



FISHERIES ADMINISTRATIVE)
ORDER NO. 208 :
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SUBJECT: Conservation of rare, threatened and endangered fishery species

Pursuant to Sections 11 and 97 of R. A. No. 8550, this order on the conservation of rare, threatened and endangered fishery/aquatic species is hereby issued for the information and guidance of all concerned.

SECTION 1. Definition. – As used in this Order, the following terms shall be construed as:

- a. *Rare.* – Fishery/aquatic resources with small world populations that are not endangered or vulnerable at present.
- b. *Threatened.* – A general term which may be used to describe a fishery or aquatic species the population of which is endangered, vulnerable or rare.
- c. *Endangered.* – refers to the species, subspecies, including the eggs, offspring, parts and derivatives of plants and animals listed in the CITES Appendices.
- d. *CITES.* – The acronym for the Convention on the International Trade in Endangered Species of Wild Fauna and Flora.
- e. *CITES Appendices* – refer to Appendix I, II and III of the Convention which are lists of species of plants and animals endangered by trade.

SEC. 2. Prohibition. – It shall be unlawful for any person, natural or juridical, to take or catch or cause to be taken or caught the following fishery/aquatic species.

A. RARE SPECIES

1. Gastropods:

<u>Scientific Name</u>	<u>English Name</u>
<i>Bolma girgyllus</i>	Girgyllus star shell
<i>Clypeomorus aduncus</i>	bent cerith
<i>Recluzia lutea</i>	recluzia snail

<i>Separatista blainvilliana</i>	true separatista
<i>Malluvium lissus</i>	deep sea cap
<i>Strombus thersites</i>	thersite stromb
<i>Varicospira crispate</i>	network beak shell
<i>Tibia martini</i>	Martini's tibia
<i>C. childreni</i>	children's cowrie
<i>C. beckii</i>	Beck's cowrie
<i>C. guttata</i>	great spotted cowrie
<i>C. porteri</i>	porter's cowrie
<i>C. teramachii</i>	Teramachi's cowrie
<i>C. martini</i>	Martini's cowrie
<i>C. saulae</i>	Saul's cowrie
<i>C. katusae</i>	Katsue's cowrie
<i>C. leucodon</i>	white toothed cowrie
<i>C. aurantium</i>	golden cowrie
<i>C. valentia</i>	Prince cowrie
<i>Phenacovolva dancei</i>	dance volva
<i>Cypraeacassis rufa</i>	bullmouth helmet
<i>Phalium coronadoi wyvillei</i>	Wyville's bonnet
<i>P. glabratum glabratum</i>	smooth bonnet
<i>Morum kurzi</i>	Kurzi's morum
<i>M. grande</i>	giant morum
<i>M. watsoni</i>	Watson's morum

2. Bivalves:

<i>Amusium oblitteratum</i>	smudged moon scallop
<i>Eufistulana mumia</i>	club-shaped boring clam

B. THREATENED SPECIES

1. Gastropods

<u>Scientific Name</u>	<u>English Name</u>	<u>Local Name</u>
<i>Turbo marmoratus</i>	green snail	laong, bulatok
<i>Trochus niloticus</i>	smooth top shell	samong; simong; tuwad
<i>Barnea manilensis</i>	angel wing shell	diwal

2. Crabs

<i>Birgus latro</i>	coconut crab	tatus, umang; alimangong lupa
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C. ENDANGERED SPECIES

1. Whales and dolphins

<u>Scientific Name</u>	<u>English Name</u>	<u>Local Name</u>
<i>Stenella longirostris</i>	spinner dolphin	lumba-lumba
<i>Stenella attenuata</i>	Pantropical spotted dolphin	lumba-lumba; balakiki
<i>Stenella coeruleoalba</i>	striped dolphin	lumba-lumba
<i>Lagenodelphis hosei</i>	Fraser's dolphin	mayahon
<i>Tursiops truncatus</i>	long-snouted bottle-nose dolphin	lumba-lumba, lumod lumod
<i>Grampus griseus</i>	Risso's dolphin	lumba-lumba; kabang
<i>Peponocephala electra</i>	melon-headed whale	lumod
<i>Feresa attenuata</i>	pygmy killer whale	lumod
<i>Globicephala macrorhynchus</i>	short-finned pilot whale	pakatang-ambuhatan
<i>Pseudorca crassidens</i>	false killer whale	balyena
<i>Orcinus orca</i>	killer whale	balyena
<i>Steno bredanensis</i>	rough toothed dolphin	lumba-lumba
<i>Kogia breviceps</i>	pygmy sperm whale	balyena
<i>Kogia simus</i>	dwarf sperm whale	balyena
<i>Mesoplodon densirostris</i>	Blainville's beaked whale	balyena
<i>Ziphius cavirostris</i>	Cuvier's beaked whale	balyena
<i>Physeter macrocephalus</i>	sperm whale	balyena
<i>Megaptera novaeangliae</i>	humpback whale	balyena
<i>Balaenoptera edeni</i>	Bryde's whale	balyena, bongkaras
<i>Balaenoptera physalus</i>	fin whale	balyena

2. Clams:

<i>Tridacna gigas</i>	true giant clam	taklobo
<i>T. derasa</i>	smooth giant clam	taklobo
<i>T. squamosa</i>	fluted/scaly giant clam	hagdan-hagdan
<i>T. maxima</i>	elongated giant clam	manlet; manlot
<i>T. crocea</i>	boring/crocus clam	let-let
<i>Hippopus hippopus</i>	strawberry/horse hoof clam	kukong kabayo
<i>H. porcellanus</i>	china/porcelain clam	kukong kabayo

3. Sea snakes

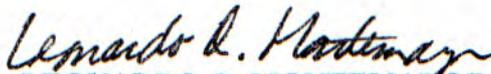
<i>Cerberus rhynchops</i>	dogfaced water snake	kalabukab
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SEC. 3. Penalty. – Violation of this order shall hold the offender liable to the penalty of imprisonment from twelve years to twenty years or a fine of one hundred and twenty thousand pesos, or both such fine and imprisonment in the discretion of the court, including forfeiture of the catch subject of the offense and cancellation of his fishing permit, if applicable.

SEC. 4. Repeal. – All orders, rules and regulations or parts thereof which are inconsistent with this order are hereby repealed or modified accordingly.

SEC. 5. Effectivity. – This order shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its publication in the Official Gazette and/or in two (2) newspapers of general circulation and fifteen (15) days after its registration with the Office of the National Administrative Register.

ISSUED this 17th day of MAY, 2001 at Quezon City, Metropolitan Manila, Philippines.


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