FILING ORGANIZATION: LOWER ELWHA KLALLAM TRIBE

REGULATION NUMBER: \$24-098

DATE ADOPTED: NOVEMBER 13,2024

REGULATION(S)

SUPERSEDED/MODIFIED REG. #S24-001, SECTION 5

CATCH AREAS: CATCH REPORTING AREA 27A: OUILCENE SW

(270950)

QUILCENE BAY

FISHERY TYPE: CEREMONIAL

SPECIES: NATIVE LITTLENECK AND MANILA CLAMS

ON/OFF RESERVATION: OFF

LEGAL GEAR: HAND HELD RAKE, FORK, OR SHOVEL

EFFECTIVE DATES: 11/26/2024

DAYS/HOURS: QUILCENE SW (270950) OPEN:

7:30PM TO 11:30PM

200LBS

RESTRICTIONS: AS PER REG. #S24-001, ADDITIONALLY:

- 1. HARVEST IS LIMITED TO CLAMS 1.5 INCHES IN LENGTH OR GREATER.
- 2. A LABEL ISSUED BY THE FISHERIES OFFICE MUST BE AFFIXED TO EACH BAG OR CONTAINER OF COMMERCIALLY HARVESTED CLAMS IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING THE HARVEST.
- 3. THE TOTAL HARVEST AVAILABLE FOR QUILCENE SW IS 200 POUNDS.

 ONCE THE HARVEST LIMIT HAS BEEN REACHED BY TRIBAL DIGGERS JOE BOYD
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BEACH WILL BE CLOSED. HARVESTING ACTIVITY WILL STOP, WHICH INCLUDES DIGGING, COLLECTING, AND SACKING OF CLAMS.

- 4. CLAMS HARVESTED ON QUILCENE MUST BE TRANSFERRED TO THE PUBLIC PARKING AREA BY AN UPLAND ROUTE WITHIN ONE HOUR OF CLOSING TIME OR BY BOAT DURING SUBSEQUENT HIGH TIDE CYCLE. IF BOATS ARE USED, THEY MUST ALSO BE PULLED FROM THE WATER AT THE PUBLIC PARKING AREA.
- 5. ALL DIGGER MUST NOTIFY THEIR MONITOR THAT THEY ARE ON THE BEACH. ALL DIGGERS MUST REPORT THEIR HARVEST TO THE MONITOR BEFORE LEAVING THE BEACH. FAILURE TO COMPLY WITH THIS PROVISION WILL BE A VIOLATION OF THIS REGULATION.

CATCH REPORTING: ALL CEREMONIAL HARVEST MUST BE REPORTED TO THE FISHERIES OFFICE THE FOLLOWING DAY THE OFFICE IS OPEN FOR BUSINESS. THE GROWING AREA AND BIDN MUST BE RECORDED.

JUSTIFICATIONS: CEREMONIAL HARVEST FOR ELDERS.

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