

Please do not go ahead with the insane proposal to cut down our marine parks by 50%. This is not about indulging some bleeding heart, greeny sentiments.

Marine parks are vitally important in allowing breeding of fish and opening them to fishing is a terrible, short-sighted mistake that will lead to our fishery collapsing in the very near future.

Insults to our ocean biodiversity are also accelerating global ecosystems destruction, with ocean acidification, CO2 release and worsening climate change a sure consequence.

You might only be concerned in the short-term profit or the next election but the very survival of the human race is at stake here. You will be held accountable if you continue on that course.

Sincerely

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