

THE FISHERIES (1986–87 COMMERCIAL QUOTAS) REGULATIONS 1986, AMENDMENT NO. 1

PAUL REEVES, Governor-General

ORDER IN COUNCIL

At Wellington this 6th day of April 1987

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL

PURSUANT to section 89 of the Fisheries Act 1983, His Excellency the Governor-General, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, hereby makes the following regulations.

ANALYSIS

1. Title and commencement

2. Quotas imposed

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REGULATIONS

- 1. Title and commencement—(1) These regulations may be cited as the Fisheries (1986–87 Commercial Quotas) Regulations 1986, Amendment No. 1, and shall be read together with and deemed part of the Fisheries (1986–87 Commercial Quotas) Regulations 1986* (hereinafter referred to as the principal regulations).
- (2) These regulations shall come into force on the 14th day after the date of their notification in the *Gazette*.

2. Quotas imposed—The principal regulations are hereby amended by revoking regulation 4, and substituting the following regulation:

"4. There are hereby imposed quotas on the taking of certain species or classes of fish by commercial fishermen using New Zealand fishing vessels, and in the case of squid using specified methods, and specified classes of vessels, in New Zealand fisheries waters or specified areas of New Zealand fisheries waters, as set out in the following table:

Species of class of fish, method, and vessel type	Атеа	Quota (Greenweight Tonnes)
Jack mackerel	Challenger and Central West Areas combined	15 210
Southern bluefin tuna	Challenger Area	1 000
Squid taken only by jigging by any New Zealand fishing vessel	All New Zealand fisheries waters except Southern Islands Area	15 600
Squid taken only by jigging by vessels that are not foreign owned New Zealand fishing vessels	All New Zealand fisheries waters except Southern Islands Area	2 817
Squid taken by any method whatsoever by any New Zealand fishing vessel	All New Zealand fisheries waters except Southern Islands Area	21 823
Squid taken only by trawling		17 200"

3. Offences—Regulation 7 of the principal regulations is hereby amended by inserting, after subclause (2), the following subclause:

"(2A) No person commits the offence specified in subclause (1) (a) of this regulation in any case where a quota is reduced during the fishing year and the taking of the fish was lawful at the time when the fish was taken."

> P. G. MILLEN. Clerk of the Executive Council.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

This note is not part of the regulations, but is intended to indicate their general effect.

These regulations vary squid quotas for the 1986-87 season.

The quota for squid taken by jigging by any New Zealand fishing vessel (foreign or domestic) in any waters except the Southern Islands Area is reduced from 19 600 tonnes to 15 600 tonnes.

A new quota of 2817 tonnes is established for domestic New Zealand fishing vessels in any waters except the Southern Islands Area.

The quota for squid taken by any method by any New Zealand fishing vessel in any waters except Southern Islands Area is increased from 20 640 tonnes to 21 823 tonnes.

The allocation of quotas is dealt with by Ministerial notice—see the Fisheries (1986-87 Commercial Quotas Allocation) Notice 1986 (S.R. 1986/257), and amendments (S.R. 1986/356 and S.R. 1987/112).

Issued under the authority of the Regulations Act 1936. Date of notification in Gazette: 9 April 1987. These regulations are administered in the Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries.