

Trap Certification

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INTERNATIONAL HUMANE TRAPPING STANDARDS



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For certain species and certain types of traps, only traps “certified” compliant with these standards are allowed. **Illustrations of certified traps** are available on the Department’s Web site at this address: www.mrnf.gouv.qc.ca/english/wildlife/trap/pdf/traps-AIHTS.pdf.

Killing certified traps OBLIGATORY			
Beaver			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="radio"/> Bélisle classique 330 <input type="radio"/> Bélisle Super X 280 <input type="radio"/> Bélisle Super X 330 <input type="radio"/> B.M.I. 280 Body Gripper <input type="radio"/> B.M.I. 330 Body Gripper <input type="radio"/> B.M.I. BT 300 <input type="radio"/> Bridger 330 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="radio"/> Duke 330 <input type="radio"/> LDL C280 <input type="radio"/> LDL C330 <input type="radio"/> LDL C280 Magnum <input type="radio"/> LDL C330 Magnum <input type="radio"/> Rudy 280 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="radio"/> Rudy 330 <input type="radio"/> Sauvageau 1000-11F <input type="radio"/> Sauvageau 2001-8 <input type="radio"/> Sauvageau 2001-11 <input type="radio"/> Sauvageau 2001-12 <input type="radio"/> Species-Specific 330 Dislocator Half Magnum 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="radio"/> Species-Specific 440 Dislocator Half Magnum <input type="radio"/> Woodstream Oneida Victor Conibear 280 <input type="radio"/> Woodstream Oneida Victor Conibear 330
Fisher			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="radio"/> Bélisle Super X 120 <input type="radio"/> Bélisle Super X 160 <input type="radio"/> Bélisle Super X 220 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="radio"/> Koro N° 2 <input type="radio"/> LDL C160 Magnum <input type="radio"/> LDL C220 Magnum 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="radio"/> Rudy 120 Magnum <input type="radio"/> Rudy 160 Plus <input type="radio"/> Rudy 220 Plus 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="radio"/> Sauvageau 2001-5 <input type="radio"/> Sauvageau 2001-6 <input type="radio"/> Sauvageau 2001-7 <input type="radio"/> Sauvageau 2001-8
Marten			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="radio"/> Bélisle Super X 120 <input type="radio"/> Bélisle Super X 160 <input type="radio"/> B.M.I. 126 Magnum Body Gripper 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="radio"/> Koro N° 1 <input type="radio"/> LDL B120 Magnum <input type="radio"/> Northwoods 155 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="radio"/> Rudy 120 Magnum <input type="radio"/> Rudy 160 Plus <input type="radio"/> Sauvageau C120 Magnum 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="radio"/> Sauvageau 2001-5 <input type="radio"/> Sauvageau 2001-6
Raccoon			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="radio"/> Bélisle Classique 220 <input type="radio"/> Bélisle Super X 160 <input type="radio"/> Bélisle Super X 220 <input type="radio"/> Bélisle Super X 280 <input type="radio"/> B.M.I. 160 Body Gripper <input type="radio"/> B.M.I. 220 Body Gripper <input type="radio"/> B.M.I. 280 Body Gripper 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="radio"/> B.M.I. 280 Magnum Body Gripper <input type="radio"/> Bridger 160 <input type="radio"/> Bridger 220 <input type="radio"/> Duke 160 <input type="radio"/> Duke 220 <input type="radio"/> Koro N° 2 <input type="radio"/> LDL C160 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="radio"/> LDL C220 <input type="radio"/> LDL C220 Magnum <input type="radio"/> LDL C280 Magnum <input type="radio"/> Northwoods 155 <input type="radio"/> Rudy 160 <input type="radio"/> Rudy 160 Plus <input type="radio"/> Rudy 220 <input type="radio"/> Rudy 220 Plus 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="radio"/> Sauvageau 2001-6 <input type="radio"/> Sauvageau 2001-7 <input type="radio"/> Sauvageau 2001-8 <input type="radio"/> Species-Specific 220 Dislocator Half Magnum <input type="radio"/> Woodstream Oneida Victor Conibear 160 <input type="radio"/> Woodstream Oneida Victor Conibear 220
Muskrat (on land)			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="radio"/> Bélisle Super X 120 <input type="radio"/> B.M.I. 120 Body Gripper <input type="radio"/> B.M.I. 120 Body Gripper Magnum <input type="radio"/> B.M.I. 126 Body Gripper Magnum 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="radio"/> Bridger 120 <input type="radio"/> Duke 120 <input type="radio"/> KORO Muskrat Trap <input type="radio"/> LDL B120 Magnum <input type="radio"/> Ouell 411-180 <input type="radio"/> Ouell RM 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="radio"/> Rudy 110 <input type="radio"/> Rudy 120 <input type="radio"/> Rudy 120 Magnum <input type="radio"/> Sauvageau C120 Magnum <input type="radio"/> Sauvageau C120 « Reverse Bend » 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="radio"/> Sauvageau 2001-5 <input type="radio"/> Triple M <input type="radio"/> Woodstream Oneida Victor Conibear 110 <input type="radio"/> Woodstream Oneida Victor Conibear 120
Muskrat (underwater)			
Any jaw-type trap (body-gripping or leg-hold) that exerts a clamping force on a muskrat and maintains the animal underwater			

Live capture certified traps OBLIGATORY		
Lynx		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="radio"/> Bélisle footsnare N° 6 <input type="radio"/> Bélisle Sélectif 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="radio"/> Oneida Victor #3 Soft Catch equipped with 2 coil springs <input type="radio"/> Oneida Victor #3 Soft Catch equipped with 4 coil springs 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="radio"/> Oneida Victor #3 equipped with a minimum of 8 mm thick, non-offset steel jaws, 4 coil springs and an anchoring swivel centre mounted on a base plate
Raccoon		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input checked="" type="radio"/> Duffer 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="radio"/> Egg trap 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="radio"/> Lil' Grizz Get'rz

- The certified trap models receive exclusive identification letters **that manufacturers have to affix to the traps that have been manufactured and certified since 2007**. However, even if the traps do not bear this identification, trappers will still be able to use these same trap models legally.

