

**CERTIFICATE CODE: MSC-F-31425** 





# AUSTRALIA HEARD ISLAND AND MCDONALD ISLANDS TOOTHFISH & ICEFISH FISHERIES

The Australia Heard Island and McDonald Islands toothfish & icefish fisheries are well-managed and sustainable fisheries in accordance with the Marine Stewardship Council (MSC) Fisheries Standard.

CERTIFICATE VALIDITY: 17.01.2023 to 16.01.2028

This independent certification assessment was conducted on behalf of

**Austral Fisheries Pty Ltd** 

Level 4, 50 Oxford Close, West Leederville, WA, 6007 and

**Australian Longline Fishing Pty Ltd** 

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**UNITS OF CERTIFICATION:** 

The scope of this certificate is limited to the following

**SPECIES:** 1. Patagonian toothfish (*Dissostichus eleginoides*)

2. Mackerel icefish (*Champsocephalus gunnari*)

**GEOGRAPHICAL AREA:** Heard Island and McDonald Islands (HIMI),

Southern Ocean, Australia EEZ

**METHOD OF CAPTURE:** For 1. Demersal trawl, demersal longline and

demersal traps

For 2. Mid-water trawl and demersal trawl

FISHING FLEET/ All licenced Australia Heard Island and McDonald Islands toothfish & icefish commercial

fishers of Austral Fisheries Pty Ltd and Australian Longline Fishing Pty Ltd. Demersal traps for Patagonian toothfish may only be used by

Austral Fisheries.

Frick, 16.01.2023

**Peter Jossen** 

President of Board of Directors

**Ueli Steiner** 

Director

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### FISHERIES CERTIFICATE SCHEDULE

## Austral Fisheries Pty Ltd and Australian Longline Fishing Pty Ltd

### **CHAIN OF CUSTODY**

Only product caught in the manner defined in the Units of Certification shall be eligible to enter the Chain of Custody. When shipped to customers in sealed shipping containers, chain of custody should commence on receipt of the product by the customer at which point the product shall be eligible to carry the MSC logo. For any product that is not transported in sealed containers and is handled by another organisation such as a processor prior to sale, chain of custody will be required at the point of landing. There are no restrictions on the fully certified product entering further chains of custody. The Australia Heard Island and McDonald Islands toothfish & icefish fisheries do not require its own chain of custody certificate.

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