

SUPPLEMENTARY GAZETTE



**THE SOUTH AUSTRALIAN
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FISHERIES ACT 1982: SECTION 59

TAKE notice that, pursuant to section 59 of the Fisheries Act 1982, SAM Abalone Pty Ltd, P.O. Box 2260, Port Lincoln, S.A. 5606 (the 'exemption holder') or their agents are exempt from section 41 of the Fisheries Act 1982, Schedule 6 of the Fisheries (General) Regulations 2000 and the provisions of the Scheme of Management (Abalone Fisheries) Regulations 1991, but only insofar as they may take greenlip abalone (*Haliotis laevis*) and Roe's abalone (*Haliotis roei*) for the purpose of aquaculture broodstock (the 'exempted activity') in the waters specified in Schedule 1, subject to the conditions in Schedule 2, from 1 July 2003 until 30 June 2004, unless this notice is varied or revoked earlier.

SCHEDULE 1

South Australian coastal waters south and east of a line drawn due south through Point Brown (latitude 32°32.6'S, longitude 133°50.8'E) and west of the meridian of longitude 136°30'E.

SCHEDULE 2

1. The exemption holder may take a maximum of 200 greenlip abalone (*Haliotis laevis*).

2. The exemption holder may take a maximum of 100 Roe's abalone (*Haliotis roei*).

3. The exemption holder is exempt from the size limits prescribed in Schedule 6 of the Fisheries (General) Regulations 2000 when undertaking the exempt activity.

4. All abalone taken pursuant to this exemption must not be sold or transferred.

5. All abalone taken pursuant to this notice must be delivered to and retained on the registered aquaculture site of landbased aquaculture licence number FT00423.

6. The only persons who may act as agents of the exemption holder are Doug Graske, David Buckland and Andrew Christian.

7. The exemption holder shall notify the PIRSA Fisheries Compliance Unit on 1800 065 522 at least 24 hours prior to conducting the exempted activity with the following information:

- details of the boat that will be used to engage in the exempted activity;
- the name of the person who will be conducting the exempted activity;
- the intended place and time of launching and retrieval of the nominated boat for that day; and
- the intended area of conducting the exempted activity.

8. The exemption holder must, within 50 m of the point of landing of any abalone taken pursuant to this notice, complete the PIRSA Fisheries form 'Abalone Broodstock Collection Statement'. Immediately upon arrival at the exemption holders registered aquaculture site, this form must be faxed to PIRSA Fisheries on (08) 8347 6150. Prior to release into the registered aquaculture site, all abalone taken pursuant to this notice must be tagged so as to be clearly identified as wild broodstock.

9. The exemption holder shall record the number of wild broodstock held pursuant to this notice in a register to be maintained at the registered aquaculture site, which must be made available for inspection by a PIRSA Fisheries Compliance Officer upon request.

10. PIRSA Fisheries Compliance Unit retains the right for a departmental officer to accompany the exemption holder at any time during the exempted activity.

11. While engaged in the exempted activity the exemption holder shall carry or have about or near his person a copy of this notice. Such notice must be produced to a PIRSA Fisheries Compliance Officer upon request.

12. The exemption holder shall not contravene or fail to comply with the Fisheries Act 1982, or any regulations made under that Act, except where specifically exempted by this notice.

Dated 12 June 2003.

W. ZACHARIN, Director of Fisheries