



**THE FISHERIES (SOUTHERN BLUEFIN TUNA) REGULATIONS
1995, AMENDMENT NO. 1**

MICHAEL HARDIE BOYS, Governor-General

ORDER IN COUNCIL

At Wellington this 29th day of April 1996

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.

REGULATIONS

1. Title and commencement—(1) These regulations may be cited as the Fisheries (Southern Bluefin Tuna) Regulations 1995, Amendment No. 1, and shall be read together with and deemed part of the Fisheries (Southern Bluefin Tuna) Regulations 1995* (hereinafter referred to as the principal regulations).

(2) These regulations shall come into force on the 28th day after the date of their notification in the *Gazette*.

2. Quota for southern bluefin tuna imposed—The principal regulations are hereby amended by revoking regulation 4, and substituting the following regulation:

“4. (1) Subject to subclause (2) of this regulation, a quota of 420 greenweight tonnes is hereby imposed on the taking of southern bluefin tuna in any fishing year to which these regulations apply.

“(2) For the fishing year commencing on the 1st day of October 1995 and ending on the 30th day of September 1996 the quota for southern bluefin tuna shall be 404.73 greenweight tonnes.

“(3) As soon as practicable on becoming aware that the quota for southern bluefin tuna for any fishing year has been reached, the chief executive of the Ministry shall notify each holder of a fishing permit that authorises its holder to take southern bluefin tuna of that fact in writing.”

MARIE SHROFF,
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, which come into force on the 28th day after the date of their notification in the *Gazette*, reduce the southern bluefin tuna quota for the 1995-96 fishing year from 420 tonnes to 404.73 tonnes.

The amount of the reduction is equal to the amount by which the quota was overfished in the preceding fishing year.

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These regulations are administered in the Ministry of Fisheries.