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## Living Marine Resources

### *LIVING MARINE RESOURCES MANAGEMENT ACT 1995*

#### *Fisheries (Scallop) Rules 2010*

#### NOTICE FOR THE TASMANIAN SCALLOP FISHERY COMPRISING ACTIVITIES BY WAY OF FISHING FOR COMMERCIAL PURPOSES

I, ROB GOTT, Director (Marine Resources), Department of Primary Industries, Parks, Water and Environment, pursuant to the delegated authority under Section 20(1) of the Living Marine Resources Management Act 1995, in accordance with the Fisheries (Scallop) Rules 2010, hereby:

1. Determine under Rule 15(1)(a) of the Rules, the dates of the open season for commercial scallop fishery for the area of State waters as determined below, is from 9:00pm 6 August 2013 to 6:00pm 31 December 2013 (inclusive).
2. Determine that the waters previously determined under Rule 16(1)(a) and 16(1)(b), as published in State newspapers on 29 June 2013 and in Gazette No. 21 342 on 26 June 2013 are now no longer the specified area of State waters open to the commercial scallop fishery:
3. Now determine under Rule 16(1)(a) and 16(1)(b), the specified area of State waters to be open to the commercial scallop fishery for commercial scallop dredging are State waters within the following boundary:
  - i. from latitude 42° 30' S, longitude 148° 01.18494' E; to
  - ii. latitude 42° 28.98336' S, longitude 148° 00.6996' E; to
  - iii. latitude 42° 26.29998' S, longitude 148° 01.99998' E; to
  - iv. latitude 42° 21.83334' S, longitude 148° 05.61888' E; to
  - v. latitude 42° 21.83334' S, longitude 148° 07.5' E; to
  - vi. latitude 42° 18.19998' S, longitude 148° 07.5' E; to
  - vii. latitude 42° 18.19998' S, longitude 148° 09' E; to
  - viii. latitude 42° 16.94964' S, longitude 148° 09' E; to
  - ix. latitude 42° 14.78862' S, longitude 148° 14.8743' E; to
  - x. latitude 42° 18.41514' S, longitude 148° 14.16504' E; to
  - xi. latitude 42° 24.94086' S, longitude 148° 14.16504' E; to
  - xii. latitude 42° 30' S, longitude 148° 08.85738' E; to
  - xiii. latitude 42° 30' S, longitude 148° 1.18494' E.

All coordinates in this notice are expressed by latitude and longitude by reference to the Geocentric Datum of Australia (GDA 94).

4. Specify under Rule 16(1)(c) of the Rules, the amount of scallops that may be taken or possessed in total from all areas of the commercial scallop fishery determined to be open under the provisions of Rule 16(1)(a) of the Rules as 1,063 tonnes, this amount being inclusive of the 638 tonnes previously specified by Public Notice published in State newspapers on 29 June 2013 and in Gazette No. 21 342 on 26 June 2013;
5. Set under Rule 20(2)(b) of the Rules, the maximum percentage of scallop quota units that may be taken in total by the holder of a Fishing Licence (scallop) in the 2013 Open Season as 25%, this amount being inclusive of the 15% previously set by Public Notice published in State newspapers on 29 June 2013 and in Gazette No. 21 342 on 26 June 2013.

ROB GOTT, Director (Marine Resources).

Dated this fifth day of August 2013.

#### Information

This Notice determines the new arrangements for the Tasmanian Scallop Fishery for commercial purposes and open waters for commercial fishing in the White Rock Scallop Area, all other waters are closed. These arrangements are subject to change.

Fishers should be aware that the Tasmanian Scallop Fishermen's Association (TSFA) may have voluntary fishing restrictions for part of an area that is gazetted open for scallop fishing.

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