

Dear Minister Frydenberg

It is concerning that you and the Turnbull Government plan on reducing the size of our Marine Parks. I'm writing to you to ask you to stop cutting our marine protections and if anything, increase waterway protection.

In the Coral Sea, the area placed in Marine National Parks has been halved.....this just isn't acceptable.

The Marion Reef, another Marine National Park that has had its protection halved.....again, totally unacceptable.

Osprey Reef (a top dive site in the world) is yet another Marine National Park that has had its area halved.....still, totally unacceptable.

And, worst of all, Shark and Vema Reefs have been totally removed from the Marine National Park register.....disgraceful to say the least!

.....what other Marine National Parks are scheduled to be halved or completely dissolved?

We the people of Australia don't want any further Marine National Parks reduced/touched.....only to have the area increased to be protected.

I respectfully request that you keep all Marine National Parks completely intact and reinstate those sanctuaries that have had their protection and status halved.....it's the right thing to do and it's what the people of Australian demand you to do.

Sincerely

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PS: Don't even think to introduce 'midwater trawling', or for longlining to start, at the southern tip of the Coral Sea reserve and continue all the way to the northern boundary. Forget it!

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