

115-17-2. Commercial sale of fish bait. (a) The following live species of wildlife may be commercially sold in Kansas for fishing bait:

- (1) The following species of fish:
 - (A) Black bullhead (*Ameiurus melas*);
 - (B) bluegill (*Lepomis macrochirus*), including hybrids;
 - (C) common carp (*Cyprinus carpio*), including koi;
 - (D) fathead minnow (*Pimephales promelas*), including “rosy reds”;
 - (E) golden shiner (*Notemigonus crysoleucas*);
 - (F) goldfish (*Carassius auratus*), including “black saltys”;
 - (G) green sunfish (*Lepomis cyanellus*), including hybrids; and
 - (H) yellow bullhead (*Ameiurus natalis*);
 - (2) only species of annelids native to or naturalized in the continental United States;
 - (3) the following species of crayfish:
 - (A) Virile crayfish (*Orconectes virilis*);
 - (B) calico crayfish (*Orconectes immunes*); and
 - (C) white river crayfish (*Procambarus acutus*); and
 - (4) only species of insects native to or naturalized in Kansas.
- (b) Gizzard shad (*Dorosoma cepedianum*) may be commercially sold only if dead.
- (c) Wildlife listed in K.A.R. 115-15-1 or in K.A.R. 115-15-2 or prohibited from importation pursuant to K.S.A. 32-956, and amendments thereto, shall not be sold.
- (d) Live aquatic bait shall be certified free of the following pathogens before import, according to K.A.R. 115-17-2a:
- (1) Spring viremia of carp virus;
 - (2) infectious pancreatic necrosis virus;
 - (3) viral hemorrhagic septicemia virus; and
 - (4) infectious hematopoietic virus.
- (e) Each distribution tank and each retail tank shall utilize a source of potable water or well water.

This regulation shall be effective on and after January 1, 2018. (Authorized by and implementing K.S.A. 2016 Supp. 32-807; effective Sept. 10, 1990; amended Nov. 30, 1998; amended Jan. 1, 2012; amended Jan. 1, 2017; amended Jan. 1, 2018.)