

Dear Management and Planning,

I am writing regarding our ocean sanctuaries that I understand are under threat from the liberal government reducing their protection significantly. If anything protection should be significantly increased to protect our Marine animals and their habitats for future generations. The fishing industry worldwide is decimating our oceans and it's time to stop this money making industry from decimating our oceans even further. I was shocked to hear that the one organization who is actually doing something to protect our southern whale sanctuary from Japanese whalers have also pulled out due to the lack of support from our government. It's so disappointing Australia is going so backwards in so many ways in regard to environmental protection.

Our ocean sanctuaries need to be reinstated and if anything increased.

I hope the government wakes up and realises the importance of improving protection in this century and not reducing it to please the commercial fishing and mining industries.

Yours Sincerely,

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Sent from Shell's phone