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## **Subordinate Legislation Act 1994**

### NOTICE OF DECISION

#### Wildlife (Game) (Specified Hunting Area) Regulations 1998

I, Marie Tehan, Minister for Conservation and Land Management, and Minister responsible for the **Wildlife Act 1975**, give notice under section 12 of the **Subordinate Legislation Act 1994**, as follows:-

A Regulatory Impact Statement (RIS) was prepared in relation to the proposed Wildlife (Game) (Specified Hunting Area) Regulations 1998 and advertised inviting public comment. Eight submissions were received commenting on a number of issues relating to the RIS and the proposed regulations.

After considering these submissions I have decided that the proposed regulations should be made with the following amendments:-

Two additional clauses have been inserted in the proposed regulations providing for the end of the close season and the start of the open season to be the beginning of the third Saturday in March in each year. This ensures the ability to control behaviour on wetlands in the period immediately before hunting commences on the first day of the season and addresses a concern raised by Victoria Police. Hunting on that day will not commence until after daylight by virtue of an order under section 86 of the **Wildlife Act 1975**.

Dated 10 March 1998.

MARIE TEHAN  
Minister for Conservation  
and Land Management

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