

APPENDIX A to IM 2012-022

1.11.B.1.: Winter Use Only Commercial Trapping Cabins. Winter weather conditions present significant risks to health and safety. Therefore, in addition to cabins and other structures authorized above, a permit or lease may be issued for commercial use trapping cabins and other structures that meet the following requirements as proof of commercial use:

1. The cabin and other structures may only be used for the trapping activities.
2. The cabin and other structures may only be used during the winter period commencing 30 days prior to the opening of the trapping season through 30 days after the close of the trapping season.
3. The applicant must provide proof of a substantial commercial trapping activity. In addition to holding all required State, local, or federal authorizations, the applicant must show all of the following:
 - a. Sixty days of trapping activity during at least one of the preceding three seasons;
 - b. Ownership of 20 or more traps;
 - c. Receipts for investment in the activity (fuel, trapping equipment, food, etc.); and
 - d. Proof of commercial sale, barter, and/or creation of commercial value added products.

4. Section .7: Terms and Conditions applies.

The authorized officer may authorize Winter Use Only Commercial Trapping Cabins under a permit or by a lease.