9 January 2024

Daniel Craig
A/g Executive Director
Office of Impact Analysis
Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet.

Dear Mr Craig,

MULTIPLE FISHERY (Closures) DIRECTION No. 1 2014.

I am writing to the Office of Impact Analysis (OIA) regarding the *Multiple Fishery (Closures) Direction No. 1 2014*, which, as per the *Legislation Act 2003*, had been scheduled to sunset on 30 April 2024. However, it has been decided that the instrument is to be remade without significant amendment.

The Australian Fisheries Management Authority certifies that *Multiple Fishery (Closures) Direction No. 1 2014* is operating effectively and efficiently, and that therefore an Impact Analysis is not required for this legislation to be remade. The remade direction is the *Fisheries Management (Multiple Fishery Closures) Direction 2024.*

The assessment that the legislation is operating effectively and efficiently has been informed by the consultation process with the Tropical Tuna Management Advisory Committee conducted from 20 July 2023 to 4 August 2023.

I also note that the regulatory burden to people, business, or community organisations has been quantified using the Australian Government's Regulatory Burden Measurement framework. These are provided below.

Average annual regulatory costs (from business as usual)

Change in costs	Business	Community	People	Total change in
(\$ million)		organisations		costs
Total, by sector	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0

I acknowledge that OIA will publish this letter for transparency purposes.

If you have any queries about this advice, please contact the General Counsel of the Australian Fisheries Management Authority on 02 6225 5555 or Legalservices@afma.gov.au

Yours sincerely,

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Chief Executive Officer

Australian Fisheries Management Authority