

Dear Minister Ryan

I am writing on behalf of the Lough Sheelin Trout Protection Association in relation to the draft salmonid bye law. I welcome the proposed bye law but I do not think that it goes far enough to protect our salmonid fisheries. I would like to see included a provision which makes the pike bye laws not operable on wild salmonid lakes. I would also like to see the facility whereby a minister can veto the stock management plans of inland fisheries Ireland withdrawn. In addition I would like to see the word primarily replaced with solely or exclusively. I thank you for your interest in protecting our wild trout fisheries and I look forward to your response.

Sincerely

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Secretary

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