Fish Resources Management Act 1994 (WA)(CKI)

Section 7

INSTRUMENT OF EXEMPTION

I, Hon Nola Marino, Assistant Minister for Regional Development and Territories, pursuant to Section 7 of the Fish Resources Management Act 1994 (WA)(CKI), do HEREBY EXEMPT the class of persons specified in Schedule 1 from section 50(3) of the Fish Resources Management Act 1994 (WA)(CKI) which would prevent those persons from lawfully pursuing the activity specified in Schedule 2, in the area specified in Schedule 3, for the period specified in Schedule 4, subject to the conditions specified in Schedule 5.

Schedule 1
Class of person

Members of the Cocos Malay community.

Schedule 2 Activity

To take or bring onto land or into waters of the Cocos (Keeling) Islands fish in excess of the bag limit of those fish.

Schedule 3 Area

Land and adjacent waters within 12 nautical miles of the Cocos (Keeling) Islands.

Schedule 4 Period

From 1 July 2021 until 30 June 2023.

Schedule 5 Conditions

1. The persons specified in Schedule 1 must not undertake the activities specified in Schedule 2 except for at the following times:

a) during the Ceremony of Death month (prior to the start of Ramadan);
b) one (1) week before Hari Raya Puasa Day;
c) one (1) week before Muhammad’s birthday;
d) one (1) week before Islamic New Year;
e) two (2) months before a Cocos Malay community wedding, being held at the Cocos (Keeling) Islands;
f) one (1) week before the celebration of a Cocos Malay community member circumcision;
g) during the week following a Cocos Malay community member funeral; one (1) day prior to the celebration at day 40, day 100, 1st anniversary, 2nd anniversary and day 1000; and h) one (1) week before the celebration of the birth of a child (40 days after birth).

2. Fish taken pursuant to this Instrument of Exemption may not be sold.

THE HON NOLA MARINO
ASSISTANT MINISTER FOR REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT AND TERRITORIES

Dated this day of 2020