

[Subsidiary]

63/1974. **MARINE AREAS (PRESERVATION AND ENHANCEMENT) REGULATIONS**

made under section 6

Citation. **1.** These Regulations may be cited as the Marine Areas (Preservation and Enhancement) Regulations.

Interpretation. **2.** In these Regulations “fish” includes corals, crabs, lobsters, shrimps, turtles, turtle eggs and any species of marine fauna.

Entry into restricted area prohibited except with written permission. **3.** (1) Except with the written permission of the Minister, or a person duly authorised by him in writing to grant such permission, no person shall—

- (a) go in or alight upon a restricted area;
- (b) operate a boat or other vessel within a restricted area or cause or allow a boat or other vessel to enter such an area;
- (c) take or remove any fish or bird from a restricted area;
- (d) take or remove any mangrove from a restricted area; or
- (e) dig, dredge, or otherwise interfere with the seabed of a restricted area.

Exemptions. (2) The provisions of subregulation (1) do not apply to a public officer acting in the execution of his duties.

Permission may be subject to conditions. **4.** Where permission is granted under these Regulations it shall be subject to any conditions that may be attached to the grant of the permission.

Anchoring area may be designated. **5.** The Minister may, by Notification, designate any part of a restricted area an anchoring area or a walkway.