FISHERIES ACT 1905

PROHIBITION ON TAKING SAMSON FISH OR YELLOWTAIL KINGFISH (HOUTMAN ABROLHOS) NOTICE 1995 NOTICE No. 695

FD 698/85.

Made by the Minister under sections 9 and 10.

Citation

1. This notice may be cited as the *Prohibition on taking Samson Fish or Yellowtail Kingfish (Houtman Abrolhos) Notice 1995.*

Prohibition on taking Samson Fish or Yellowtail Kingfish

Unless otherwise authorized in writing by the Minister, a person shall not take, or attempt
to take, Samson Fish (Seriola hippos) or Yellowtail Kingfish (Seriola lalandi) by any
means from the waters described in the Schedule.

Schedule

- North Island All the waters within 600 metres of the northern end of the northern most jetty on the island.
- Wallabi Group All the waters below the high water mark bounded by a line commencing at the southern most extremity of Little Pigeon Island; thence in a generally westerly direction to the southern most extremity of Seagull Island; thence generally north along the eastern high water mark of that island to its northern most extremity; thence generally in a northerly direction to the southern most extremity of Barge Rock; thence generally north along the eastern high water mark to its northern most extremity; thence in a generally south easterly direction to the northern most extremity of Pigeon Island; thence generally south along the western high water mark of that island to its southern most extremity; thence generally south to the northern most extremity of Little Pigeon Island; thence generally south along the western high water mark of that island to the commencement point.
- 3. Easter Group All the waters below the high water mark bounded by a line commencing at the high water mark on the north eastern most extremity of Rat Island; thence due east for approximately 200 metres to the end of the reef known colloquially as Home Reef; thence in a generally southerly direction along the eastern side of that Reef until due east of the southern most extremity of Roma Island; thence due west to the southern most extremity of Roma Island; thence north along the eastern high water mark of Roma Island to the northern extremity of that island; thence north to the southern most extremity of Little Rat Island; thence north along the eastern high water mark to the northern extremity of that Island; thence north to the southern most extremity of Bushby Island; thence north along the eastern high water mark of that island to its northern extremity; thence north west to the southern most extremity of Rat Island; thence generally north along the eastern high water mark of that island to the commencement point.

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4. Southern Group – All the waters below high water mark bounded by a line commencing at the south western extremity of Basile Island; thence in a generally south easterly direction to the southern most extremity of Robinson Island; thence in a generally northerly direction along the high water mark on the eastern side of the islands known as Foale Island, Nook Island to the southern most extremity of Newman Island; thence in a generally westerly direction along the high water mark on the northern side of that island to its northern most extremity; thence generally in a west/south west direction along the high water mark on the western side of the islands known as Post Office Island, Mangrove Island, Burnett Island to the northern most extremity of Basile Island, thence in a generally south westerly direction along the high water mark on the western side of that island to the commencement point.

Dated this 10th day of February 1995.

MONTY HOUSE, Minister for Fisheries.

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