



COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA

Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999

Amendment of List of Exempt Native Specimens

I, PETER GARRETT, Minister for the Environment, Heritage and the Arts pursuant to subsection 303DC(1) of the *Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999* (EPBC Act), hereby amend the list of exempt native specimens established under section 303DB of the EPBC Act by including in the list the following:

- Specimens that are or are derived from fish or invertebrates, other than specimens that belong to species listed under Part 13 of the EPBC Act, taken in the Bass Strait Central Zone Scallop Fishery, as defined in the management regime in force under the Commonwealth *Fisheries Management Act 1991* and the Commonwealth *Fisheries Management (Bass Strait Central Zone Scallop Fishery) Regulations 2002*.

with a notation that inclusion of the specimens in the list is subject to the following restrictions or conditions:

- The specimen, or the fish or invertebrate from which it is derived, was taken lawfully; and
- The specimens are covered by the declaration of an approved Wildlife Trade Operation under section 303FN of the EPBC Act in relation to the fishery.

Dated this 25 day of May 2009

[Signed]

.....Peter Garrett
Minister for the Environment, Heritage and the Arts