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1. Citation

These Regulations may be cited as the Fisheries (Prohibition on Harvest) Regulations, 2017.

2. Definition

“Whale” means any marine mammal of the order Cetacea;

“Take” means to strike, capture, sell, purchase or have in possession.

3. Prohibition on harvest of whale

For the purpose of section 45(2)(b) of the Fisheries Act, the schedule lists the whale species which can or cannot be taken from the fishery waters of Saint Vincent and the Grenadines commencing on the date of publication of these Regulations.

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[Regulation 3.]

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Common Name	Scientific Name	Condition
Bryde's whale	<i>Balaenoptera edeni, B. brydei</i>	No take
Sperm whale	<i>Physeter macrocephalus</i>	No take
Minke whale	<i>Balaenoptera acutorostrata</i>	No take
Blue whale	<i>Balaenoptera musculus</i>	No take
Sei whale	<i>Balaenoptera borealiis</i>	No take
Fin whale	<i>Balaenoptera physalus</i>	No take
Blainville's Beaked whale	<i>Mesoplodon densirostris</i>	No take
True's Beaked whale	<i>Mesoplodon mirus</i>	No take
Gervais Beaked whale	<i>Mesoplodon europaeus</i>	No take
Sowerby's Beaked whale	<i>Mesoplodon bidens</i>	No take
Curvier's Beaked whale	<i>Ziphius cavirostris</i>	No take
Bottle nose dolphin	<i>Tursiops truncatus</i>	No take
Pygmy Right whale	<i>Caperea marginata</i>	No take
Pygmy Sperm whale	<i>Kogia breviceps</i>	No take
Orca/ Killer whale	<i>Orcinus orca</i>	No take
Dwarf Sperm whale	<i>Kogia sima</i>	No take
Short-finned Pilot whale	<i>Globicephala macrorhynchus</i>	Take
Pygmy Killer whale	<i>Feresa attenuata</i>	Take
False Killer whale	<i>Pseudorca crassidens</i>	Take
Risso's dolphin	<i>Grampus griseus</i>	Take
Spinner dolphin	<i>Stenella longirostris</i>	Take

Clymene dolphin	<i>Stenella clymene</i>	Take
Pantropical Spotted dolphin	<i>Stenella attenuata</i>	Take
Long Beaked Common dolphin	<i>Delphinus capensis</i>	Take
Short Beaked Common dolphin	<i>Delphinus delphis</i>	Take
Striped dolphin	<i>Stenella coeruleoalba</i>	Take
Rough Toothed dolphin	<i>Steno bredanensis</i>	Take
Atlantic Spotted dolphin	<i>Stenella frontalis</i>	Take
Frasser's dolphin	<i>Lagenodelphis hosei</i>	Take
Melon-Headed whale	<i>Peponocephala electra</i>	Take