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**NOTICE TO MARINE SCALEFISH FISHERY, SOUTHERN ZONE ROCK LOBSTER
FISHERY AND NORTHERN ZONE ROCK LOBSTER FISHERY LICENCES WITH
MARINE SCALEFISH ACCESS**

Information on electronic reporting for the Marine Scalefish.

Dear Licence holder

I write to provide an update on the implementation of electronic reporting for the Marine Scalefish Fishery to replace the current paper-based system.

The Commercial Fishing SA App has now been available for use since November 2022 which enabled fishers to report their catch for marine scalefish quota species electronically. In addition to this, fishers were able to access eCatch through their myPIRSA portal and report their catch directly into eCatch. This change has resulted in a more effective process for submitting Catch and Disposal Records (CDRs) in the Marine Scalefish Fishery.

During the transition phase you were required to dual report your catch using paper-based CDR's as well as electronic CDR's (eCDRs) to ensure their accuracy. Note, if you have already received a letter from PIRSA Leasing and Licensing advising of your transition to electronic only reporting, there is no further action required.

Please be advised that as of 31 January 2023, you are no longer required to submit a paper CDR to Leasing and Licensing.

Paper CDRs will no longer be accepted and only eCDRs submitted via Commercial Fishing SA App or the eCatch(Digital Reporting) service through your myPIRSA portal will be accepted.

If you have any queries, please contact PIRSA Fisheries & Aquaculture, Leasing & Licensing on 8207 5332 or email pirsa.ebusinessfisheries@sa.gov.au, or your local Fisheries Officer.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Benn Gramola', written in a cursive style.

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