



**COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA**

*Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999*

**VARIATION TO A DECLARATION OF AN APPROVED WILDLIFE TRADE OPERATION**

I, NIGEL ROUTH, Assistant Secretary, Marine Biodiversity Policy Branch, as Delegate of the Minister for the Environment, Heritage and the Arts, hereby vary under paragraph 303FT(7)(b) of the *Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999* (EPBC Act) the Declaration of an Approved Wildlife Trade Operation dated 15 November 2007 for the harvesting of specimens that are, or are derived from, fish or invertebrates, other than specimens of species listed under Part 13 of the EPBC Act, taken in the Western Deepwater Trawl Fishery and the North West Slope Trawl Fishery, as defined in the *Western Trawl Fisheries Statement of Management Arrangements 2004*:

1. Revoke condition a):  
is valid until 19 March 2009.
2. Include a new condition a):  
is valid until 2 April 2009.

Dated this 18 day of March 2009

..... Nigel Routh.....  
Delegate of the Minister for the Environment, Heritage and the Arts

Under the *Administrative Appeals Tribunal Act 1975*, a person whose interests are affected by this decision may apply for a statement of reasons and for independent review of the decision. An application for a statement of reason may be made in writing to the Department of the Environment, Water, Heritage and the Arts within 28 days of the date of the declaration. An application for independent review may be made to the Administrative Appeals Tribunal on payment of the relevant fee within 28 days of the date of the declaration, or if reasons are sought, within 28 days of receipt of reasons. Further information may be obtained from the Director, Sustainable Fisheries Section.