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Statutory Rules 1996 No. L¹ 67/

Fisheries Management Regulations² (Amendment)

I, THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL of the Commonwealth of Australia, acting with the advice of the Federal Executive Council, make the following Regulations under the *Fisheries Management Act 1991*.

Dated L 1996.

29 May/

L WILLIAM DEANE/
Governor-General

By His Excellency's Command,

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Minister for Resources and Energy

WARWICK PARER/

1. Amendment

1.1 The Fisheries Management Regulations are amended as set out in these Regulations.

[Note: These Regulations commence on gazettal: see *Acts Interpretation Act 1901*, s. 48.]

2. Regulation 19A (Regulation of longline fishing—section 14 of the Act)

2.1 Omit the regulation, substitute:

Regulation of longline fishing—section 14 of the Act

“**19A.** A person must not set a pelagic, or drifting, longline from:

- (a) an Australian boat; or
- (b) a foreign boat in the AFZ;

south of the parallel of Latitude 30° South unless there is attached to the boat, in relation to each point at which hooks, connected directly or indirectly to the longline, enter the water:

- (c) a Tori Pole apparatus, in accordance with Schedule 3D; or
- (d) if the person is the holder of a scientific permit under section 33 of the Act that permits the use, in that area, of another apparatus instead of a Tori Pole apparatus—an apparatus that complies with the permit.

Maximum penalty: 10 penalty units.”.

3. Schedule 3D (Tori pole apparatus—construction and mounting)

3.1 Subparagraph 4 (d) (ii):

Omit the subparagraph, substitute:

- “(ii) each streamer in the streamer pair that is positioned the greatest distance from the boat is:
 - (A) if the boat is an Australian boat—at least 1 metre long; or
 - (B) if the boat is a foreign boat—at least 3.5 metres long; and”.

NOTES

1. Notified in the *Commonwealth of Australia Gazette* on *L* 1996. *30 May*
2. Statutory Rules 1992 No. 20 as amended by 1992 No. 455; 1993 Nos. 74, 118 and 296; 1994 Nos. 77, 125 and 419; 1995 Nos. 285 and 360 .