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FISHERIES ACT 1998 (ACT No. 6 of 1998)

'FISHERIES (AMENDMENT) REGULATIONS 2009

IN exercise of the powers conferred upon me by section 59 of the Fisheries Act 1998, I make these Regulations —

Citation

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Fisheries (Amendment) Regulations 2009.

Principal Regulations amended

2. The Fisheries Regulations are amended by adding the following regulation –

"Prohibition of catching, selling, etc, of beche-de-mer"

"13A. A person who catches and retains, sells, exposes for sale, exports or is in possession for export, any beche-de-mer commits an offence and is liable on conviction to a fine not exceeding \$100,000 or to imprisonment for a term not exceeding 4 months, or both."

Dated at Honiara this seventh day of May, 2009.

HON. NOLLEN CORNELLIUS LENI Minister for Fisheries and Marine Resources

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