U.S. DISTRICT COURT EASTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS

GENERAL ORDER NO. 94-21

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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS

IN RE: FORFEITURE OF COLLATERAL SCHEDULE FOR THE UNITED STATES FISH AND WILDLIFE SERVICE

ORDER AUTHORIZING SCHEDULE FOR FORFEITURE OF COLLATERAL (UNITED STATES FISH AND WILDLIFE SERVICE)

Consistent with prior Orders of this Court and under Rule 58(d)(1) and (2), Federal Rules of Criminal Procedure, schedules of collateral forfeiture may be authorized by the Court.

Each offense described in the attached collateral forfeiture schedule, designated Appendix A, are violations of Title 50, Code of Federal Regulations, and Titles 16 and 18, United States Code.

Upon motion of the United States Attorney, and the Court being informed on the premises, it is hereby

ORDERED:

Appendix A of this order is approved and authorized, and made effective immediately.

Appendix A sets forth collateral amounts which may be forfeited in lieu of court appearance by a person facing a charge described in Appendix A, should the charging officer authorize collateral forfeiture in lieu of mandatory appearance on the face of the violation notice. Should collateral forfeiture be



authorized, it shall be in the amounts specified in Appendix A, and forfeiture of that collateral shall terminate proceedings in the matter.

With respect to any of the offense described in Appendix A, the charging officer may require mandatory appearance, if in the judgment of that officer aggravated circumstances exist.

Judicial officers of this district, including United States Magistrate Judges, shall have the authority to specify a collateral forfeiture amount different from that set out in Appendix A with respect to any of the offenses described there and any other petty offense, with the exception of those offenses for which a mandatory appearance is required by law, so long as an attorney or representative of the government consents. The collateral forfeiture amount set by a judicial officer pursuant to this paragraph shall not be less than the minimum nor greater than the maximum fine that could be imposed upon conviction for violation of the particular regulation.

DATED at Tyler, Texas, this

AREDT M DARKER

Chief United States District Judge

APPENDIX A

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR UNITED STATES FISH AND WILDLIFE SERVICE

COLLATERAL LIST

TITLE 50, CODE OF FEDERAL REGULATIONS AND TITLE 16 AND 18, UNITED STATES CODE

FORFEITURE OF COLLATERAL SCHEDULE United States Fish and Wildlife Service

NOTE:

Due to the increased liability and potential severity for environmental degradation posed by commercial and organized activities collateral amounts for violations listed herein shall be doubled for corporations, businesses, partnerships, hunt clubs, and other organizations committing such violations (18 USC 3751(c) - fines for organizations).

16 USC 703-712 TAKE OR POSSESS MIGRATORY NON-GAME BIRDS

MIGRATORY BIRD HUNTING 300+50/bird

SUBPART C - TAKING

50 CFR 20.21 HUNTING METHODS

- 20.21(a) Take with a trap, snare, net, 250+25/bird rifle, pistol, swivel gun, shotgun larger than 10 gauge, punt gun, battery gun, machine gun, fishhook, poison, drug, explosive, or stupefying substance.
- 20.21(b) Using improperly plugged gun 100+25/bird
- 20.21(c) Unlawfully take from sinkbox or 150.00 similar device
- 20.21(d) Unlawfully take from motor vehicle 200+25/bird or aircraft
- 20.21(e) Unlawfully take from boat 150.25/bird
- 20.21(f) Use of live decoys 200.00
- 20.21(g) Use of electronically amplified 200+25/bird calling device
- 20 21(h) Use of any motor driven land, 150.00 water or air conveyance or any sailboat for the purpose of concentration, driving or rallying any migratory bird
- 20.21(i) Unlawfully take by the aid of bait 200+25/bird or over bait
- 18 USC 2 Take by aid of bait: willfully 500+25/bird causes the act, aids, counsels, induces or procures its commission

	i.e. A host/landowner of hunt who may not actively hunt but is responsible for placement of bait i field for guests or paid hunters on commercial operation.	
20.21(j)	Using shotshells other than steel shotshells in steel shot zones	200.00
20.22	Taking migratory birds during closed season	250+25/bird
20.23	Taking migratory game birds except during hours open to shooting	150+25/bird
20.24	Taking more than daily bag limit, or aggregate daily bag limit, whichever applies	200+25/bird
20.25	Wanton waste of migratory game birds	200+25/bird
SUBPART D	- POSSESSION	
50 CFR 20.31	Prohibited if taken in violation of Subpart C. Possession or custod of any migratory game bird or part thereof if taken in violation of arprovision of Subpart C (taking)	ly
20.32	Possessing any freshly killed migratory game birds during the closed season	200+25/bird
20.33	Possessing more migratory game birds than the possession limit or the aggregate possession limit, whichever applies	250+25/bird
20.34	Possession on opening day of freshly killed migratory game birds in excess of the daily bag limit or aggregate daily bag limit whichever applies	200+25/bird ,
20.35	Excess field possession limit	250+25/bird
20.36	Failure to tag migratory game birds	100+25/bird

