

INFORMATION

About the rules of procedure initiated by the fishery police officer in the event of an infringement

A fisheries police officer is an officer who has a law enforcement card and badge.

The fishery police officer is obliged to take the following measures if violations of the law or illegal fishing are found:

- record the data of the offender, the time of the offense, the place of the offense, the offense against the law or the rules committed by the offender in the infringement report;
- If the angler who has committed the violation, cannot credibly prove himself (identity card, passport and fishing license or fishing permit) or if there is reasonable suspicion that he has committed a serious crime, the officer of the fishing police must notify the police;
- the fishery police officer can detain the angler who committed the violation at the scene of the crime until the police arrive;
- the fishery police officer presents the recorded report to the perpetrator and asks the perpetrator to provide a statement as to whether or not he acknowledges the commission of the violation; the report must be signed by the fishery police officer and the offending angler;
- if the offender does not even admit the violation, he must state in the protocol the reason for the refusal and other circumstances related to the case, the angler must sign the declaration;
- Confiscate or withhold objects and means that are used in connection with the violation of laws or regulations, in particular because of their special importance in evidence proceedings, from the perpetrator;
- issue a receipt of the assets seized by the fisheries police officer, detailing the assets seized;
- the fishery police officer requests the offender to stop fishing and leave the fishery unless a police procedure is followed;
- the fishery police officer is obliged to hand over the report drawn up at the end of the procedure, which records the violation of the rules or the law and the seizure or detention of the equipment, the fact of the handover is to be included in the report;

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