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Livestock Disease Control Act 1994

NOTICE OF ORDER

Order Declaring A Control Area For Herpes-Like Virus of Abalone

I, Bob Cameron, Minister for Agriculture, give notice of the making of an Order under section 29 of the **Livestock Disease Control Act 1994** declaring an area along the Victorian coastline west of Port Fairy that includes marine waters to be a Control Area for the exotic disease Herpes-like virus of Abalone. The Control Area is bounded by the high water mark from Boulder Point (located to the east of the Craggs) to the Moyne river mouth at Port Fairy and includes an area of marine waters within the lines joining the way points specified on the attached map. The Order specifies the prohibitions, restrictions and requirements which are to operate in the Control Area and identifies the livestock, livestock products, fodder or fittings that are affected by the Order.

The Order prohibits in the Control Area –

- the use of all commercial fishing and abalone equipment and the use of the following recreational fishing equipment – hoopnets, bait traps, recreational hauling nets and abalone levers;
- anchoring of vessels and fishing equipment
- the collection or attempted collection of abalone and all shellfish, rock lobster, sea urchins, all other invertebrates and substrate.

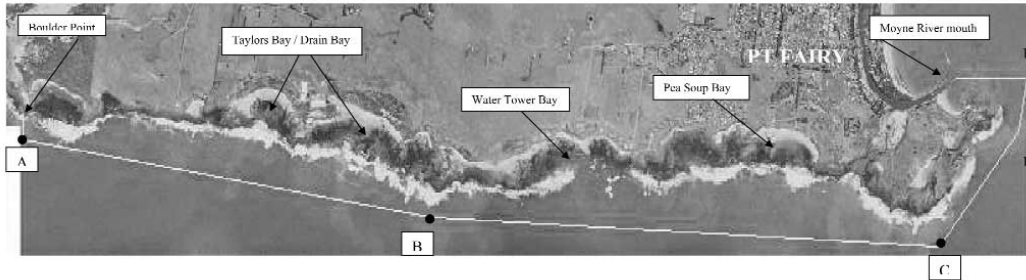
The Order also prohibits the removal of abalone, rock lobster, shellfish, sea urchins, all other invertebrates and substrate from the Control Area and requires persons to report unusual symptoms or death of abalone in the Control Area.

The Order has effect for 60 days from the date it is made.

SPECIAL

A map of the Control Area is set-out below.

Control area for Herpes-like Virus in Abalone



Way Points	Conversion to AGD 84	
	Latitude	Longitude
A	38° 23.7 S	142° 8.6 E
B	38° 24.0 S	142° 11.4 E
C	38° 24.1 S	142° 14.9 E
D	38° 23.6 S	142° 15.4 E
E	38° 23.3 S	142° 15.5 E

Point A – North to Boulder Point (Far eastern end of Crag)

Point E – West to mouth of the Moyne River.

Points A to Point E – Line between points in sequence.

A copy of the Order with a map of the Control Area attached to it may be obtained by calling the Office of the Chief Veterinary Officer on (03) 9217 4248 between 8.30 am and 5.00 pm Monday to Friday, or the DPI Call Centre on 136 186 between 8.00 am and 8.00 pm Monday to Friday.

Dated 9 June 2006

BOB CAMERON MP
Minister for Agriculture

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