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FISHERIES NOTICE NO. 10/2013

I, Ross McGowan, Executive Director Regulation and Compliance (Fisheries), as delegate of the Minister for Agriculture and Food Security and having undertaken consultation in accordance with section 3A of the **Fisheries Act 1995** (the Act), make the following Fisheries Notice under section 152 of the Act:

Dated 31 October 2013

ROSS MCGOWAN
Executive Director Fisheries Victoria

FISHERIES (DUSKY FLATHEAD) NOTICE NO. 10/2013

1. Title

This Notice may be cited as the Fisheries (Dusky Flathead) Notice No. 10/2013.

2. Objectives

The objective of this Notice is to set minimum and maximum size limits for recreational dusky flathead (*Platycephalus fuscus*) fishing in Victorian waters.

3. Authorising provision

This Notice is made under section 152 of the Act.

4. Commencement

This Notice comes into operation on the day it is published in the Victoria Government Gazette and in a newspaper circulating generally in the affected area.

5. Size Limits

For the purposes of the Act, the minimum size with respect to the taking of dusky flathead is 30 centimetres. The maximum size with respect to the taking of dusky flathead is 55 centimetres.

Notes

1. There are offences in sections 68A and 68B of the Act relating to taking or possessing fish of a species that are less than the minimum size or more than the maximum size specified for that species of fish in this Notice. Various penalties apply.
2. Section 152(3) of the Act provides that if a Fisheries Notice is inconsistent with any regulations, management plan, Ministerial direction, licence or permit, the Fisheries Notice prevails to the extent of the inconsistency.

6. Application to Fisheries Reserves

This Notice applies to a Fisheries Reserve, as declared under section 88 of the Act, to the extent that fishing is permitted in the Fisheries Reserve.

7. Revocation

Unless sooner revoked, this Notice will be automatically revoked 12 months after the day on which it comes into operation.

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