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Fisheries Act 1968

FISHERIES NOTICE No. 18/1993

I, Charles Geoffrey Coleman, Minister for Natural Resources, after consultation with the Victorian Fishing Industry Federation, make the following Fisheries Notice:

Dated 18 August 1993

C. G. COLEMAN

Minister for Natural Resources

FISHERIES (TAKING OF MUSSELS FROM PORT PHILLIP BAY) PROHIBITION NOTICE 1993

Title

1. This notice may be cited as the Fisheries (Taking of Mussels from Port Phillip Bay) Prohibition Notice No. 18/1993.

Commencement

2. This notice commences on 19 August 1993.

Objective

3. The objective of this notice is to prohibit the taking of mussels from the waters of Port Phillip Bay by commercially licensed fishers for the period commencing on 19 August and ending on 18 November 1993 due to environmental conditions in the Bay being such that mussels are likely to be adversely affected.

Authorising Provision

4. This notice is made under section 80 of the *Fisheries Act 1968*.

Removal of Mussels

5. (1) A person who holds a licence issued pursuant to Part 3 of the *Fisheries Act 1968* must not take mussels from the waters of Port Phillip Bay for a period commencing on 19 August 1993 and ending on 18 November 1993.

(2) The provisions of sub-clause (1) do not apply to persons who hold a fish culture permit issued under Part 5 of the *Fisheries Act 1968*, authorising mussel farming in Port Phillip Bay.

Penalty

6. Any person who contravenes this notice is liable to a penalty of 20 penalty units.

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