20.37	Receiving or having custody of migratory game birds belonging to another unless such birds are tagge	100+10/bird d
20.38	Possession of wounded live migratory game birds (hunting)	100+10/bird
SUBPART E	- TRANSPORTATION WITHIN THE UNITED	STATES
20.41	Prohibited if taken in violation of Subpart C - Transportation at any to by any means or in any manner, of migratory game birds or parts there taken in violation of any provision Subpart C (taking)	ime
20.42	Transportation of untagged migratory game birds belonging to another person	100+10/bird
20.43	Transportation of migratory game birds except doves without species identification requirement	100+10/bird
20.44	Transportation of migratory game birds without properly marking package or container	100+10/bird
SUBPART F	- EXPORTATION	
20.51	Prohibited if taken in violation of Subpart C - Transporting any migratory game bird or part thereof taken in violation of any provision of Subpart C (taking)	
50 CFR 20.52	Exporting migratory game birds without meeting species identification requirements	150+25/bird
20.53	Exporting migratory game birds without properly marking the packagor container	150+25/bird ge
SUBPART G	- IMPORTATIONS	
20.61	Exceeding importation limits on migratory game birds	150+25/bird
20.62	Importing migratory game birds belonging to another person	150+25/bird

20.63	Importing migratory game birds 1 without species identification requirements - each bird	50+25/bird	
20.64	Importing migratory game birds 1 killed in a foreign country without being accompanied by export permit - each bird	.50+25/bird	
20.65	Importing migratory game birds 1 killed in a foreign country without meeting processing requirements - each bird	.50+25/bird	
20.66	Importing migratory game birds 1 without properly marking package or container	L50+25/bird	
SUBPART H - FE	DERAL, STATE, AND FOREIGN LAW		
20.71	Violation of Federal Law - Taking, 2 possessing, transporting, or exporting migratory birds, or any part, nest or egg thereof in violation of any act of Congress or any regulation issued pursuant thereto	200+25/bird	
20.72	Violation of State Law - Taking, possessing, transporting, or exporting migratory birds, or any part, nest or egg thereof in violation of any applicable law or regulation of any foreign country, or state, or province thereof	200+25/bird	
20.73	Violation of Foreign Law - Importing, possessing, or transporting any migratory bird, or any part, nest or egg thereof, taken, bought, sold, transported, possessed, or exported contrary to any applicable law or regulation of any foreign country, or state, or province thereof	200+25/bird	
SUBPART I - MIGRATORY BIRD PRESERVATION - FACILITIES			
50 CFR 20.81	Failure to meet tagging requirements by migratory bird preservation facility	100+10/bird	

50 CFR 20.82	Failure to keep required records	100.00		
SUBPART J - FEATHERS AND SKINS				
20.91	COMMERCIAL USE OF FEATHERS			
20.91(a)	Purchasing, selling, bartering or offering to purchase. sell or bartering for millinery or ornamental use of feathers of migratory game birds taken under authority of these regulations	200.00 er		
20.91(b)	Purchasing, selling, bartering or offering to purchase, sell, or barter mounted specimens of migratory game birds taken under authority of these regulations	250+100/bird		
PA	ART 21 MIGRATORY BIRD PERMITS			
SUBPART B - GE	NERAL REQUIREMENTS AND EXCEPTIONS			
21.11	Violation of permit regulation requirements	150.00		
21.12.27	All other permit violations	100.00		
21.28.29	Falconry regulations	150.00		
MIGRATORY WATE	ERFOWL HUNTING AND CONSERVATION STAM	IP ACT		
16 USC 718a	Taking migratory waterfowl without migratory waterfowl hunting stamp	200.00		
	Taking migratory waterfowl with an unsigned migratory waterfowl huntistamp			
16 USC 718e(a)	Use of migratory waterfowl hunting stamp belonging to another person	200.00		
16 USC 718e(b)	Altering, mutilating, imitating, or counterfeiting any migratory waterfowl hunting stamp	200.00		
THE	PART 26 NATIONAL WILDLIFE REFUGE SYSTEM			
SUBPART C - PUBLIC USE AND ENTRY				
50 CFR 26.21	GENERAL TRESPASS PROVISION			

