

FISHERIES MANAGEMENT ACT 2007: SECTION 115
MINISTERIAL EXEMPTION ME9903437

TAKE NOTICE that pursuant to section 115 of the *Fisheries Management Act 2007* (the Act), unlicensed persons fishing pursuant to a charter boat fishing agreement with the holder of a licence issued under the Fisheries Management (Charter Boat Fishery) Regulations 2016 (the 'exemption holder'), are exempt from the provisions of section 79 of the Act but only insofar as an unlicensed person may transit through the waters described in schedule 1 while in possession of Snapper lawfully taken from the South East Fishing Zone during the period 1 July 2026 to 30 June 2027.

SCHEDULE 1

The waters of the Gulf St. Vincent and Kangaroo Island Fishing Zone, the Spencer Gulf Fishing Zone, the West Coast Fishing Zone, and the Port Adelaide River estuary.

For the purpose of this Notice:

Gulf St. Vincent and Kangaroo Island Fishing Zone, Spencer Gulf Fishing Zone and West Coast Fishing Zone have the same respective meanings as in the *Fisheries Management (Marine Scalefish Fishery) Regulations 2017*.

Port Adelaide River estuary has the same meaning as in the *Fisheries Management (General) Regulations 2017*.

This notice does not purport to override the provisions or operation of any other Act including, but not limited to, the *Marine Parks Act 2007*. The exemption holder and agents must comply with any relevant regulations, permits, requirements and directions from the Department for Environment and Water when undertaking activities within a marine park.

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