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CONSIDERATION OF APPLICATIONS FOR FISHING RIGHTS IN TERMS OF THE MARINE LIVING RESOURCES ACT, 1998 (ACT No. 18 OF 1998)

I, Mohammed Valli Moosa, Minister of Environmental Affairs and Tourism, announce for general information that, in terms of the power vested in me by the Marine Living Resources Act, 1998 (Act No. 18 of 1998), allocation of rights in the various sectors of the fishing industry will be considered for the forthcoming 1999/2000 season.

Interested parties are hereby invited to apply on the forms as determined by the Minister which will be available at the offices of the Chief Director: Marine and Coastal Management, Cape Town, and the following Fishery Control offices:

Lamberts Bay, St Helena Bay, Laaiplek, Saldanha Bay, Hout Bay, Kalk Bay, Gordon's Bay, Hermanus, Gans Bay, Still Bay, Struis Bay, Port Elizabeth and Arniston/Waenhuiskrans.

As staff is not always available, the following fishery control offices will only be able to receive completed application forms during the last week of a month: Port Nolloth, Port Alfred and East London.

Applicants wishing to lodge application forms at any other time should do this at the nearest control office which is open during normal office hours.

As well as KwaZulu-Natal Nature Conservation offices [attention Mr Cedric Coetzee, Telephone: (031) 205-1273, Fax: (031) 205-1547].

Applications for rights in respect of the 1999/2000 season, shall only be submitted during the periods stipulated below:

Abalone (commercial)	From 1/8/99 to 31/8/99
Abalone (subsistence)	From 1/8/99 to 31/8/99
Shark (longline)	From 1/8/99 to 31/8/99
West Coast rock lobster (commercial)	From 1/8/99 to 31/8/99
West Coast rock lobster (subsistence)	From 1/8/99 to 31/8/99
South Coast rock lobster (commercial)	From 1/8/99 to 31/8/99
Anchovy	From 1/9/99 to 30/9/99
Pilchard	From 1/9/99 to 30/9/99
Linefishing (commercial)	From 1/9/99 to 30/9/99
Linefishing (subsistence)	From 1/9/99 to 30/9/99
Squid	From 1/9/99 to 30/9/99
Hake (trawling)	From 13/9/99 to 15/10/99
Hake (longline)	From 13/9/99 to 15/10/99
Sole/Hake combination (inshore)	From 13/9/99 to 15/10/99
Horse mackerel	From 13/9/99 to 15/10/99
Prawn fishing—trawling	From 1/10/99 to 29/10/99
Seaweed	From 1/10/99 to 29/10/99
White mussels	From 1/10/99 to 29/10/99
Net fishing (commercial)	From 1/10/99 to 29/10/99
Net fishing (subsistence)	From 1/10/99 to 29/10/99
Oysters	From 19/10/99 to 19/11/99

An applicant must be a juristic or a natural person who is—

- (a) a South African citizen in terms of the South African Citizenship Act, 1995 (Act No. 88 of 1995);
- (b) a company registered in terms of the Companies Act, 1973 (Act No. 61 of 1973), in which the majority of shareholders, as prescribed by the Minister, are South African persons;
- (c) a Close Corporation in terms of the Close Corporation Act, 1984 (Act No. 69 of 1984), of which the majority of members are South African persons; or
- (d) a trust in which—
 - (i) the majority of trustees, having the controlling power, are South African citizens; or
 - (ii) a majority of the beneficial interests are held by South African citizens.

The original application form accompanied by an application fee of R100 (one hundred rand) duly completed together with (except in the case of applications for subsistence permits) 10 (ten) copies thereof must reach the offices of the Chief Directorate: Marine and Coastal Management, Private Bag X2, Roggebaai, 8012, or Seventh Floor, Foretrust Building, Martin Hammerslag Way, Foreshore, Cape Town (attention: Finance Section) or any of the fishery control offices as specified above on or before the date as set out above.

No application received after 16:00 on the due date will be considered.

No application submitted before the date of this notice will be considered.

Attention is invited to the fact that applications not submitted in accordance with this notice or not accompanied by a non-refundable application fee of R100 (one hundred rand) for commercial fishing and R5 (five rand) for subsistence fishing will neither be placed on record nor will it be considered.

Application forms will be available as from **1 August 1999**.

N.B.: 1. The Chief-Director: Marine and Coastal Management has appointed a Task Group to investigate various matters related to subsistence fishing, and to make recommendations to the Department on future approaches to subsistence fishing management.

2. In the past, subsistence fishing permits have been granted for West Coast Rock Lobster, Abalone and Snoek. As an interim measure, such permits will be issued for 1999/2000. In the future, new regulations may be introduced which may cater for this fishing activity in a different way.

3. Other subsistence fishing rights are also being considered, and applications will be invited by notice in the *Government Gazette* at a later stage.

KENNISGEWING 1582 VAN 1999**OORWEGING VAN AANSOEKE INGEVOLGE DIE WET OP LEWENDE MARIENE HULPBRONNE, 1998
(WET No. 18 VAN 1998)**

Ek, Mohammed Valli Moosa, Minister van Omgewingsake en Toerisme, maak ter algemene inligting bekend dat, ingevolge die bevoegdheid aan my verleen deur die Wet op Lewende Mariene Hulpbronne, 1998 (Wet No. 18 van 1998), die toekenning van visvangregte in die verskillende sektore van die visbedryf oorweeg sal word vir die 1999/2000 seisoen.

Belangstellende partye word hiermee uitgenooi om aansoek te doen op die vorms soos deur die Minister bepaal is, en wat verkrygbaar is by die kantoor van die Hoofdirekteur: Mariene en Kusbestuur, Kaapstad, asook die volgende Visserybeheer-kantore:

Lambertsbaai, St Helenabaai, Laaiplek, Saldanhabaai, Houtbaai, Kalkbaai, Gordonsbaai, Hermanus, Gansbaai, Stilbaai, Struisbaai, Port Elizabeth en Arniston/Waenhuiskrans.

