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**THE MINISTER FOR THE ENVIRONMENT** makes this Order under Article 2(4B) of the [Sea Fisheries \(Jersey\) Law 1994](#) and Regulation 3 of the [Sea Fisheries \(Bag Limits\) \(Jersey\) Regulations 2016](#) –

Commencement [[see endnotes](#)]

**1** <sup>1</sup>

### **2 Bag limits for any person<sup>2</sup>**

The daily limit of fish of a species or genus specified in Column 1 of the Table to the Schedule that may be taken or retained by any person is the quantity specified opposite that species or genus of fish in Column 2 of that Table.

### **3 Bag limits for vessels and fishing boats**

- (1) Subject to Article 2, the daily limit of fish of a species or genus specified in Column 1 of the Table to the Schedule that may be taken or retained by any vessel, other than a fishing boat, is the quantity specified opposite that species or genus of fish in Column 3 of that Table.<sup>3</sup>
- (2) Subject to Article 2, the daily limit of fish of a species or genus specified in Column 1 of the Table to the Schedule that may be taken or retained by a fishing boat is –
  - (a) the quantity specified, including a zero quantity, opposite that species or genus of fish in Column 4 of that Table; or
  - (b) if no such quantity is specified, the quantity permitted to be taken or retained under the fishing boat licence (within the meaning of the [Sea Fisheries \(Licensing of Fishing Boats\) \(Jersey\) Regulations 2003](#)) that relates to the fishing boat.<sup>4</sup>

**4** <sup>5</sup>

### **5 Citation and commencement**

This Order may be cited as the Sea Fisheries (Bag Limits) (Jersey) Order 2020 and comes into force 7 days after it is made.

**SCHEDULE<sup>6</sup>**

(Article 2)

**BAG LIMITS**

|                    | <b>Column 1</b>                  | <b>Column 2</b>  | <b>Column 3</b>  | <b>Column 4</b>  |
|--------------------|----------------------------------|--|--|--|
| <b>Common name</b> | <b>Species</b>                   | <b>Per person limit</b>  | <b>Per vessel limit</b>  | <b>Fishing boat limit</b>  |
| Albacore Tuna      | <i>Thunnus alalunga</i>          | 0  | 0  | 0  |
| Amber Jack         | <i>Seriola</i> spp.              | 1  | 5  |  |
| Angel Shark        | <i>Squatina squatina</i>         | 0  | 0  | 0  |
| Atlantic Bonito    | <i>Sarda sarda</i>               | 1  | 5  |  |
| BAIT WORMS         |                                  |  |  |  |
| Black Lugworm      | <i>Arenicola defodiens</i>       | 2kg comprised wholly of any single species or a combination of species | 2kg comprised wholly of any single species or a combination of species | 2kg comprised wholly of any single species or a combination of species |
| Blow Lugworm       | <i>Arenicola marina</i>          |  |  |  |
| Catworm            | <i>Nepheys</i> spp.              |  |  |  |
| Ragworm            | <i>Nereis</i> spp.               |  |  |  |
| Verm               | <i>Marphysa sanguinea</i>        |  |  |  |
| Basking Shark      | <i>Cetorhinus maximus</i>        | 0  | 0  | 0  |
| Bigeye Tuna        | <i>Thunnus obesus</i>            | 0  | 0  | 0  |
| Black Skate        | <i>Dipturus nidarosiensis</i>    | 0  | 0  | 0  |
| Black Winkle       | <i>Littorina littorea</i>        | 200  | 200  | 200  |
| Bluefin Tuna       | <i>Thunnus thynnus</i>           | 0  | 0  | 0  |
| Blue Shark         | <i>Prionace glauca</i>           | 0  | 0  | 0  |
| BREAM              |                                  |  |  |  |
| Black Bream        | <i>Spondyllosoma cantharus</i>   | 10 comprised wholly of any single species or a combination of species  | 50 comprised wholly of any single species or a combination of species  |  |
| Couche's Bream     | <i>Pagrus pagrus</i>             |  |  |  |
| Gilt-head Bream    | <i>Sparus aurata</i>             |  |  |  |
| Red Bream          | <i>Pagellus bogaraveo</i>        |  |  |  |
| COD                |                                  |  |  |  |
| Cod                | <i>Gadus morhua</i>              | 10 comprised wholly of any single species or a combination of species  | 50 comprised wholly of any single species or a combination of species  |  |
| Coley/Coalfish     | <i>Pollachius virens</i>         |  |  |  |
| Haddock            | <i>Meleanogrammus aeglefinus</i> |  |  |  |
| Hake               | <i>Merluccius merluccius</i>     |  |  |  |
| Ling               | <i>Molva molva</i>               |  |  |  |
| Pollock            | <i>Pollachius pollachius</i>     |  |  |  |
| Poor Cod           | <i>Trisopterus minutus</i>       |  |  |  |
| Rockling           | <i>Gaidropsarus</i>              |  |  |  |
| Whiting            | <i>Merlangius merlangus</i>      |  |  |  |
| Common Octopus     | <i>Octopus vulgaris</i>          | 2  | 2  |  |
| Common Skate       | <i>Dipturus batis</i>            | 0  | 0  | 0  |
| Common Whelk       | <i>Buccinum undatum</i>          | 5kg  | 5kg  |  |
| Conger Eel         | <i>Conger conger</i>             | 2  | 2  |  |
| Edible Crab        | <i>Cancer pagurus</i>            | 5  | 5  |  |
| European Lobster   | <i>Homarus gammarus</i>          | 5  | 5  |  |

