES \_\_\_\_\_

AMENDMENT 35 to the Constitution of Arkansas.

INTENDED EFFECTIVE DATE July 1, 1979 DATE \_\_\_\_\_

EMERGENCY FILED WITH LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL \_\_\_\_\_

20 DAYS LEGAL NOTICE PUBLISHED \_\_\_\_\_

AFTER FILING FINAL DATE FOR PUBLIC COMMENT \_\_\_\_\_

OTHER DATE OF ADOPTION Commission meeting of  
March 19-20, 1979

### CERTIFICATION OF AUTHORIZED OFFICER

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE ATTACHED RULES WERE ADOPTED  
IN COMPLIANCE WITH ACT 434 OF 1967 AS AMENDED.

William H. Donham  
SIGNATURE  
William H. Donham, Chief,  
Legal Division  
TITLE

August 27, 1979  
DATE

## ARKANSAS GAME AND FISH COMMISSION

Authority:  
Amendment 35 of the  
Constitution of Arkansas

Commission Code Book  
No. 35.02

COMMISSION ORDER NO. 016-79

LOCATION: Statewide

SUBJECT: Trapping Requirements

MINUTES OF: March 19-20, 1979

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