

New York State Environmental Conservation Law Article 11 Title 13 Provision
1321 Section 6 reads as follows:

"6. No person taking or assisting in the taking of fish in other than the marine and coastal district, as described in section 13-0103 of this chapter shall discard any fish carcass or parts thereof into the waters of this state or upon any public lands contiguous to and within one hundred feet of such waters or upon any private lands contiguous to and within one hundred feet of such waters unless such lands are owned by such person or unless such person enters or remains with the permission of the owner of record or his representative or agent. The provisions of this section shall not be deemed to prohibit: the return to the water of live fish or fish required to be returned to the water pursuant to section 11-1301 or 11-1303 of this chapter or rules and regulations promulgated pursuant thereto; the use of fish or parts thereof as bait; the discarding of fish carcasses or parts thereof into waters not within one hundred feet of any shore; the proper disposal of fish carcasses or parts thereof into suitable garbage or refuse collection systems or by burial; or the incidental cleaning of fish for consumption except that no wastes resulting from such cleaning of fish may be disposed of in waters or lands contiguous to and within one hundred feet of any public boat launching sites or public docking facilities or on such sites or facilities except by proper disposal into suitable garbage or refuse collection systems or by burial."