|   | Column 1  | Column 2   | Column 3   | Column 4   |
|---|---|--|--|--|
| Common name   | Species   | Per person limit   | Per vessel limit   | Fishing boat limit   |
| FLAT FISH<br>Brill<br>Flounder<br>Lemon Sole<br>Plaice<br>Sole<br>Turbot                | <i>Scophthalmus rhombus</i><br><i>Platichthys flesus</i><br><i>Microstomus kitt</i><br><i>Pleuronectes platessa</i><br><i>Solea solea</i><br><i>Psetta maxima</i>   | 10 comprised wholly of any single species or a combination of species  | 50 comprised wholly of any single species or a combination of species  |  |
| Giant Goby  | <i>Gobius cobitis</i>   | 0  | 0  | 0  |
| Green Crab  | <i>Carcinus maenas</i>  | 100  | 100  |  |
| GURNARD<br>Grey Gurnard<br>Red Gurnard<br>Streaked Gurnard<br>Tub Gurnard               | <i>Eutrigla gurnardus</i><br><i>Aspitrigal cuculus</i><br><i>Trigloporus lastoviza</i><br><i>Chelidonichthys lucerna</i>  | 20 comprised wholly of any single species or a combination of species  | 20 comprised wholly of any single species or a combination of species  |  |
| HERRING-LIKE FISH<br>Anchovy<br>Herring<br>Sandeel<br><br>Sardine<br>Sprat              | <i>Engraulis encrasicolus</i><br><i>Clupea harengus</i><br><i>Gymnammodytes semisquamatus</i> , <i>Ammodytes</i> spp. and <i>Hyperoplus</i> spp.<br><i>Sardina pilchardus</i><br><i>Sprattus sprattus</i> | 5kg comprised wholly of any single species or a combination of species | 5kg comprised wholly of any single species or a combination of species |  |
| LIMPETS<br>Black-footed Limpet<br>China Limpet<br>European Limpet                       | <i>Patella depressa</i><br><i>Patella ulyssiponensis</i><br><i>Patella vulgata</i>  | 100 comprised wholly of any single species or a combination of species | 100 comprised wholly of any single species or a combination of species | 100 comprised wholly of any single species or a combination of species |
| MACKEREL<br>Mackerel<br>Scad  | <i>Scomber scombrus</i><br><i>Trachurus trachurus</i>   | 40 comprised wholly of any single species or a combination of species  | 200 comprised wholly of any single species or a combination of species |  |
| MULLET<br>Golden Grey Mullet<br>Red Mullet<br>Thick Lipped Mullet<br>Thin Lipped Mullet | <i>Liza aurata</i><br><i>Mullus surmuletus</i><br><i>Chelon labrosus</i><br><i>Liza ramada</i>  | 20 comprised wholly of any single species or a combination of species  | 20 comprised wholly of any single species or a combination of species  |  |
| Orange Roughy   | <i>Hoplostethus atlanticus</i>  | 0  | 0  | 0  |
| Ormer   | <i>Haliotis tuberculata</i>   | 20   | 100  | 100  |
| Otter Shell   | <i>Lutraria angustior</i>   | 20   | 20   | 20   |
| OYSTERS   |   |  |  |  |

