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Fish Resources Management Act 1994

Fish Resources Management Amendment Regulations (No. 14) 2003

Made by the Governor in Executive Council.

1. Citation

These regulations may be cited as the Fish Resources Management Amendment Regulations (No. 14) 2003.

2. The regulations amended

The amendments in these regulations are to the *Fish Resources Management Regulations 1995**.

[* Reprinted as at 17 May 2002. For amendments to 14 November 2003 see Western Australian Legislation Information Tables for 2002, Table 4, p. 122-3, and Gazette 3, 27 and 30 June, 19 August, 19 September, 1 and 31 October 2003.]

3. Regulation 3 amended

Regulation 3(1) is amended by inserting the following definitions in the appropriate alphabetical positions —

"Cottesloe Reef waters" means the waters of the Cottesloe Reef as defined in the Cottesloe Reef Fish Habitat Protection Area Order 2001;

"jet ski" means a jet ski or any other any vessel designed for the transport of one, 2 or 3 persons that—

- (a) is propelled by means of an inboard motor powering a water jet pump; and
- (b) is designed to be steered by means of handlebars by a person sitting, standing or kneeling on the vessel and not within it;
- "Lancelin Island Lagoon" means the waters of the Lancelin Island Lagoon as defined by the *Lancelin*

Island Lagoon Fish Habitat Protection Area Order 2001.

4. Part 9A inserted

After Part 9 the following Part is inserted —

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Part 9A — Fish Habitat Protection Areas

Division 1 — Cottesloe Reef Fish Habitat Protection Area

113A. Prohibited behaviour

(1) A person must not fish for a commercial purpose in the Cottesloe Reef waters.

Penalty: \$2 000 and the penalty provided in section 222 of the Act.

(2) A person must not engage in recreational fishing in the Cottesloe Reef waters.

Penalty: \$2 000 and the penalty provided in section 222 of the Act.

- (3) Subregulation (2) does not apply to
 - (a) a person who fishes for an abalone;
 - (b) a person who fishes for a rock lobster; or
 - (c) a person who fishes for an osteichthye using a single rod and line.
- (4) A person must not deposit, or cause or permit to be deposited, blood or offal in the Cottesloe Reef waters. Penalty: \$2 000.
- (5) A person must not use a jet ski in the Cottesloe Reef waters.

Penalty: \$1 000.

(6) A person must not anchor a boat in the Cottesloe Reef waters.

Penalty: \$1 000.

Division 2 — Lancelin Island Lagoon Fish Habitat Protection Area

113B. Prohibited behaviour

(1) A person must not fish in the Lancelin Island Lagoon.

Penalty: \$2 000 and the penalty provided in section 222 of the Act.

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(2) A person must not use a jet ski in the Lancelin Island Lagoon.

Penalty: \$1 000.

(3) A person must not anchor a boat in the Lancelin Island Lagoon.

Penalty: \$1 000.

5. Regulation 156 amended

Regulation 156 is amended by inserting after "64(7)" —

", 113A(1), 113A(2), 113B(1)".

6. Schedule 12 amended

(1) Schedule 12 Part 2 Item 3 is amended by inserting after "113" —

", 113A(5), 113A(6), 113B(2), 113B(3)".

(2) Schedule 12 Part 2 Item 4 is amended by inserting after "71" —

", 113A(1), 113A(2), 113A(4), 113B(1)".

By Command of the Governor,

M. C. WAUCHOPE, Clerk of the Executive Council.