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THE FISHERIES (COMMERCIAL QUOTAS) REGULATIONS 1984, AMENDMENT NO. 1

DAVID BEATTIE, Governor-General

ORDER IN COUNCIL

At the Government House at Wellington this 27th day of May 1985

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

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REGULATIONS

1. Title and commencement—(1) These regulations may be cited as the Fisheries (Commercial Quotas) Regulations 1984, Amendment No. 1, and shall be read together with and deemed part of the Fisheries (Commercial Quotas) Regulations 1984* (hereinafter referred to as the principal regulations).

(2) These regulations shall come into force on the 1st day of June 1985.

2. Interpretation—Regulation 2 of the principal regulations is hereby amended by inserting, in their appropriate alphabetical order, the following definitions:

- "'Alfonsino' means the fish of which the scientific name is Beryx splendens:
- "'Bluenose' means the fish of which the scientific name is *Hyperoglyphe antarctica*:
- "''Central Fishery Management Area' means the fishery management area that is described as the Central Fishery Management Area in the Schedule to the notice declaring fishery management areas that was published in the *Gazette* on the 27th day of April 1984 at p. 1402:
- " 'Trawl net' means any net or part thereof (including any warp, rope, chain, material, or device used in conjunction with, or attached to, the net) which has a buoyancy system on the top edge and is weighted on the bottom edge and is operated by being drawn over the bed of any waters or through any waters by one or more vessels underway:

"'Trawling' means using a trawl net:".

3. Squid quota increased—Regulation 3 of the principal regulations is hereby amended by omitting from the table contained in subclause (1) the item relating to squid, and substituting the following item:

"Squid	A	Nil
	Southern Islands Fisheries Area	17,200
	Rest of NZFW	20,520
		37,720".

4. Alfonsino and bluenose trawl quotas imposed—The principal regulations are hereby amended by inserting, after regulation 4, the following regulation:

"5. (1) Quotas are hereby imposed on the taking by trawling, in the Central Fishery Management Area, of alfonsino and bluenose.

"(2) Notwithstanding anything in regulation 1 (2) of these regulations, the quotas imposed by this regulation shall apply only in respect of alfonsino and bluenose taken by commercial fishermen during the period beginning on the 1st day of June 1985 and ending with the close of the 30th day of September 1985.

¹(3) The quota imposed by this regulation in respect of alfonsino is 180 greenweight tonnes.

"(4) The quota imposed by this regulation in respect of bluenose is 110 greenweight tonnes."

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 1 June 1985, amend the Fisheries (Commercial Quotas) Regulations 1984, which apply in respect of all fish for which a quota is prescribed taken by commercial fishermen during the fishing year that commenced on 1 October 1984.

Regulation 3 increases the quantity of squid that may be taken in the rest of New Zealand Fisheries Waters, which is, in the case of squid, the area that remains after deducting both Area A (which is around the Kermadec Islands) and the Southern Islands Fisheries Area. The increase of 5,000 tonnes is effected by increasing the quota in respect of the rest of New Zealand Fisheries Waters from 15,520 greenweight tonnes to 20,520 greenweight tonnes.

Regulation 4 imposes quotas on the taking by trawling, in the Central Fisheries Management Area, of alfonsino and bluenose. The quotas apply only in respect of alfonsino and bluenose taken by commercial fishermen during the period beginning on 1 June 1985 and ending with the close of 30 September 1985. The quotas fixed are 180 greenweight tonnes in respect of alfonsino and 110 greenweight tonnes in respect of bluenose.

Issued under the authority of the Regulations Act 1936.

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