

## **Cornwall skip hire boss ordered to pay £237,000**

Craig Hutton of Skip It was convicted of operating the business without environmental permits.

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## **Environment Agency enforces annual close season for salmon and sea trout fishing**

The Environment Agency (EA) is enforcing the annual close season over the winter months to help protect salmon and sea trout from disturbance when spawning, allowing stocks to grow.

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## **Angler gets penalty that could have bought 19 rod licences**

Ryan Sims from Castle Donington, Leicestershire, has been found guilty of fishing illegally.

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## **Rotherham angler catches £400 penalty**

A Rotherman man has been found guilty of fishing illegally in a case brought by the Environment Agency to Northampton Magistrates Court on Monday 24 October.

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## International Paint spills banned chemical into conservation area

The company was found guilty despite denying charges that a banned chemical got into the Yealm estuary in Devon from its paint testing facility near Plymouth.