

Agri - Food & Veterinary Authority of Singapore

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Dear traders and agents

LISTING OF NEW SHARK AND RAY SPECIES ON CITES APPENDIX II

We wish to inform you that the following species of sharks and rays have been listed on the Appendix II of the Convention on the International Trade in Endangered Species of Wild Fauna and Flora (CITES¹).

- Oceanic white-tip shark (Carcharhinus longimanus)
- Great hammerhead sharks (Sphyrna mokarran)
- Smooth hammerhead shark (Sphyrna zygaena)
- Scalloped hammerhead shark (Sphyrna lewini)
- Porbeagle (Lamna nasus)
- Manta rays (Manta spp.)
- The listing shall come into effect from <u>14 September 2014</u>. This means that any import of the above-mentioned species would require a CITES export/re-export permit from the exporting/re-exporting country and a CITES import permit from AVA. The re-export of these species would also require a CITES re-export permit from AVA. The CITES permit² requirements would be applicable to live fish and their parts and products in frozen, chilled, canned or processed forms (eg. fins) of the fish.
- 3 Please refer to the enclosed <u>Annex</u> for the HS codes and product codes for the abovementioned species to be used in submission of TradeNet declaration. In order for AVA to facilitate the issuance of CITES re-export permit, please complete the attached declaration form if you have existing pre-Convention stocks of the above shark and ray species in your possession. Kindly return the completed form to AVA via email by **5 September 2014**.
- 4 If you require any clarifications, please feel free to contact AVA.

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¹ For more information on CITES, please visit AVA website: http://www.ava.gov.sg/AnimalsPetSector/CITESEndangeredSpecies/

² Application for CITES permit is done via AVA website: http://www.ava.gov.sg/Services/AVAeServices/CITES Import Export reExport Permit.htm

To: Wildlife Section

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<u>DECLARATION OF POSSESSION OF NEWLY CITES LISTED SHARK AND RAY SPECIES</u>

We hereby declare that we have in possession of the following stocks, which were acquired before **14 September 2014**. Details of our stocks are as follows:

Species (eg. Scalloped hammerhead shark)	Description of product (eg. live, fins, meat, frozen, chilled, smoked, etc.)	Quantity (pieces, kg or tons)	
*Please indicate quantity unit clearly. If you do not passess any of the specimens			

We hereby declare that the above information is true and correct.

Name		
Designation		
Company name		
Company address		
Contact no. and email	(Tel)	(Email)
Signature & date		

Please email completed form to AVA by 5 September 2014.

^{*}Please indicate quantity unit clearly. If you do not possess any of the specimens, please indicate "Nil" in the above boxes.

<u>Annex</u>

HS code	Product code	Product Description
03019939	FFL2SK2OW	SHARK OCEANIC WHITE-TIP, LIVE
03019939	FFL2SK2GH	SHARK GREAT HAMMERHEAD, LIVE
03019939	FFL2SK2SMH	SHARK SMOOTH HAMMERHEAD, LIVE
03019939	FFL2SK2SH	SHARK SCALLOPED HAMMERHEAD, LIVE
03019939	FFL2SK2P	SHARK PORBEAGLE, LIVE
03028100	FFC2SK2OW	SHARK OCEANIC WHITE-TIP, WHOLE, CHILLED
03028100	FFC2SK2GH	SHARK GREAT HAMMERHEAD, WHOLE,
		CHILLED
03028100	FFC2SK2SMH	SHARK SMOOTH HAMMERHEAD, WHOLE,
		CHILLED
03028100	FFC2SK2SH	SHARK SCALLOPED HAMMERHEAD, WHOLE, CHILLED
03028100	FFC2SK2P	SHARK PORBEAGLE, WHOLE, CHILLED
03038100	FFF2SK2OW	SHARK OCEANIC WHITE-TIP, WHOLE, FROZEN
03038100	FFF2SK2GH	SHARK GREAT HAMMERHEAD, WHOLE,
00000.00		FROZEN
03038100	FFF2SK2SMH	SHARK SMOOTH HAMMERHEAD, WHOLE, FROZEN
03038100	FFF2SK2SH	SHARK SCALLOPED HAMMERHEAD, WHOLE,
03030100	1112012011	FROZEN
03038100	FFF2SK2P	SHARK PORBEAGLE, WHOLE, FROZEN
03044900	FFP2XFCSKOW	SHARK OCEANIC WHITE-TIP, FILLET/CUT,
00044000	1112/1100/1011	CHILLED
03044900	FFP2XFCSKGH	SHARK GREAT HAMMERHEAD, FILLET/CUT,
		CHILLED
03044900	FFP2XFCSKSMH	SHARK SMOOTH HAMMERHEAD, FILLET/CUT,
		CHILLED
03044900	FFP2XFCSKSH	SHARK SCALLOPED HAMMERHEAD,
		FILLET/CUT, CHILLED
03044900	FFP2XFCSKP	SHARK PORBEAGLE, FILLET/CUT, CHILLED
03048900	FFP2XFFSKOW	SHARK OCEANIC WHITE-TIP, FILLET/CUT,
		FROZEN
03048900	FFP2XFFSKGH	SHARK GREAT HAMMERHEAD, FILLET/CUT,
00040000	EEDOVEEO KOMU	FROZEN
03048900	FFP2XFFSKSMH	SHARK SMOOTH HAMMERHEAD, FILLET/CUT, FROZEN
03048900	FFP2XFFSKSH	SHARK SCALLOPED HAMMERHEAD,
		FILLET/CUT, FROZEN
03048900	FFP2XFFSKP	SHARK PORBEAGLE, FILLET/CUT, FROZEN
03054900	FFP2SKKOW	SHARK OCEANIC WHITE-TIP, SMOKED
03054900	FFP2SKKGH	SHARK GREAT HAMMERHEAD, SMOKED
03054900	FFP2SKKSMH	SHARK SMOOTH HAMMERHEAD, SMOKED
03054900	FFP2SKKSH	SHARK SCALLOPED HAMMERHEAD, SMOKED
03054900	FFP2SKKP	SHARK PORBEAGLE, SMOKED
03055920	FFP2SKDSOW	SHARK OCEANIC WHITE-TIP, DRIED, SALTED
03055920	FFP2SKDSGH	SHARK GREAT HAMMERHEAD, DRIED, SALTED
03055920	FFP2SKDSSMH	SHARK SMOOTH HAMMERHEAD, DRIED, SALTED
03055920	FFP2SKDSSH	SHARK SCALLOPED HAMMERHEAD, DRIED, SALTED

