

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF THE NORTHERN TERRITORY

WRITTEN QUESTION

Ms Purick to Minister for Primary Industry, Fisheries and Resources

Limmen Bight Marine Park

1. What commercial fishing operations currently operate in the area proposed as the Limmen Bight marine park in the sea waters, along the coastline and in the mouth of the included rivers.
 2. List the type of commercial seafood operations by species caught and their location.
 3. What is the value of these commercial seafood operations to the Northern Territory seafood industry and economy.
 4. What consultation was undertaken with these operators in regard to the proposed marine park.
 5. If no consultation was undertaken, why not.
 6. How were the boundaries of the proposed marine park decided upon.
 7. What scientific research has been undertaken to support the proposed marine park, through what institution and which researchers.
 8. What legislation is required to establish the marine park and what is the planned consultation in regard to any required legislative framework.
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