

## Fisheries (Declaration of New Stocks Subject to Quota Management System) Notice 2006

Pursuant to sections 18 and 19 of the Fisheries Act 1996, the Minister of Fisheries gives the following notice.

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#### **Notice**

#### 1 Title

This notice is the Fisheries (Declaration of New Stocks Subject to Quota Management System) Notice 2006.

#### 2 Commencement

This notice comes into force on the day after the date of its notification in the *Gazette*.

### 3 References to quota management areas, species, and codes

In Schedule 1,—

- (a) the quota management areas referred to by a reference number are the fishery management areas described by reference to the same number in Part 1 of Schedule 1 of the Fisheries Act 1996, except as provided in paragraphs (b) and (c):
- (b) in the case of certain prawn killer stocks, the references to quota management areas 3, 4A, 6A, and 6B are references to the corresponding areas set out in Schedule 2:
- (c) the references to QMS fishstock codes in the third column of Schedule 1 are references to the codes for the relevant stock once it is introduced into the quota management system.

#### 4 New stocks to be subject to quota management system

The stocks specified in the first column of Schedule 1, in the quota management areas specified in the second column of that schedule, are to be subject to the quota management system established under Part 4 of the Fisheries Act 1996 on and from 1 October 2007.

#### 5 Fishing years

The fishing year for each stock specified in Schedule 1 is the 12-month period beginning on 1 October in any year.

## 6 How total allowable commercial catch and annual catch entitlements to be expressed

The total allowable commercial catch and annual catch entitlements for all fishstocks specified in Schedule 1 are to be expressed as greenweight kilograms.

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Species	Quota management	QMS fishstock code
	area	
Prawn killer (Ibacus	1	PRK1
alticrenatus)	2	PRK2
	3	PRK3
	4A	PRK4A
	5	PRK5
	6A	PRK6A
	6B	PRK6B
	7	PRK7
	8	PRK8
	9	PRK9
	10	PRK10

# Cl 3(b) Schedule 2 Quota management areas for certain prawn killer stocks

Quota management area 3—South East Coast and Western Chatham Islands combined

All that area of New Zealand fisheries waters enclosed by a line—

- (a) commencing at a point 42°10.0'S and 180°00.0'; then
- (b) proceeding south along the 180°00.0′ line of longitude to latitude 46°00.0′S; then
- (c) proceeding west along the 46°00.0'S line of latitude to longitude 176°00.0'E; then
- (d) proceeding in a generally south-westerly direction directly to a point 48°19.0'S and 170°31.0'E; then
- (e) proceeding in a generally north-westerly direction directly to the mean high-water mark of the South Island at the southernmost point of Slope Point (approximately 46°40.5′S and 169°00.0′E); then
- (f) proceeding in a generally north-easterly direction along the mean high-water mark of the South Island to latitude 42°10.0'S (approximately 173°56.5'E, near Clarence Point); then
- (g) proceeding east along the 42°10.0′S line of latitude until reaching the point of commencement.

#### Quota management area 4A—Chatham Islands East

All that area of New Zealand fisheries waters enclosed by a line—

- (a) commencing at point 42°10.0'S and 180°00.0'; then
- (b) proceeding south along the 180°00.0′ line of longitude to latitude 46°00.0′S; then
- (c) proceeding east along the 46°00.0′S line of latitude to the exclusive economic zone boundary (longitude approximately 171°46.7′W); then
- (d) proceeding in a generally northerly direction along the exclusive economic zone boundary to latitude 42°10.0′S (longitude approximately 171°59.1′W); then
- (e) proceeding west along the line of latitude 42°10.0′S until reaching the point of commencement.

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Explanatory note

Quota management area 6A-Auckland Islands

All that area of New Zealand fisheries waters within fishery management area 6—Sub-Antarctic described in Part 1 of Schedule 1 of the Fisheries Act 1996 that surrounds the Auckland Islands within an area bounded by latitude 49°00.0′S in the north, and a line from 52°00.0′S and 164°30.0′E to 51°30.0′S and 168°30.0′E in the south, and by a line of longitude at 164°30.0′E in the west and 168°30.0′E in the east.

Quota management area 6B—Part Sub-Antarctic

All that area of New Zealand fisheries waters within fishery management area 6—Sub-Antarctic described in Part 1 of Schedule 1 of the Fisheries Act 1996, excluding prawn killer quota management area 6A.

Dated at Wellington this 21st day of November 2006.

Jim Anderton,
Minister of Fisheries.

#### **Explanatory note**

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

This notice, which comes into force on the day after the date of its notification in the *Gazette*, introduces new stocks from the prawn killer species to the quota management system established under Part 4 of the Fisheries Act 1996 with effect on and from 1 October 2007.

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This notice is administered by the Ministry of Fisheries.

