

[Legal Notice No. 3]

FISHERIES ACT 1972
(No. 13 of 1972)

THE FISHERIES (AMENDMENT) (NO. 3) REGULATIONS 1995

IN exercise of the powers conferred by section 20 of the Fisheries Act, 1972, I, EDMUND ANDRESEN, Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries, do hereby make the following Regulations -

Citation.

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Fisheries (Amendment) (No. 3) Regulations 1995.

Replacement
of Regulation
9A

2. The Fisheries Regulations 1972 (hereinafter referred to as the "principal Regulations" are amended by deleting regulation 9A thereof, and substituting the following new regulation therefor -

"Protection and export of trochus 9A. (1) Any person who catches and retains, or sells or exposes for sale or buys an trochus shell under 8 centimeters and over 12 centimeters in diameter as measured across the base shall be guilty of an offence and liable to a fine of one hundred dollars or to imprisonment for three months, or to both such fine and imprisonment.

(2) Any person who exports or has in his possession for export any raw trochus shall be guilty of an offence and liable to a fine of one hundred dollars or to imprisonment for three months or to both such fine and imprisonment".

3. The following new regulation is inserted immediately after regulation 11CV of the principal Regulations, and shall have effect as regulation 11D thereof -

Insertion
of new
regulation
11D.

“Protection of wild clams 11D. Any person who has in his possession for sale, sells or buys or exports any clam meat or the product of clams of the genus *Tridacna* and *Hippopus* harvested from the wild, shall be guilty of an offence and liable to a fine of one hundred dollars or to imprisonment for three months or to both such fine and imprisonment.”

4. The Second Schedule to the principal Regulation is amended as follows -

Amendment
of Second
Schedule.

- (a) by deleting all the words and figures from “Foreign Fishing Vessels” to “Local Fishing Vessels SI 2000.00”, and substituting the following -

First-licence - (For First Year which the Company begins operations) -

Purse Seiner	US\$7,500.00
Long Liner	US\$5,000.00
Pole and Line	US2,500.00

Second and Subsequent Year’s Licences

Purse Seiner	US\$15,000.00
Long Liner	US\$10,000.00
Pole and Line	US\$5,000.00

- (b) by deleting the words “crocodile, clam and fish” in the item relating to Farming Licence, and substituting therefor the words “crocodile and fish”.

Dated at Honiara this eleventh day of December 1995.

EDMUND ANDRESEN
Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries