



COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA

Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999

**Revocation of an Accreditation of a Plan, Regime or Policy for the Purposes of
Part 13; *Acts Interpretation Act 1901* section 33(3); Accreditation of a Plan,
Regime or Policy for the Purposes of Part 13**

I, NATHAN HANNA, A/g Assistant Secretary, Marine Biodiversity Policy Branch, as Delegate of the Minister for Sustainability, Environment, Water, Population and Communities, pursuant to sections 208A, 222A, 245 and 265 of the *Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999* (EPBC Act) and section 33(3) of the *Acts Interpretation Act 1901* revoke the accreditation dated 10 April 2008 for the Gulf of Carpentaria Developmental Fin Fish Trawl Fishery.

Being satisfied that:

- the management regime for the Gulf of Carpentaria Developmental Fin Fish Trawl Fishery in force under the *Queensland Fisheries Act 1994* and *Fisheries Regulation 2008* requires persons engaged in fishing under the management plan to take all reasonable steps to ensure that members of listed threatened species, listed migratory species, cetaceans and listed marine species are not killed or injured as a result of the fishing; and
- the fishery to which the management plan relates is not likely to adversely affect:
 - the survival or recovery in nature of any listed threatened species; or
 - the conservation status of a listed migratory species, cetacean, or listed marine species or a population of that species,

I hereby accredit the management regime for the Gulf of Carpentaria Developmental Fin Fish Trawl Fishery in force under the *Queensland Fisheries Act 1994* and *Queensland Fisheries Regulation 2008*, pursuant to sections 208A, 222A, 245 and 265 of the EPBC Act for the purposes of Divisions 1, 2, 3 and 4 respectively of Part 13 of the EPBC Act.

Unless amended or revoked, this accreditation is subjected to the following condition applied under section 303AA:

1. Fisheries Queensland, by September 2012, taking into consideration the results of bycatch reduction trials, to implement appropriate bycatch reduction devices as an operational requirement in the Gulf of Carpentaria Developmental Fin Fish Trawl Fishery.

Dated this 25 day of November 2010

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Delegate of the Minister for Sustainability, Environment, Water,
Population and Communities

