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**FISH RESOURCES MANAGEMENT ACT 1994**

**BROOME PRAWN MANAGED FISHERY MANAGEMENT PLAN 1999**

**Notice of Areas Closed to Fishing for Prawns in the Broome Prawn Managed Fishery for 2016**

**Notice No. 1 of 2016**

I, Heather Brayford, Chief Executive Officer of the Department of Fisheries Western Australia, in accordance with clause 12 of the *Broome Prawn Managed Fishery Management Plan 1999* (the Plan) and being of the opinion that the prohibition is required in the better interests of the Broome Prawn Managed Fishery, do hereby—

1. cancel Notice of Areas Closed to Fishing for Prawns: *Notice No. 1 of 2015*, dated 22 May 2015; and
2. prohibit fishing for prawns in those parts of the Broome Prawn Managed Fishery (the Fishery), as described in Schedule 2 of the Plan, from the date of gazettal of this notice until 1700 hours Western Standard Time (WST) on 23 May 2016; and
3. prohibit fishing for prawns in those parts of the Fishery, as described in Schedule 2 of the Plan from 0800 hours WST on 8 October 2016.

HEATHER BRAYFORD, Chief Executive Officer.

Dated this 18th day of May 2016.

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