|   | Column 1   | Column 2   | Column 3  | Column 4  |
|---|--|--|---|---|
| Common name   | Species  | Per person limit   | Per vessel limit  | Fishing boat limit  |
| Native Oyster<br>Pacific Oyster   | <i>Ostrea edulis</i><br><i>Crassostrea gigas</i>   | 50 comprised wholly of any single species or a combination of species                          | 50 comprised wholly of any single species or a combination of species                           | 50 comprised wholly of any single species or a combination of species |
| Porbeagle Shark   | <i>Lamna nasus</i>   | 0  | 0   | 0   |
| Pouting   | <i>Trisopterus luscus</i>  | 20   | 100   |   |
| PRAWNS/SHRIMP<br>Common Prawn<br>Common Shrimp  | <i>Palaemon serratus</i><br><i>Crangon crangon</i>   | 5kg comprised wholly of any single species or a combination of species                         | 25kg comprised wholly of any single species or a combination of species                         |   |
| RAYS<br>Blonde Ray<br>Small-eyed Ray<br>Thornback Ray<br>Undulate Ray   | <i>Raja brachyura</i><br><i>Raja microocellata</i><br><i>Raja clavata</i><br><i>Raja undulata</i>  | 5 comprised wholly of any single species or a combination of species                           | 5 comprised wholly of any single species or a combination of species                            |   |
| Sea Bass  | <i>Dicentrarchus labrax</i>  | (a) 0 during the period 1st February to 31st March in any year; or<br>(b) 2 at all other times | (a) 0 during the period 1st February to 31st March in any year; or<br>(b) 10 at all other times |   |
| SHARKS/DOGFISH<br>Bull Huss<br>Small-spotted Catshark<br>Starry Smoothhound   | <i>Scyliorhinus stellaris</i><br><i>Scyliorhinus canicula</i><br><i>Mustelus asterias</i>  | 20 comprised wholly of any single species or a combination of species                          | 20 comprised wholly of any single species or a combination of species                           |   |
| SMALL CLAMS<br>Banded Palourde<br>Chequered Palourde<br>Common Cockle<br>Dog Cockle<br>Golden Palourde<br>Manilla Clam<br>Norwegian Cockle<br>Praire<br>Pullet Palourde<br>Razor Clams<br>Rough Cockle<br>Surf Clam | <i>Polititapes rhomboides</i><br><i>Ruditapes decussatus</i><br><i>Cerastoderma edule</i><br><i>Glycymeris glycymeris</i><br><i>Tapes aurea</i><br><i>Ruditapes philippinarum</i><br><i>Laevicardium crissum</i><br><i>Venus verrucosa</i><br><i>Venerupis corrugata</i><br><i>Ensis</i> spp. and <i>Solen</i><br><i>Marginatus</i><br><i>Acanthocardia tuberculata</i><br><i>Spisula solida</i> | 150 comprised wholly of any single species or a combination of species                         | 150 comprised wholly of any single species or a combination of species                          |   |
| Smooth Hammerhead Shark   | <i>Sphyrna zygaena</i>   | 0  | 0   | 0   |
| Spider Crab   | <i>Maja brachydactyla</i>  | 10   | 50  |   |

|  | Column 1   | Column 2  | Column 3  | Column 4           |
|--|--|---|---|--------------------|
| Common name  | Species  | Per person limit  | Per vessel limit  | Fishing boat limit |
| Spurdog  | <i>Squalus acanthias</i>   | 0   | 0   | 0                  |
| SQUID/CUTTLEFISH<br>Common Squid<br>Cuttlefish<br>European Squid | <i>Alloteuthis subulata</i><br><i>Sepia</i> spp.<br><i>Loligo vulgaris</i> | 10kg comprised wholly of any single species or a combination of species | 10kg comprised wholly of any single species or a combination of species |                    |
| Swordfish  | <i>Xiphias gladius</i>   | 0   | 0   | 0                  |
| Tope   | <i>Galeorhinus galeus</i>  | 0   | 0   |                    |
| Velvet Crab  | <i>Necora puber</i>  | 40  | 40  |                    |
| White Shark  | <i>Carcharodon carcharias</i>  | 0   | 0   | 0                  |
| White Skate  | <i>Rostroraja alba</i>   | 0   | 0   | 0                  |
| WRASSE<br>Ballan Wrasse<br>Cuckoo Wrasse                         | <i>Labrus bergylta</i><br><i>Labrus mixtus</i>                             | 5 comprised wholly of any single species or a combination of species    | 5 comprised wholly of any single species or a combination of species    |                    |

## ENDNOTES

### Table of Legislation History

| Legislation  | Year and No                     | Commencement  | Project No (where applicable) |
|--|---------------------------------|---------------|-------------------------------|
| Sea Fisheries (Bag Limits) (Jersey) Order 2020                   | <a href="#">R&amp;O.22/2020</a> | 26 March 2020 |                               |
| Sea Fisheries (Bag Limits) (Amendment) (Jersey) Order 2022       | <a href="#">R&amp;O.59/2022</a> | 4 May 2022    |                               |
| Sea Fisheries (Bag Limits) (Amendment No. 2) (Jersey) Order 2023 | <a href="#">R&amp;O.46/2023</a> | 29 June 2023  |                               |

°Projects available at [statesassembly.gov.je](https://statesassembly.gov.je)

### Table of Endnote References

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| <sup>1</sup> Article 1    | <i>deleted by R&amp;O.59/2022</i>                  |
| <sup>2</sup> Article 2    | <i>amended by R&amp;O.59/2022</i>                  |
| <sup>3</sup> Article 3(1) | <i>amended by R&amp;O.59/2022</i>                  |
| <sup>4</sup> Article 3(2) | <i>amended by R&amp;O.59/2022</i>                  |
| <sup>5</sup> Article 4    | <i>spent, omitted</i>                              |
| <sup>6</sup> Schedule     | <i>amended by R&amp;O.59/2022, R&amp;O.46/2023</i> |