

SOUTH COAST MARINE PARK — INDICATIVE MANAGEMENT PLANS

**1058. Hon COLIN de GRUSSA to the parliamentary secretary representing the Minister for Fisheries:**

I refer to the minister's response to question without notice 1006, asked on 12 September 2023, regarding the proposed south coast marine park.

- (1) Can the minister table the comments the Department of Primary Industries and Regional Development provided to the Department of Biodiversity, Conservation and Attractions on the potential commercial fishing impact on the Wagyl Kaip, Wudjari, Ngadju and Mirning draft indicative joint management plans?
- (2) Can the minister table the DBCA response to those comments, received by DPIRD on 7 June 2023?

**Hon DARREN WEST replied:**

I thank the member for some notice of the question. The following answer has been provided to me by the Minister for Fisheries.

- (1)–(2) The draft indicative management plans for the proposed south coast marine park will be released for public comment in accordance with the Conservation and Land Management Act 1984. In accordance with the CALM act, the indicative management plans will receive the concurrence of appropriate ministers prior to public comment and are therefore confidential until the public comment period commences.