

# House of Representatives

# Supplementary Order Paper

Tuesday, 15 October 2019

## Conservation (Indigenous Freshwater Fish) Amendment Bill

### *Proposed amendments*

Sarah Dowie, in Committee, to move the following amendments:

#### *Clause 7*

In the *heading to clause 7*, replace “**26ZHD**” (page 4, line 3) with “**26ZHE**”.

In *clause 7, new section 26ZHB(1)*, replace “section **26ZHC(1)(a)** or **26ZHD**” (page 4, line 16) with “section **26ZHC(1)(a)**, **26ZHD**, or **26ZHE**”.

In *clause 7*, after *new section 26ZHD* (page 5, after line 38), insert:

#### **26ZHE Taking of whitebait**

- (1) A person may fish for whitebait from a conservation area in accordance with the Whitebait Fishing Regulations 1994 or Whitebait Fishing (West Coast) Regulations 1994.
- (2) The Director-General—
  - (a) must not take any action that would prohibit, or result in the effective prohibition of, the taking of whitebait in a conservation area; but
  - (b) must otherwise take any actions necessary to ensure that the whitebait fishery is sustainably managed, including measures such as—
    - (i) temporary restrictions within a conservation area for a prescribed period of time;
    - (ii) imposing time limits for fishing;
    - (iii) restricting net size;
    - (iv) limiting the number of nets per person.

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*Clause 16A*

In *clause 16A*, new *Part 2 of Schedule 1AA*, delete *clause 4* (page 11, lines 28 to 33).

**Explanatory note**

This Supplementary Order Paper amends the Conservation (Indigenous Freshwater Fish) Amendment Bill to remove whitebait from the ban on fishing on conservation estate rivers and provide for the Director-General to ensure that the whitebait fishery is sustainably managed.