

Living Marine Resources Management Act 1995

Section 11

INSTRUMENT OF EXEMPTION

I, MANDY CLARKE, DEPUTY SECRETARY in the Department of Natural Resources and Environment Tasmania, acting pursuant to a delegation from the Minister administering the *Living Marine Resources Management Act 1995* (the Act), and acting pursuant to section 11 of the Act, hereby exempt the classes of persons specified in Schedule 1 from compliance with the Notice of Closure of the Flathead Fishery in Respect of the Activity of Filleting Flathead, issued by David Midson, General Manager (Marine Resources) on 26 February 2026, pursuant to rule 11 of the *Fisheries (Scalefish) Rules 2015* (the Rules), and having regard to the relevant considerations provided in s 11(9) of the Act, grant this exemption for the period commencing at 12:01am on 1 March 2026 to 28 February 2029 and subject to the condition(s) provided in Schedule 2.

Dated at HOBART this 27th day of February 2026.



Mandy Clarke
A/DEPUTY SECRETARY

SCHEDULE I

1. All persons fishing in State Waters
2. All persons who hold a Commonwealth Authority

SCHEDULE 2

Condition(s)

1. That a person specified in schedule 1 may fillet a flathead in State waters provided that the person retains possession of the naturally intact frame of the fish from which that fillet was taken, including its head and tail.
2. That a person specified in schedule 1 may bring ashore a fillet of flathead, provided that the naturally intact frame of the fish from which that fillet was taken, including its head and tail, is brought ashore at the same time.
3. That a person who is the holder of a Commonwealth Authority has taken the flathead in accordance with that Commonwealth authority.

Notes:

1. Any expression used in this instrument bearing a particular meaning under the Act or the Rules has the same meaning in this instrument.