26.21(a)	Trespass by persons	200.00
26.21(b)	Trespass by domestic animals	100.00
26.22	Failure of any person entering or using any National Wildlife Refuge to comply with provisions of any special regulation	100.00
13.24	Failure to file reports required by Fish & Wildlife Service permits	100.00
13.46	Failure to maintain accurate records	100.00
	PART 27 - PROHIBITED ACTS	
50 CFR 27.21	Unauthorized taking of any animal or plant	200+25/spec
27.31	Driving motorized or other vehicles off designated routes of travel on National Wildlife Refuge	100.00
27.31(b)	Operating vehicle under the influence of intoxicating beverage or controlled substance	*
27.31(c)	Careless driving or driving with willful or wanton disregard for the rights or safety of other persons	100 00 e
27.31(d)	Speed limit (0-10 mph) (11-15 mph) (16-21 mph) (over 21 mph in excess or over 80 mph)	25.00 35.00 50.00 75.00
27.31(e)	(1) Failure to equip a motor vehicle with a muffler in good working order	50.00
	(2) Failure to equip a motor vehicle with a spark arrester	50.00
27.31(f)	Operation of a vehicle which does not bear valid license plates and is not properly certified, registe or inspected in accordance with Texas Law	50.00 red,

Driving or permitting another 50.00 27.31(g) person to drive a vehicle without a valid operator's license displayed upon request 50.00 27.31(h) Stopping, parking, or leaving a vehicle so as to obstruct the free movement of other vehicles Failure to obey lawful order or 50.00 27.31(i) signal of any authorized traffic official Failure to comply with prescribed 50.00 27.31(j) load, weight, and width limitations Moving a motor vehicle involved in 50.00 27.31(k) an accident before authorized official arrives at the scene Operating a motor vehicle without 50.00 27.31(1) proper brakes and brake lights or from sunset to sunrise without working headlights and taillights as required by Texas Law Violating other requirements which 50.00 27.31(m) are established by authority as provided in this Subpart C 50 CFR 27.32 BOATS Unauthorized use of boats in a 100.00 27.32(a) National Wildlife Refuge 27.32(b) Failure to comply with operational 100.00 requirements and limitations on use of boats when permitted 27.34 AIRCRAFT 150.00 Unauthorized operations of aircraft, including sail planes and hang gliders SUBPART D - DISTURBING VIOLATIONS: WITH WEAPONS 27.41 200 00 GENERAL PROVISIONS - Possessing or discharging firearms, fireworks, or explosives

- 27.42 FIREARMS - Possessing, using, or 200.00 transporting firearms on National Wildlife Refuge in violation of this section and applicable Federal and State Law WEAPONS OTHER THAN FIREARMS - Use 150.00 27.43 or possession of weapons other than firearms DISTURBING VIOLATIONS: AGAINST PLANTS AND SUBPART E -ANIMALS 27.51 Disturbing, injuring, damaging 100+25/spec plants or animals, or attempting to disturb, injure, damage any plant or animal on a National Wildlife Refuge 27.52 Introducing, liberating, or placing on National Wildlife Refuge of plants or animals taken elsewhere SUBPART F -DISTURBING VIOLATIONS: AGAINST NATIONAL WILDLIFE REFUGE PROPERTY 27.61 Destruction or removal of public or private property including natural objects, on or from a National Wildlife Refuge Searching for or removing objects 200.00 27.62 of antiquity from a National Wildlife Refuge 200.00 Search for and removal of other 27.63(a) valued objects. Searching for buried treasure, treasure trove, valuable semiprecious rocks, stones, or minerals on a National Wildlife Refuge 200.00 27.64 Prospecting and mining on a National Wildlife Refuge
- 50 CFR 27.65 Tampering or attempting to tamper 200.00 with any motor vehicle, boat, equipment, or machinery on a National Wildlife Refuge without proper authorization