Aangesien personeel nie altyd beskikbaar is nie, sal die volgende Visserybeheerkantore slegs in staat wees om voltooide aansoekvorms gedurende die laaste week van 'n kalendermaand te ontvang: Port Nolloth, Port Alfred en Oos-Londen.

Aansoekers wat te enige ander tyd van voornemens is om aansoekvorms in te dien, kan so doen by die naaste beheerkantoor wat gedurende normale kantoorure oop is en ook by Kwazulu-Natal Natuurbewaringkantore [Aandag: Mnr. Cedric Coetzee, Telefoon: (031) 205-1273, Faks (031) 205-1547].

Aansoeke vir regte ten opsigte van die 1999/2000 seisoen mag slegs gedurende die tydperke hieronder gestipuleer ingedien word:

Perlemoen (kommersieel)	1/8/99 tot 31/8/99
Perlemoen (bestaansgrondslagvisser)	1/8/99 tot 31/8/99
Haai (langlyn)	1/8/99 tot 31/8/99
Weskuskreef (kommersieel)	1/8/99 tot 31/8/99
Weskuskreef (bestaansgrondslagvisser)	1/8/99 tot 31/8/99
Suidkuskreef (kommersieel)	1/8/99 tot 31/8/99
Ansjovis	1/9/99 tot 30/9/99
Sardyn	1/9/99 tot 30/9/99
Lynvisvangs (kommersieel)	1/9/99 tot 30/9/99
Lynvisvangs (bestaansgrondslagvisser)	1/9/99 tot 30/9/99
Tjokka	1/9/99 tot 30/9/99
Stokvis (treil)	13/9/99 tot 15/10/99
Stokvis (langlyn)	13/9/99 tot 15/10/99
Tongvis/stokvis kombinasie (aanlanding)	13/9/99 tot 15/10/99
Marsbanker	13/9/99 tot 15/10/99
Steurgarnaal (treil)	1/10/99 tot 29/10/99
Seegras	1/10/99 tot 29/10/99
Witmossels	1/10/99 tot 29/10/99
Netvisvangste (kommersieel)	1/10/99 tot 29/10/99
Netvisvangste (bestaansgrondslagvisser)	1/10/99 tot 29/10/99
Oesters	19/10/99 tot 19/11/99

'n Aansoeker moet 'n regspersoon of natuurlike persoon wees wat—

- (a) 'n Suid-Afrikaanse burger is ingevolge die Wet op Suid-Afrikaanse Burgerskap, 1995 (Wet No. 88 van 1995);
- (b) 'n maatskappy geregistreer ingevolge die Maatskappywet, 1973 (Wet No. 61 van 1973), waarvan die meerderheid aandeelhouders, soos voorgeskryf deur die Minister, Suid-Afrikaanse persone is;
- (c) 'n beslote korporasie ingevolge die Wet op Beslote Korporasies, 1984 (Wet No. 69 van 1984), waarvan die meerderheid lede Suid-Afrikaanse persone is; of
- (d) 'n trust waarvan—
 - (i) die meerderheid van die trustees wat die beherende bevoegdheid het en op enige tydstip Suid-Afrikaanse burgers is; of
 - (ii) die voordele meerendeels Suid-Afrikaanse burgers toeval.

Die oorspronklike behoorlik voltooide aansoekvorm vergesel van 'n aansoekfooi van R100 (eenhonderd rand) tesame met (behalwe in die geval van aansoeke vir bestaansgrondslagpermitte) 10 (tien) afskrifte daarvan, moet die kantoor van die Hoofdirektoraat: Mariene en Kusbestuur, Privaatsak X2, Roggebaai, 8012, of Sewende Verdieping, Foretrustgebou, Martin Hammerslagweg, Strandgebied, Kaapstad (Aandag: Finansiële Afdeling), of enige van die Visserybeheer-kantore, soos uiteengesit hierbo, bereik voor of op die toepaslike datum soos hierbo bepaal.

Geen aansoeke ontvang na 16:00 op die vervaldatum sal oorweeg word nie.

Geen aansoek ingedien voor die datum van hierdie kennisgewing sal oorweeg word nie.

Aandag word daarop gevestig dat aansoeke wat nie in ooreenstemming met hierdie kennisgewing ingedien is, of nie vergesel word deur 'n nie-terugbetaalbare aansoekfooi van R100 (eenhonderd rand) vir kommersiële visvangs en R5 (vyf rand) vir bestaansgrondslagvisserie, sal nie op rekord geplaas word of oorweeg word nie.

Aansoekvorms sal beskikbaar wees vanaf **1 Augustus 1999**.

- N.B.:** 1. Die Hoofdirekteur: Mariene en Kusbestuur het 'n Taakgroep aangestel om verskillende aangeleenthede met verwysing na bestaansregvisserie te ondersoek en aanbevelings aan die Departement te maak ten opsigte van toekomstige hantering van bestaansregvisserie-bestuur.
2. In die verlede is bestaansregvisseriepermitte uitgereik ten opsigte van weskuskeef, perlemoen en snoek. Sulke permitte sal weer uitgereik word vir die 1999/2000 seisoen as 'n tussentydse maatregel. Nuwe regulasies mag in die toekoms ingestel word wat hierdie visserie-aktiwiteit op 'n ander wyse sal reguleer.
3. Bestaansregvisserieregte ten opsigte van ander vissoorte word ook oorweeg en aansoeke in hierdie verband sal deur middel van 'n kennisgewing in die *Staatskoerant* op 'n latere stadium aangevra word.

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