

Arkansas Game and Fish Commission

Code Book

The regulations in this Code Book are hereby adopted by the Arkansas State Game and Fish Commission under authority of Amendment 35 to the Constitution of the State of Arkansas. All laws, rules, regulations, or orders in conflict with the regulations in this Code Book are hereby repealed by the Arkansas State Game and Fish Commission.

34.08 Possession Of Fish By Aquatic Turtle Harvesters Prohibited

It is unlawful for permitted aquatic turtle harvesters to sport fish or possess fish in the same waters where the permittee is engaged in turtle trapping.

EXCEPTIONS:

- A. Rough fish caught in turtle traps may be retained for use as bait on the waters where the fish were caught.
- B. If hoop nets or box-type traps are baited with fish, only rough fish may be used.
- C. Fish farmers on their permitted facilities.

PENALTY: Class 2; Second offense shall result in revocation of the Aquatic Turtle Harvest Permit.