



# Fisheries Management Amendment (Threatened Species Conservation) Order (No 3) 2004

under the

Fisheries Management Act 1994

I, the Minister for Primary Industries, in pursuance of section 220D of the *Fisheries Management Act 1994*, make the following Order.

Dated, this 21st day of September 2004.

IAN MICHAEL MACDONALD, M.L.C.,  
Minister for Primary Industries

## Explanatory note

Part 7A of the *Fisheries Management Act 1994* (***the Act***) deals with the conservation of threatened species, populations and ecological communities of fish and marine vegetation. For the purposes of identification and classification, provision is made for the listing:

- (a) in Schedule 4 to the Act, of endangered species, endangered populations, and endangered ecological communities and species that are presumed to be extinct, and
- (b) in Schedule 5, of vulnerable species, and
- (c) in Schedule 6, of key threatening processes.

Under the Act, listings and amendments to listings are to be made by the Minister by order on the recommendation of the Fisheries Scientific Committee (***the Committee***).

The object of this Order is to list southern bluefin tuna as an endangered species in Part 1 of Schedule 4 to the Act (Endangered species), as recommended by the Committee.

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The Committee has recommended this listing because it considers that the species is likely to become extinct in nature in New South Wales unless the circumstances and factors threatening its survival or evolutionary development cease to operate.

The Committee's recommendation is available for inspection on the Internet at [www.fisheries.nsw.gov.au/fsc/recomend.htm](http://www.fisheries.nsw.gov.au/fsc/recomend.htm).

This Order is made under section 220D of the *Fisheries Management Act 1994*.

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**1 Name of Order**

This Order is the *Fisheries Management Amendment (Threatened Species Conservation) Order (No 3) 2004*.

**2 Commencement**

This Order takes effect on the date that it is published in the Gazette.

**3 Amendment of Fisheries Management Act 1994**

The *Fisheries Management Act 1994* is amended by inserting in alphabetical order in Part 1 of Schedule 4 under the heading “Fish”:

*Thunnus maccoyii*

southern bluefin tuna