

Threatened Species Conservation Act 1995 No 101

Notice of Final Determination and Amendment of Schedule 2 to Act

The Scientific Committee established under the *Threatened Species Conservation Act 1995* has, in pursuance of Division 3 of Part 2 of that Act, made a final determination to omit reference to the following species of marine mammal from Schedule 2 to that Act (Vulnerable species) and, accordingly, that Schedule is amended as set out in Annexure "A" to this Notice:

Animals

Vertebrates

Marine mammals

Balaenopteridae

*Balaenoptera physalus (Linnaeus, 1758) Fin Whale

The final determination to omit this species from Schedule 2 has been made because the Scientific Committee is of the opinion that the species is no longer eligible to be listed as a vulnerable species in that Schedule.

Copies of the final determination may be inspected during business hours at:

The National Parks Centre

102 George St

The Rocks

Sydney

and at Area Offices or Visitor Centres of the National Parks and Wildlife Service.

Signed at Sydney, this 19th day of June 2002.

Dr Chris Dickman

Chairperson

2002 No 488

Threatened Species Conservation Act 1995 No 101—Final Determination

Scientific Committee

Annexure "A"

Schedule 2 to the *Threatened Species Conservation Act 1995* is amended by omitting the following matter under the heading "Animals" and the sub-headings "Vertebrates", "Marine mammals" and "Balaenopteridae":

*Balaenoptera physalus (Linnaeus, 1758) Fin Whale

BY AUTHORITY