Citation and commencement

This Order may be cited as the Fisheries (Protected Species) Order 1978 and shall come into operation on the 1st day of April, 1978.

Protected species

The taking of any fish of the following types anywhere within the exclusive economic zone is prohibited—

1. Marine turtles of all species (Reptilia, Cheloniidae and Dermochelyidae);
2. Marine mammals of all species (Whales, Dolphins and Porpoises);
3. [deleted]
4. Queen conch (Strombus gigas);
5. Harbour conch (Strombus costatus);
6. Bermuda cone (Conus bermudensis);
7. Netted olive (Oliva reticularis);
8. Bermuda scallop (Pecten ziczac);
9. Calico scallop (Argopecten gibbus);
10. Atlantic Pearl Oyster (Pinctada imbricata);
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(11) Helmets and Bonnets of all species (Mollusca Cassididae);
(12) Calico clam (Macrocallista maculata);
(13) West Indian top-shell (Cittarium pica), formerly known as Livona pica);
(14) Parrotfishes of all species;
(15) Nassau grouper, green hamlet, grass hamlet (Epinephelus striatus);
(16) Red grouper, deer hamlet (Epinephelus morio);
(17) Mutton hamlet (Epinephelus afer);
(18) Yellowfin grouper, prince/princess rockfish, red rockfish (Mycteroperca venenosa);
(19) Finescale rockfish, gag grouper (Mycteroperca microlepsis);
(20) Tiger rockfish, gag (Mycteroperca tigris).


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  BR 46 / 1993
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