

Fisheries Act 1995
FURTHER QUOTA ORDER UNDER SECTION 64A – PIPI FISHERY

I, Travis Dowling, Chief Executive Officer, Victorian Fisheries Authority, as delegate of the Minister for Outdoor Recreation, having undertaken consultation in accordance with section 3A of the **Fisheries Act 1995** (the Act), make the following Quota Order under section 64A of the Act for the Pipi Fishery.

1. This Order applies for the period commencing 1 April 2023 and ending on 31 March 2024 both dates inclusive (the quota period).
2. The total allowable catch for Discovery Bay (Western) pipi zone is 10,000kg.
3. The total allowable catch for Discovery Bay (Eastern) pipi zone is 40,000kg.
4. The total allowable catch for Venus Bay commercial pipi zone is 2,000kg.
5. Individual quota units have been calculated based on a total quota of 52,000kg with a maximum of 1000 quota units, with each quota unit equating to 52kg.

This Order commences on 1 April 2023 and remains in force until the end of 31 March 2024.

Notes:

1. There are 192.31 quota units in the Discovery Bay (Western) pipi zone.
2. There are 769.23 quota units in the Discovery Bay (Eastern) pipi zone.
3. There are 38.46 quota units in the Venus Bay commercial pipi zone.

Dated: 15/02/2023



Travis Dowling
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