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**FISH RESOURCES MANAGEMENT ACT 1994**

PROHIBITION ON COMMERCIAL FISHING FOR ROCK LOBSTER (DAMPIER)  
ORDER 1997  
Order No.5 of 1997

FD 703/97 [158]  
Made by the Minister under section 43.

**Citation**

1. This order may be cited as the *Prohibition on Commercial Fishing for Rock Lobster (Dampier) Order 1997*.

**Interpretation**

2. In this order -  
“rock lobster” means the crustacean of that common name described by the scientific classification opposite that name in column 2 of Schedule 7 of the regulations;  
“regulations” means the *Fish Resources Management Regulations 1995*.

**Prohibition on fishing for rock lobster**

3. The holder of a commercial fishing licence must not fish for rock lobster at any time in the waters of the Indian Ocean bounded by a line commencing at the high water mark at the northern most point of Cape Preston; thence north to the intersection of the 200 metre isobath; thence generally north easterly along the 200 metre isobath to the intersection of 117°10' east longitude; thence south to the intersection of the high water mark on the mainland (Cape Lambert); thence in a generally south westerly direction along the high water mark on the mainland back to the commencement point.

Dated this 24<sup>th</sup> day of June 1997.

MONTY HOUSE, Minister for Fisheries.

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