

THE CONTROLLED FISHERIES (FOVEAUX STRAIT DREDGE OYSTER FISHERY) NOTICE 1979

Pursuant to section 118 of the Fisheries Act 1908, the Minister of Fisheries hereby gives the following notice.

NOTICE

- 1. Title and commencement—(1) This notice may be cited as the Controlled Fisheries (Foveaux Strait Dredge Oyster Fishery) Notice 1979.
 - (2) This notice shall come into force on the 1st day of January 1980.
- **2. Interpretation**—(1) In this notice, the term "Foveaux Strait dredge oyster fishery" means the oyster fishery in Foveaux Strait within New Zealand fisheries waters, bounded—
 - (a) To the west, by a straight line drawn from Oraka Point in Block 2, Longwood Survey District, to the easternmost point of Centre Island; thence by high-water mark to the Centre Island lighthouse; thence by straight line to the northernmost point of Codfish Island; thence by a straight line to North Red Head on the northwest coast of Stewart Island:
 - (b) To the east, by a straight line drawn from Slope Point in Block 9, Waikawa Survey District, to East Cape on Stewart Island.
- (2) Words and expressions in this notice which are defined in Part I or Part III of the Fisheries Act 1908 have the meanings so defined.
- **3. Declaration of controlled fishery**—(1) The Foveaux Strait dredge oyster fishery is hereby declared to be a controlled fishery for the purposes of Part III of the Fisheries Act 1908.
- (2) The maximum number of licences that may be granted by the Fisheries Licensing Authority in respect of the Foveaux Strait dredge oyster fishery is hereby fixed at 23.

Dated at Wellington this 20th day of November 1979.

VENN YOUNG, for Minister of Fisheries.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

This note is not part of the notice, but is intended to indicate its general effect.

This notice declares the Foveaux Strait dredge oyster fishery to be a controlled fishery on and from 1 January 1980. A special licence from the Fisheries Licensing Authority is required to fish in a controlled fishery.

Issued under the authority of the Regulations Act 1936. Date of notification in *Gazette*: 22 November 1979. This notice is administered in the Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries.