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Livestock Disease Control Act 1994

ORDER DECLARING CONTROL AREA TO PREVENT, CONTROL AND ERADICATE ABALONE VIRAL GANGLIONEURITIS

I, Jaala Pulford, Minister for Agriculture and Minister responsible for the administration of the **Livestock Disease Control Act 1994** (the Act), make the following Order under section 29 of that Act.

1 Objectives

The objectives of this Order are -

- (a) to declare a part of Victoria to be a control area to prevent, control and eradicate the exotic disease, abalone viral ganglioneuritis;
- (b) to specify the prohibitions, restrictions and requirements which are to operate in the control area.

2 Authorising provision

This Order is made under section 29 of the Act.

3 Duration of Order

This Order comes into operation on 1 December 2016 and has effect for 12 months.

4 Revocation

The Order signed by the Minister for Agriculture on 6 March 2016 declaring a control area for abalone viral ganglioneuritis under section 29 of the Act and published in Government Gazette S 64 on 18 March 2016 is **revoked** on 1 January 2017.

5 Definition

In this Order -

Abalone has the same meaning as it has in the **Fisheries Act 1995**.

6 Control area

The premises occupied by Pacific Shoji Pty Ltd located on the land at 285 Avalon Road, Avalon, Victoria is declared to be a control area in respect of the exotic disease, abalone viral ganglioneuritis.

7 The class of livestock affected by this declaration

The class of livestock affected by this declaration is abalone.

8 Prohibitions, restrictions and requirements in the control area

- (1) The discharge of seawater effluent from the premises that is used in the course of holding the affected class of livestock is prohibited.
- (2) Subclause (2) does not apply if the effluent is treated and discharged from the premises in accordance with a permit issued under the Act by an inspector.

Dated 30 November 2016

HON. JAALA PULFORD MP Minister for Agriculture

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