

A summary document is prepared after each meeting of the Reef Advisory Committee to inform other advisory committees serving the Authority, and persons generally (including the public), of business of the RAC. The document forms part of the records of the meeting and so its content is limited to matters raised in the meeting, and, where necessary, background details given to the meeting. Any inquiries should be referred to the Authority's Secretariat, or to the appropriate Member.



## FISHERIES REEF ADVISORY COMMITTEE

### 7<sup>th</sup> Meeting

### 31 October and 1 November 2002 – Townsville

### SUMMARY DOCUMENT

No Summary Document was issued; however, the following items were discussed during the meeting:

- Strategic Policy for Fisheries within the Great Barrier Reef World Heritage Area;
- Update on the Queensland Fisheries Service;
- Draft Queensland Coral Reef Fin Fish Fishery Management Plan;
- Great Barrier Reef Marine Park Authority's Response to Marine Fisheries Regulatory Impact Statement;
- Update on Commercial Coral Collecting in the Great Barrier Reef Marine Park/Independent Panel;
- Indigenous Fishing Issues – Traditional Hunting Strategy Framework;
- Great Barrier Reef Marine Park Authority's Audit of the East Coast Trawl Fishery;
- Update on the Representative Areas Program;
- Great Barrier Reef Marine Park Authority's Aquaculture Policy;
- Discussion paper on Commonwealth Marine Protected Areas and Fisheries;
- Update on the Waterway Links Information Brochure;
- Princess Charlotte Bay; and
- Activities of the National Oceans Office.

#### NEXT MEETING

This was the final meeting of the current term of the RACs.  
The first meeting of the next term is proposed for March 2003.

#### CURRENT MEMBERSHIP OF THE COMMITTEE

Mr David Bateman	Recreational Fishing
Dr Phil Cadwallader	GBRMPA
Mr Colin Creighton	Water Quality and Coastal Issues
Mr Mark Flanigan	Environment Australia
Mr James Gillespie	Queensland Fisheries Service
Mr Cliff Greenhalgh	Commercial Fishing
Mr Ray Joyce	Charter Boats
Ms Rosemary Lea	Queensland Parks and Wildlife Service
Mr John Olsen	Commercial Fishing
Mr Chris Roberts	Indigenous Community
Ms Kirsti Sampson	Conservation
Mr Lyle Squire	Commercial Harvest Fishing
Mr Rod Supple	Fisheries Enforcement and Compliance
Ms Diane Tarte (Chairperson)	Environment
Dr David Williams	Scientific Community