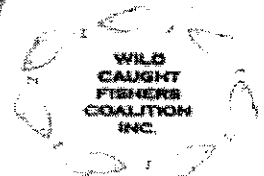


**INQUIRY INTO COMMERCIAL FISHING IN NEW SOUTH
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Commercial Fisher Personal Comments to the Inquiry

Introduction:

I am a commercial fisher working in Region: 1

I have been in the Fishing Industry for: 40 Years

I have many concerns for the way the commercial fishery is being managed in NSW and draw your attention to my personal views on the following:

The Impact to my Business Shareholding is as follows:

Fishery OPTIS Shares held: 64 Shares now required 64

Fishery OPTOS Shares held: 64 Shares now required 65

Fishery _____ Shares held: _____ Shares now required _____

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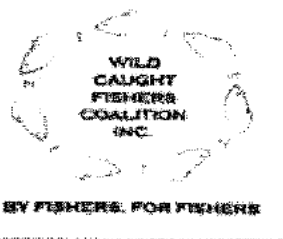
Fishery _____ Shares held: _____ Shares now required _____

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I have had to pre purchase shares because:

I refuse to pre purchase shares

Please note the following personal views of the impacts to my business and my personal situation: _____



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Commercial Fisher Personal Comments to the Inquiry

Introduction:

I am a commercial fisher working in Region: ONE

I have been in the Fishing Industry for: 34 Years

I have many concerns for the way the commercial fishery is being managed in NSW and draw your attention to my personal views on the following:

The Impact to my Business Shareholding is as follows:

Fishery EG MESHING Shares held: 125 Shares now required 375

Fishery EG HAULING CREW Shares held: 125 Shares now required 375

Fishery _____ Shares held: _____ Shares now required _____

Fishery _____ Shares held: _____ Shares now required _____

Fishery _____ Shares held: _____ Shares now required _____

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Fishery _____ Shares held: _____ Shares now required _____

I have had to pre purchase shares because:

I AM CONCERNED FOR MY FUTURE FISHING OPERATIONS AND NOT BEING ABLE TO FISH AT THE LEVEL I HAVE FOR THE PAST 30 YEARS, AT A SUSTAINABLE LEVEL, SUPPLYING MY COMMUNITY.

Please note the following personal views of the impacts to my business and my personal situation: I CURRENTLY HAVE ENOUGH BEACH SHARES BUT AM CONCERNED THAT MAY CHANGE IN THE NEAR FUTURE, WE HAVE NO SECURITY AT ALL



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Introduction:

I am a commercial fisher working in Region: 1

I have been in the Fishing Industry for: 20 Years

I have many concerns for the way the commercial fishery is being managed in NSW and draw your attention to my personal views on the following:

The Impact to my Business Shareholding is as follows:

Fishery <u>ESTUARY MESH</u>	Shares held: <u>125</u>	Shares now required <u>375</u>
Fishery <u>ESTUARY HAUL</u>	Shares held: <u>125</u>	Shares now required <u>250</u>
Fishery <u>BEACH HAUL</u>	Shares held: <u>20</u>	Shares now required <u>80</u>
Fishery _____	Shares held: _____	Shares now required _____
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I have had to pre purchase shares because:

Please note the following personal views of the impacts to my business and my personal situation: this reform will cost me lots
of money with no benefit.

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Introduction:

I am a commercial fisher working in Region: 1

I have been in the Fishing Industry for: 22 Years

I have many concerns for the way the commercial fishery is being managed in NSW and draw your attention to my personal views on the following:

The Impact to my Business Shareholding is as follows:

Fishery ocean trap and line, trap Shares held: 40 Shares now required 50

Fishery ocean trap and line, west Shares held: 40 Shares now required 60

Fishery Estuary mud crab Shares held: 125 Shares now required 250

Fishery Estuary meshing Shares held: 125 Shares now required 250

Fishery Estuary handline/haul Shares held: 125 Shares now required 375

Fishery _____ Shares held: _____ Shares now required _____

Fishery _____ Shares held: _____ Shares now required _____

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I have had to pre purchase shares because:

Note: my spanner crabbing part of my license has already been dramatically effected by the introduction of the Quota management system further reducing my income.

Please note the following personal views of the impacts to my business and my personal situation: I already have substantial investment

in the industry and see not benefit borrowing and extra \$150,000 to earn the same yearly income as I do now.