Types of certified traps which are not obligatory

For the following species and categories of traps, the obligation to only use traps “**certified under the Agreement on International Humane Treatments Standards (AIHTS)**” is not yet in effect. The date of the entry into force will be known at least three years ahead of time and may vary from one species to the next.

In the meantime, the traps currently authorized for these species continue to be authorized.

As the tests have not yet been completed, the Ministère des Ressources naturelles will inform trappers as changes occur on this subject.

Killing Certified traps NON OBLIGATORY			
Otter			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="radio"/> Bélisle Super X 220 <input type="radio"/> Bélisle Super X 280 <input type="radio"/> Bélisle Super X 330 <input type="radio"/> LDL C220 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="radio"/> LDL C220 Magnum <input type="radio"/> LDL C280 Magnum <input type="radio"/> Rudy 220 PLUS <input type="radio"/> Rudy 280 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="radio"/> Rudy 330 <input type="radio"/> Sauvageau 2001-8 <input type="radio"/> Sauvageau 2001-11 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="radio"/> Sauvageau 2001-12 <input type="radio"/> Woodstream Oneida Victor Conibear 220 <input type="radio"/> Woodstream Oneida Victor Conibear 330
Weasel			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="radio"/> Bélisle Super X 120 <input type="radio"/> BMI #60 <input type="radio"/> BMI Body Gripper 120 Magnum <input type="radio"/> BMI Body Gripper 126 Magnum 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="radio"/> Bridger 120 <input type="radio"/> Koro Rodent Trap <input type="radio"/> Koro Muskrat Trap <input type="radio"/> LDL B120 Magnum <input type="radio"/> Ouell 3-10 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="radio"/> Ouell 411-180 <input type="radio"/> Ouell RM <input type="radio"/> Triple M <input type="radio"/> Trappe à rat Victor <input type="radio"/> Rudy 120 Magnum <input type="radio"/> Sauvageau 2001-5 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="radio"/> Sauvageau C120 Magnum <input type="radio"/> Sauvageau C120 "Reverse Bend" <input type="radio"/> Woodstream Oneida Victor Conibear 110 <input type="radio"/> Woodstream Oneida Victor Conibear 120
Lynx			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="radio"/> Bélisle Super X 280 <input type="radio"/> Bélisle Super X 330 <input type="radio"/> BMI 220 Body Gripper 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="radio"/> BMI 220 Magnum Body Gripper <input type="radio"/> BMI 280 Body Gripper 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="radio"/> BMI 280 Magnum Body Gripper <input type="radio"/> Bridger 220 <input type="radio"/> LDL C280 Magnum 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="radio"/> Sauvageau 2001-8 <input type="radio"/> Rudy 330 <input type="radio"/> Woodstream Oneida Victor Conibear 330
Bobcat			
No killing traps certified this day			

Live capture certified traps NON OBLIGATORY			
Coyote			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="radio"/> Bélisle Sélectif 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="radio"/> Bélisle footsnare N° 6 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="radio"/> Oneida Victor N° 3 Soft Catch equipped with 2 coil springs <input type="radio"/> Oneida Victor #1.5 Soft Catch equipped with 2 coil springs <input type="radio"/> Oneida Victor #1.5 Soft Catch equipped with 4 coil springs 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="radio"/> Bridger N° 3 equipped with 5/16-inch offset, doubled rounded steel jaw laminations (3/16-inch on topside of jaw and 1/4-inch on underside of jaws), with 4 coil springs and an anchoring swivel centre mounted on a base plate.
Wolf			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="radio"/> Bélisle footsnare N° 8 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="radio"/> Oneida Victor N° 3 Soft Catch® equipped with 4 coil springs, a minimum 8mm thick base plate and an anchoring swivel centre mounted on the base plate 		
Bobcat			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="radio"/> Bélisle Sélectif 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="radio"/> Bélisle footsnare N° 6 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="radio"/> Oneida Victor #1.5 Soft Catch equipped with 4 coil springs <input type="radio"/> Oneida Victor #1.75, Offset, Laminated jaws equipped with 2 coil springs <input type="radio"/> Oneida Victor #3 Soft Catch equipped with 2 coil springs <input type="radio"/> Oneida Victor #3 Soft Catch equipped with 4 coil springs <input type="radio"/> Oneida Victor #3, Offset, Laminated jaws equipped with 2 coil springs 	
Raccoon (Cage and Box Traps)			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="radio"/> Ramconct DURA-POLY <input type="radio"/> Havahart 1079 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="radio"/> Havahart 1081 <input type="radio"/> Havahart 1085 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="radio"/> Tomahawk 108 <input type="radio"/> Tomahawk 108.5 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="radio"/> Tomahawk 608 <input type="radio"/> Tomahawk 608.5

Note : This list, updated following the obtention of the test results, can be obtained from the Fédération des trappeurs gestionnaires du Québec (www.ftgq.qc.ca) and the Department (<http://www.mrn.gouv.qc.ca/english/publications/online/wildlife/trapping-regulations/devices/aihts.asp>)