



REPUBLIC OF VANUATU

FISHERIES ACT [CAP 315]

Suspension of Tables IV.1 - Foreign Vessel Fees - and Table IV.4 - Fees for Authorizations for Vanuatu Flagged Vessels to Fish Under Regional Agreements – of the Schedule of The Revised Tuna Management Plan Order No. 169 of 2011

In exercise of the powers conferred on me by subsection 3(6) of the Fisheries Act [CAP 315] and section 20 of the Interpretation Act [CAP 132], I, the Honourable JAMES NWANGO, Minister of Agriculture, Quarantine, Forestry and Fisheries make the following Regulation.

1 Suspension of Foreign Vessel Fees and Fees for authorizations for Vanuatu Flagged vessels to fish under regional agreements

The following fees outlined under the Schedule of the Revised Tuna Management Plan are suspended for a period of 30 days commencing on the commencement date of this regulation:

- (a) Table IV.1 – Foreign vessel Fees; and
- (b) Table IV.4 – Fees for authorizations for Vanuatu flagged vessels to fish under regional agreements.

2 No issuance of Foreign Fishing Licence and International Authorization to Fish Certificate

During the period of suspension specified under clause 1:


- (a) no Foreign Fishing licence must be issued; and
- (b) no International Authorization to Fish Certificate must be issued.

3 Bilateral Access Agreements

To avoid doubt, clause 2 does not affect the issuance of Foreign Fishing License to ships which are covered under a Bilateral Access Agreement.

4 Commencement

This Order commences on the date on which it is made and ceases to have effect on the expiration of 30 days from the date on which it is made.

Made at Port Vila  day of August, 2011.

Honourable JAMES NWANGO
Minister of Agriculture, Forestry, Quarantine, Forestry and Fisheries