03055920	FFP2SKDSP	SHARK PORBEAGLE, DRIED, SALTED
03057100	FFP2SKFDUOW	SHARK OCEANIC WHITE-TIP'S FIN, DRIED
		(WITH SKIN), UNPROCESSED
03057100	FFP2SKFDUGH	SHARK GREAT HAMMERHEAD'S FIN, DRIED
		(WITH SKIN), UNPROCESSED
03057100	FFP2SKFDUSMH	SHARK SMOOTH HAMMERHEAD'S FIN, DRIED (WITH SKIN), UNPROCESSED
03057100	FFP2SKFDUSH	SHARK SCALLOPED HAMMERHEAD'S FIN,
		DRIED (WITH SKIN), UNPROCESSED
03057100	FFP2SKFDUP	SHARK PORBEAGLE'S FIN, DRIED (WITH SKIN), UNPROCESSED
03057100	FFP2SKFFUOW	SHARK OCEANIC WHITE-TIP'S FIN, FROZEN
03057100	FFP2SKFFUGH	SHARK GREAT HAMMERHEAD'S FIN, FROZEN
03057100	FFP2SKFFUSMH	SHARK SMOOTH HAMMERHEAD'S FIN, FROZEN
03057100	FFP2SKFFUSH	SHARK SCALLOPED HAMMERHEAD'S FIN,
03037100	111 2011 10011	FROZEN
03057100	FFP2SKFFUP	SHARK PORBEAGLE'S FIN, FROZEN
16042011	FFN2SKFOW	SHARK OCEANIC WHITE-TIP'S FIN, CANNED
16042011	FFN2SKFGH	SHARK GREAT HAMMERHEAD'S FIN, CANNED
16042011	FFN2SKFSMH	SHARK SMOOTH HAMMERHEAD'S FIN,
		CANNED
16042011	FFN2SKFSH	SHARK SCALLOPED HAMMERHEAD'S FIN, CANNED
16042011	FFN2SKFP	SHARK PORBEAGLE'S FIN, CANNED
16042019	FFP2SKFDPOW	SHARK OCEANIC WHITE-TIP'S FIN, DRIED, READY FOR USE
16042019	FFP2SKFDPGH	SHARK GREAT HAMMERHEAD'S FIN, DRIED, READY FOR USE
16042019	FFP2SKFDPSMH	SHARK SMOOTH HAMMERHEAD'S FIN, DRIED, READY FOR USE
16042019	FFP2SKFDPSH	SHARK SCALLOPED HAMMERHEAD'S FIN, DRIED, READY FOR USE
16042019	FFP2SKFDPP	SHARK PORBEAGLE'S FIN, DRIED, READY FOR USE
16042019	FFP2SKFFOW	SHARK OCEANIC WHITE-TIP'S FIN, FROZEN, READY FOR USE
16042019	FFP2SKFFGH	SHARK GREAT HAMMERHEAD'S FIN, FROZEN, READY FOR USE
16042019	FFP2SKFFSMH	SHARK SMOOTH HAMMERHEAD'S FIN, FROZEN, READY FOR USE
16042019	FFP2SKFFSH	SHARK SCALLOPED HAMMERHEAD'S FIN, FROZEN, READY FOR USE
16042019	FFP2SKFFP	SHARK PORBEAGLE'S FIN, FROZEN, READY
		FOR USE
03019939	FFL2RM2	RAY MANTA, LIVE
03028200	FFC2RM2	RAY MANTA, WHOLE, CHILLED
03038200	FFF2RM2	RAY MANTA, WHOLE, FROZEN
03044900	FFP2XFCRM	RAY MANTA FILLET/CUT, CHILLED
03048900	FFP2XFFRM	RAY MANTA FILLET/CUT, FROZEN
03055920	FFP2RMDS	RAY MANTA, DRIED, SALTED
16041990	FFP2RM	RAY MANTA, PREPARED