

FISHERIES — 2010 WHALE ENTANGLEMENTS

2637. Mr D.J. Kelly to the Minister representing the Minister for Fisheries:

How many whale entanglements have been reported from commercial fisheries for the months of:

- (a) January 2010;
- (b) February 2010;
- (c) March 2010;
- (d) April 2010;
- (e) May 2010;
- (f) June 2010;
- (g) July 2010;
- (h) August 2010;
- (i) September 2010;
- (j) October 2010;
- (k) November 2010; and
- (l) December 2010?

Dr K.D. Hames replied:

The total number of whale entanglements (TOTAL) and the number of entanglements confirmed in commercial fisheries (COMMERCIAL) are:

	TOTAL	COMMERCIAL
(a) January 2010	0	0
(b) February 2010	0	0
(c) March 2010	0	0
(d) April 2010	0	0
(e) May 2010	0	0
(f) June 2010	0	0
(g) July 2010	0	0
(h) August 2010	3	0
(i) September 2010	1	1
(j) October 2010	0	0
(k) November 2010	0	0
(l) December 2010	0	0