



**FISHERIES (FOVEAUX STRAIT DREDGE OYSTER FISHERY)  
NOTICE 1999**

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PURSUANT to section 368A of the Fisheries Act 1996, the Minister for Food, Fibre, Biosecurity and Border Control gives the following notice.

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NOTICE

**1. Title and commencement**—(1) This notice may be cited as the Fisheries (Foveaux Strait Dredge Oyster Fishery) Notice 1999.

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

**2. Interpretation**—In this notice, the term “Foveaux Strait dredge oyster fishery” means the Foveaux Strait Dredge Oyster Fishery defined in regulation 2 of the Fisheries (Southland and Sub-Antarctic Areas Commercial Fishing) Regulations 1986\*.

**3. Total allowable catch**—The total allowable catch for the Foveaux Strait dredge oyster fishery is 20.3 million oysters.

**4. Oyster season**—The Foveaux Strait dredge oyster season for 1999 and every subsequent year is the period 11 April to 31 August (both dates inclusive).

**5. Prohibited area**—The taking of Foveaux Strait dredge oysters is prohibited from those waters which lie inside straight lines drawn from Saddle Point on Stewart Island (at 46° 43.4'S and 167° 58.7'E) to Garden Point (at 46° 46.4'S and 168° 00.3'E); then to Mamaku Point (at 46° 51.7'S and 168° 08.7'E); then along the mean high-water mark to the point of commencement.

**6. Revocation**—The Fisheries (Foveaux Strait Dredge Oyster Fishery) Notice 1998\* is revoked.

Dated at Wellington this 16th day of March 1999.

JOHN LUXTON,  
Minister for Food, Fibre, Biosecurity and Border Control.

\*Gazette, 1998, p. 1204

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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*, revokes and replaces the Fisheries (Foveaux Strait Dredge Oyster Fishery) Notice 1998.

The new notice specifies that for the 1999 season, and for subsequent years, the Foveaux Strait dredge oyster season commences on 11 April and ends on 31 August (both dates inclusive). The total allowable catch and the prohibited areas remain the same.

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