## Department of Conservation and Natural Resources Division of Wildlife and Freshwater Fisheries

## NOTICE OF INTENDED ACTION

<u>AGENCY NAME:</u>

Department of Conservation and Natural Resources

RULE NO. & TITLE:

220-2-.158 Guntersville Reservoir Paddlefish Management Area

and Season Established

**INTENDED ACTION:** 

New Rule

<u>SUBSTANCE OF PROPOSED ACTION:</u> To create a regulation to establish an experimental one-year commercial fishing season for paddlefish in the upper portion of Guntersville Reservoir in Jackson County, Alabama in order for WFF to collect reliable fishery-dependent harvest data.

TIME, PLACE, MANNER OF PRESENTING VIEWS: Interested persons may present their views in writing to the Director of the Division of Wildlife and Freshwater Fisheries at any time during the period stated below, or orally if requested in writing 48 hours in advance to the Director of the Division of Wildlife and Freshwater Fisheries, by personally appearing at Room 474, Folsom Administrative Building, 64 North Union Street, Montgomery, Alabama, at 10:00 a.m., Monday, December 5, 2016.

If ADA accommodations are needed, please contact Daisy Perry at (334) 242-3165 or <a href="mailto:daisy.perry@dcnr.alabama.gov">daisy.perry@dcnr.alabama.gov</a>. Requests should be made as soon as possible but at least seven days prior to the date of a personal appearance to present views regarding the proposed rules.

## FINAL DATE FOR COMMENT AND COMPLETION OF NOTICE:

December 5, 2016.

<u>CONTACT PERSON AT AGENCY:</u> Chuck Sykes, Director, Division of Wildlife and Freshwater Fisheries, 5th Floor, 64 N. Union Street, Montgomery, Alabama 36130, 334-242-3465.

Secretary of Administrative Procedure