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## **Subordinate Legislation Act 1994**

#### NOTICE OF PREPARATION OF REGULATORY IMPACT STATEMENT

Proposed Marine Safety (Fees) Regulations 2021

I, Melissa Horne, Minister for Fishing and Boating and Minister responsible for administering the **Marine Safety Act 2010**, give notice in accordance with section 11 of the **Subordinate Legislation Act 1994** that a Regulatory Impact Statement (RIS) has been prepared in relation to the proposed Marine Safety (Fees) Regulations 2021.

These Regulations are proposed to replace Part 13 of the Marine Safety Regulations 2012 which will cease operation on 8 July 2021.

The Department of Transport has prepared the Marine Safety (Fees) Regulations 2021, which are proposed to come into operation on 1 July 2021.

The proposed Marine Safety (Fees) Regulations prescribe fees under the **Marine Safety Act 2010**, including fees for marine licences, vessel registrations, and qualifications relating to the ports and shipping sector.

The objectives of the proposed Regulations are to provide for safe marine operations in Victoria by making provisions for fees that may be charged under the **Marine Safety Act 2010**.

The RIS assesses the benefits and costs of the proposed Regulations and possible alternatives. It concludes that the proposed Regulations are the best means to achieve the objectives outlined above.

Copies of the RIS and proposed Regulations may be obtained from https://engage.vic.gov.au

The Department of Transport seeks public comments or submissions on the proposed Regulations and RIS by no later than 10 June 2021. Comments or submissions should be submitted through the above website.

Dated 12 May 2021

HON. MELISSA HORNE MP Minister for Fishing and Boating

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