



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, NIGEL ROUTH, Assistant Secretary, Marine Biodiversity Policy Branch, as Delegate of the Minister for Environment Protection, Heritage and the Arts 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 11 November 2004 for the Northern Demersal Scalefish Managed Fishery.

Being satisfied that:

- The *Northern Demersal Scalefish Fishery Management Plan 2000* for the Northern Demersal Scalefish Managed Fishery, in force under the *Western Australian Fish Resources Management Act 1994*, requires persons engaged in fishing under the management regime 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 regime 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 *Northern Demersal Scalefish Fishery Management Plan 2000* for the Northern Demersal Scalefish Managed Fishery, in force under the *Western Australian Fish Resources Management Act 1994*, 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.

Dated this 9th day of June 2010

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Delegate of the Minister for Environment Protection, Heritage and the Arts