

CLAUSE NOTES

Living Marine Resources Management Amendment Bill 2017

- Clause 1 Short title and citation.
- Clause 2 The Act commences on the day on which it receives Royal Assent.
- Clause 3 The Principal Act is the *Living Marine Resources Management Act 1995*.
- Clause 4 **Section 40 amended (Miscellaneous matters)**
Subsection 2 is amending by omitting “Minister, by Public Notice,” and substituting “Minister” to provide for other means for determinations to be made.

Subsection 3 is inserted to provide that the means for making determinations provided for by subsection 2 must be specified in rules.
- Clause 5 **Section 255A inserted**
After section 255, section 255A is inserted.

Subsection 1 provides definitions of “board trawl net” and “pair trawl net” and provides that a “trawl net” means a board trawl net or a pair trawl net.

Subsection 2 provides that a person must not possess a trawl net on a fishing vessel in State waters unless that possession is authorised under the law of another jurisdiction.

Subsection 3 provides that a person must not use a trawl net in State waters.
- Clause 6 **Section 279 amended (Industry levy)**
Subsection 2A is inserted that provides that a levy set under subsection 2 of section 279 may be expressed in fee units as it were a fee under the *Fee Units Act 1997* to allow for the levy to increase commensurate to changes in the fee unit linked to CPI.
- Clause 7 **Repeal of Act**
Provides that the *Living Marine Resources Management Amendment Bill 2017* is repealed three hundred and sixty five days from the day it commences.