



FISHERIES AMENDMENT ACT 1984

No. 40 of 1984

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AN ACT to amend the Fisheries Act 1959.

[Royal Assent 20 June 1984]

BE it enacted by His Excellency the Governor of Tasmania, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and House of Assembly, in Parliament assembled, as follows:—

1—This Act may be cited as the *Fisheries Amendment Act 1984*. Short title.

2—In this Act, the *Fisheries Act 1959** is referred to as the Principal Act.
Principal Act.

* No. 16 of 1959. For this Act, as amended up to and including 1st August 1980, see the continuing Reprint of Statutes. Subsequently amended by No. 86 of 1980, No. 40 of 1981, and Nos. 10, 39, 88, and 99 of 1982, and by S.R. 1983, No. 99.

Amendment of
section 9 of
Principal Act
(Regulations).

3—Section 9 (1) of the Principal Act is amended by inserting the following paragraph after paragraph (ta):—

(tb) providing for the licensing of persons harvesting marine plants for commercial purposes other than on a marine farm within the meaning of section 12, regulating the issue, form, terms and conditions, duration, suspension, and cancellation of those licences, prescribing the fees to be paid for those licences, and prohibiting, except on a marine farm within the meaning of section 12, unlicensed persons from harvesting marine plants for commercial purposes;

Amendment of
section 67 of
Principal Act
(Arrest of
offenders).

4—(1) Section 67 of the Principal Act is amended by omitting “so required to desist” from subsection (2) and substituting “who, when required under subsection (1) to desist from offending against this Act,”.

(2) Section 67 of the Principal Act is further amended by inserting the following subsection after subsection (2):—

(2A) If a person who, when required under subsection (1) to state his name and place of abode, fails or refuses to give his full name and the address of that place of abode or gives a name or an address for his place of abode that is false or that an officer believes, on reasonable grounds, to be false, an officer may arrest him without warrant, and may seize any engine or instrument unlawfully used by the offender.

(3) Section 67 of the Principal Act is further amended by omitting “so arrested” from subsection (3) and substituting “arrested under subsection (2) or (2A)”.