



Fisheries New Zealand

Tini a Tangaroa

Ref: SP 731-5

6 May 2025

The Director General of Conservation
Department of Conservation
PO Box 10420
Wellington

Tēnā kōe Monique,

Application for a special permit issued under the Fisheries Act 1982

I am pleased to advise that a delegated officer of Fisheries New Zealand has approved your special permit amendment application. Please find enclosed special permit amendment **SP731-5**, which has updated the Schedule of approved projects to include Phase two of the *Centrostephanus rodgersii* removal at Poor Knights Island Marine Reserve.

It is important that you and any other person involved in fishing under this special permit reads, understands, and is fully conversant with the conditions of the permit. When undertaking activities authorised under the authority of the special permit you must retain a copy of the special permit in your possession and produce it upon request of a Fishery Officer or a Fisheries New Zealand official.

It is important to note the Director-General may from time to time, by notice in writing, amend, add, or revoke any term or condition of the special permit. Any person that commits an offence while fishing under the authority of this special permit is liable for the penalty set out in section 252(5) of the Act.

If you wish to discuss any aspect of the special permit, please contact the Aquaculture & Fisheries Permitting team at Specialpermits@mpi.govt.nz to discuss.

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