

**115-7-4. Fish; processing and possession.** (a) Each person who takes any fish from a body of water shall leave the head, body, and tail fin attached while the person has possession of the fish on the water.

(b) Each person who has taken any fish shall retain the fish in that person's possession until any of the following occurs:

(1) The fish is consumed or processed for consumption.

(2) The fish is transported to the person's domicile or given to another person. Legally taken sport fish may be possessed without limit in time and may be given to another if accompanied by a dated written notice that includes the donor's printed name, signature, address, and permit or license number.

(3) The fish is transported to a place of commercial preservation or place of commercial processing for consumption.

(4) The fish is returned unrestrained to the waters from which the fish was taken.

(5) The fish is disposed of at a location designated for fish disposal or at a designated fish cleaning station. (Authorized by and implementing K.S.A. 2016 Supp. 32-807; ~~implementing K.S.A. 32-807 and K.S.A. 2005 Supp. 32-1002~~; effective Dec. 26, 1989; amended Nov. 27, 2006; amended P-\_\_\_\_\_.)