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Fisheries Management Act 1998

NATIONAL TUNA FISHERY MANAGEMENT PLAN

I, Sylvester Pokajam, Managing Director, National Fisheries Authority by virtue of the powers vested under Section 28 of the *Fisheries Management Act 1998* and all other powers enabling, hereby give notice of an amendment to *Part III* of the *National Tuna Fishery Management Plan 2001* (The Plan), by inserting a new total allowable catch and amending the existing text.

The following new text is added to *Part III* of the Plan.

TOTAL ALLOWABLE CATCH

The total allowable catch (TAC) for the tuna purse-seine fishery in the fisheries waters of Papua New Guinea shall be 720,000 metric tonnes per year. The TAC is inclusive of skipjack tuna, yellowfin tuna and bigeye tuna.

Dated this 21st day of October, 2011.

S. B. POKAJAM,
Managing Director for the National Fisheries Authority.