SUBPART G	- DISTURBING VIOLATIONS: LIGHT EQUIPMENT	AND SOUND
27.71	Unauthorized taking or filming any motion or sound pictures on a National Wildlife Refuge for subsequent commercial use	200.00
27.72	Operation of audio devices causing unreasonable disturbance to others	200.00
27.73	Use of artificial lights for the purpose of spotting, locating, or taking any animal on a National Wildlife Refuge	200+25/ wildlife
SUBPART H	- DISTURBING VIOLATIONS: PERSONAL	CONDUCT
27.81	Entering or remaining on a National Wildlife Refuge while under the influence of alcohol	200.00
27.82	Possession or delivery of a controlled substance on a National Wildlife Refuge	*
27.83	Indecency and disorderly conduct in violation of state or local law	200.00
27.84	Disturbing, molesting, or interfering with any person who is in pursuit of an authorized activit on a National Wildlife Refuge	300.00 Cy
27.85	Gambling for money or otherwise on a National Wildlife Refuge	100.00
27.86	Begging or unauthorized solicitation of funds on a National Wildlife Refuge	100.00
SUBPART I	- OTHER DISTURBING VIOLATIONS	
27.91	Unauthorized field trials for dogs on a National Wildlife Refuge	200.00
27.92	Constructing, installing, occupying, or maintaining any building or other structure withou proper authority	200.00 t

	27.93	Abandoning, discarding, or otherwise leaving any personal property on a National Wildlife Ref	300.00 uge
50	CFR 27.94	DISPOSAL OF WASTE	
	27.94(a)	Littering, disposing, or dumping of garbage refuse, etc., or other debris in a National Wildlife Refuge, or polluting any waters, water holes, streams, or other area in a National Wildlife Refuge	200.00 as
	27.94(b)	Failure to comply with established sanitary requirements on a National Wildlife Refuge	200.00
	27.95	FIRES	
	27.95(a)	Setting or causing to be set on fire any timber, brush, grass, or other flammable material except as authorized	200.00
	27.95(b)	Leaving a fire unattended or not completely extinguished	100.00
	27.95(c)	Throwing a burning cigarette, match, or other lighted substance from any moving conveyance or throwing of same in a place where it may start a fire	100.00
	27 95(d)	Smoking where designated and/or posted with no smoking signs	100.00
	27.96	ADVERTISING	
	27.96	Unauthorized posting, disturbing, or otherwise displaying public or private notices, advertisements, announcements, or displays of any kind on a National Wildlife Refuge	100.00
	27.97	PRIVATE ORGANIZATIONS	
	27.97	Unauthorized soliciting of business or conduct of commercial enterprise	50.00

PART 32 - HUNTING

	32	. 2	GENERAL PROVISIONS	
	32	.2(a)	Failure to secure and possess a required state hunting license	200.00
	32	.2(d)	Failure to comply with applicable provisions of the laws and regulations of the State of Texas	150.00
	32	.2(e)	Failure to comply with the terms and conditions authorizing access or use of a National Wildlife Refug	100.00 ge
	32	.2(f)	Violation of special hunting regulations	150.00
	32	.2(g)	Possession or use of any drug on an arrow for bow hunting on a National Wildlife Refuge	200.00
			PART 33 - FISHING	
50	CFR	33.2	Failure to comply with fishing regulations on a National Wildlife Refuge	100.00
		U.S. FI	SH AND WILDLIFE SERVICE VIOLATIONS	
16	USC	668	Eagle Protection Act	500+250/spec
16	USC	742j-l	Airborne Hunting Act	500+250/spec
16	USC	1532-15	42 Endangered Species Act	500+250/spec
16	USC	3371-33	78 Lacy Act	500+250/spec
18	USC	42	Importation of injurious species or importation of wildlife under inhumane or unhealthy conditions	500.00
16	USC	1361-14	07 Marine Mammal Protection Act	500+250/spec
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Wildlife/Property Forfeiture Order

Unless otherwise specifically ordered by a United States Court of the Eastern District of Texas, any fish, wildlife, plants, or property which has been seized within the jurisdiction of the Eastern District of Texas under the authority of the Migratory Bird Treaty Act, 16 USC 703-712; the National Wildlife Refuge System Administration Act, 16 USC 668dd-668ee; the Eagle Protection Act, 16 USC 668; the Endangered Species Act, 16 USC 15311-1542; the Migratory Waterfowl Hunting Stamp Act, 16 USC 718; the Airborne Hunting Act, 16 USC 742j-1; the Marine Mammal Protection Act, 16 USC 1361-1407; the Lacey Act, 18 USC 42; or the Lacey Act Amendments of 1981, 16 USC 3371-3378, where final disposition of the case has been made by either payment of a forfeiture of collateral or a judgement by the court on behalf of the government and where so authorized by statute, such wildlife or property shall be forfeited to the U.S. Government and disposed of by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service in the manner prescribed by Title 50. Code of Federal Regulations, Part 12.