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Fisheries Management Act 1998

Section 30, 31

NOTICE OF PROHIBITION OF THE USE OF STUN GUN/ ELECTRIC SPEARS

The **National Fisheries Board**, by virtue of the powers vested in it under Section 30 (3) (d) and (e) of the *Fisheries Act 1998* as amended and all other powers enabling,

- (a) Prohibit, all persons and at all times, the use of Stun Guns or Electric Fishing Spears to take or harvest Tropical Rock Lobster in the Torres Strait and Western Province Tropical Rock Lobster fishery waters of Papua New Guinea.
- (b) Prohibit the buying, processing, selling, landing, sale, receiving, possession or export of Tropical Rock Lobster that are taken or harvested in breach of this Prohibition.

Breach of Prohibition Notice is an offence under the *Fisheries Management Act 1998* as amended and may subject an offender to severe penalties.

The Prohibition takes effect on and from the date of gazettal.

Dated this 28th day of April, 2022.

A. WANGATAU,
Chairman,
National Fisheries Board.