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Living Marine Resources

LIVING MARINE RESOURCES MANAGEMENT ACT 1995

Fisheries (Commercial Dive) Rules 2011

PUBLIC NOTICE OF THE DATES OF THE CLOSED SEASON FOR THE COMMERCIAL DIVE FISHERY AND PUBLIC NOTICE OF COMMERCIAL DIVE FISHERY CLOSURE TO SPECIFIC ACTIVITIES

I, Dr Ian Dutton, Director (Marine Resources) in the Department of Natural Resources and Environment Tasmania, acting pursuant to a delegation from the Minister for Primary Industries and Water made on 12 November 2018 and acting pursuant to section 20(1) of the *Living Marine Resources Management Act 1995* (the Act), hereby determine under rule 12 of the *Fisheries (Commercial Dive) Rules 2011* (the Rules):

- A. That the dates of the closed season for those parts of the commercial dive fishery specified in schedule 1 are from 12:01 am 15 December 2021 to 11:59 pm 31 August 2022; and,
- B. That the parts of the commercial dive fishery specified in schedule 1 are closed to, or in respect of, the activities specified in schedule 2.

SCHEDULE 1

that area of State waters on the east coast of Tasmania bounded to the north by an imaginary line running west to east from a point at lat 42°50'42.3"S long 147°53'9.8"E from the high-tide mark on the southern end of Marion Bay and bounded in the west by an imaginary line running north to south from Whale Head at a point at Lat 43°38'17.6"S long 146°52'15"E including Eagle Hawk Neck.

SCHEDULE 2

While on a commercial fishing trip in State waters for the purpose of taking periwinkles (molluscs of the genus *Turbo*), the holder of a fishing licence (commercial dive) must not enter the water by swimming or diving.

Any expression used in this notice having a particular meaning under the Act or the Rules has the same meaning in this notice.

Dated at HOBART this 8th day of December 2021

Dr Ian Dutton
DIRECTOR (MARINE RESOURCES)

Information

(This information does not form part of the notice)

This public notice has the effect of closing the commercial dive fishery to the take of periwinkles in the South Eastern Zone from 15 December 2021 to 31 August 2022 inclusive as part of arrangements to control the total amount of periwinkles harvested in that area in the interest of resource sustainability.

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