

# THE FRESHWATER FISH FARMING REGULATIONS 1983, AMENDMENT NO. 2

# PAUL REEVES, Governor-General

### ORDER IN COUNCIL

At Wellington this 19th day of December 1988

# Present:

THE HON. M. K. MOORE PRESIDING IN COUNCIL

PURSUANT to 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 Freshwater Fish Farming Regulations 1983, Amendment No. 2, and shall be read together with and deemed part of the Freshwater Fish Farming Regulations 1983\* (hereinafter referred to as the principal regulations).
- (2) These regulations shall come into force on the day after the date of their notification in the *Gazette*.
- **2. Sale and possession of fish** Regulation 16 of the principal regulations is hereby amended by revoking paragraphs (c) and (d), and substituting the following paragraph:
  - "(d) A licensed fish receiver to store and sell any salmon received from a commercial fisherman pursuant to paragraph (c) of this

1988/322

regulation before that paragraph was revoked by regulation 2 of the Freshwater Fish Farming Regulations 1983, Amendment No. 2."

> 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 revoke paragraphs (c) and (d) of regulation 16 of the Freshwater Fish Farming Regulations 1983, and replace them with a new paragraph (d).

Former paragraph (c) allowed commercial fishermen to retain and land salmon caught as accidental bycatch outside the district of any acclimatisation society so long as the fishermen delivered the salmon to a fish packing house approved by the Director-General.

delivered the salmon to a fish packing house approved by the Director-General.

This question of accidental bycatch is now dealt with under new regulation 30A of the Fisheries (Commercial Fishing) Regulations 1986, under which commercial fishermen are required to surrender bycatch salmon to the Crown or dispose of them in a manner directed by a Fishery Officer. Licensed fish receivers may store and sell any salmon so surrendered or disposed of.

New paragraph 16 (d) simply preserves the position of fish packing houses in relation to salmon received before the commencement of these regulations.

Issued under the authority of the Regulations Act 1936. Date of notification in *Gazette*: 21 December 1988.

These regulations are administered in the Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries.