

CAYMAN ISLANDS



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THE MARINE CONSERVATION (AMENDMENT) LAW, 2006

(LAW 37 OF 2006)

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I Assent

Stuart Jack

Governor.

12 January, 2007

A LAW TO AMEND THE MARINE CONSERVATION LAW (2003 REVISION) WITH RESPECT TO WILDLIFE INTERACTION IN CAYMAN WATERS; TO MAKE FURTHER PROVISION WITH RESPECT TO THE POWERS OF FISHERIES OFFICERS; AND FOR INCIDENTAL AND CONNECTED PURPOSES

ENACTED by the Legislature of the Cayman Islands.

1. This Law may be cited as the Marine Conservation (Amendment) Law, 2006. Short title
2. The Marine Conservation Law (2003 Revision) is amended in section 5 by inserting after subsection (4) the following subsection - Amendment of section 5 of the Marine Conservation Law (2003 Revision) - fisheries officers

“ (5) Regulations made under this Law may authorise fisheries officers to stop, and enter into or upon, a vehicle, boat or other conveyance in prescribed circumstances or for prescribed purposes.”.
3. The Marine Conservation Law (2003 Revision) is amended in section 29 as follows - Amendment of section 29 of the Marine Conservation Law (2003 Revision) - regulations
 - (a) by deleting from paragraph (p) the word “and”; and
 - (b) by repealing paragraph (q) and substituting the following paragraphs -

“(q) prohibiting or regulating -

- (i) touching or feeding of or other human interaction with marine life of a prescribed kind or description; and
- (ii) the promotion or use of any area of land or waters as a place where such interaction is invited, encouraged or facilitated;
- (r) regulating the use of vessels in waters of the Islands, whether or not within a restricted marine area or marine park, for the purposes of this Law or authorising the regulation thereof, by means of licences, journey scheduling or otherwise, by a prescribed person or body; and
- (s) prescribing matters required or permitted by this Law to be prescribed or for carrying out or giving effect to the provisions and purposes of this Law.”.

Passed by the Legislative Assembly the 21st day of December, 2006.

EDNA MOYLE

Speaker.

WENDY LAUER EBANKS

Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.