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**THE STATES** make these Regulations under Articles 2, 17 and 20 of the [Aquatic Resources \(Jersey\) Law 2014](#) –

Commencement [[see endnotes](#)]

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### **1 Interpretation**

In these Regulations –

“commercial purposes”, in relation to the harvesting of seaweed, means the harvesting of seaweed with a view to financial reward or profit;

“harvest”, in relation to seaweed, means the removal of seaweed from the marine environment by cutting it, pulling it or by any other means of physically detaching it from a natural hard substrate that is preventing its displacement by the normal action of the environment such as tides and currents;

“harvesting by hand” means the detachment of seaweed from the marine environment directly by hand, such as by pulling it or by means of a tool such as a knife or scissors where the only source of energy for the detachment is generated by the individual using the tool;

“mechanical harvesting” means harvesting which is not harvesting by hand;

“recreational purposes” means purposes which are not commercial purposes;

“seaweed” means seaweed of a species listed in column 1 of the Table;

“Table” means the table in Regulation 6.

### **2 Mechanical harvesting prohibited**

Mechanical harvesting of seaweed is prohibited.

### **3 Harvesting by hand for commercial purposes**

- (1) A person must not harvest by hand seaweed for commercial purposes unless that person is authorised by a licence granted under Regulation 4.

- (2) The amount of seaweed of any species harvested each day by a person granted a licence under Regulation 4 must not exceed the amount specified in column 3 of the Table in the same row as that species.

#### 4 Licences for harvesting by hand for commercial purposes

- (1) An application for a licence, or for the renewal of a licence, must be made in such form and manner as the Minister may determine and accompanied by –
- (a) such information as the Minister requires; and
  - (b) such fee as may be prescribed by the Minister by Order.
- (2) Upon receipt of an application which meets the requirements of paragraph (1) and of any further information the Minister may require, the Minister may grant a licence or renew a licence.
- (3) A licence or renewal of a licence, if granted, is for such period of time and subject to such conditions as the Minister may determine.

#### 5 Harvesting by hand for recreational purposes

The amount of seaweed of any species harvested for recreational purposes each day by a person must not exceed the amount specified in column 2 of the Table in the same row as that species.

#### 6 Daily limits for harvesting

Column 1		Column 2	Column 3
Species		Recreational purposes	Commercial purposes
Latin name	English name	kg per day	
<i>Alaria esculenta</i>	Dabberlocks	0	0
<i>Ascophyllum nodosum</i>	Egg Wrack	5	20
<i>Codium bursa</i>	Velvet Horn	0	0
<i>Fucus serratus</i>	Serrated Wrack	10	50
<i>Fucus spiralis</i>	Spiral Wrack	10	50
<i>Fucus vesiculosus</i>	Bladder Wrack	10	50
<i>Himanthalia elongata</i>	Thong Weed	0	0
<i>Laminaria digitata</i>	Oar Weed	10	50
<i>Laminaria hyperborea</i>	Forest Kelp	10	50
<i>Laminaria ochroleuca</i>	Golden Kelp	10	50
<i>Phymatolithon spp.</i>	Maerl	0	0
<i>Lithothamnion spp.</i>	Maerl	0	0
<i>Padina pavonica</i>	Peacocks Tail	0	0
<i>Saccharina latissima</i>	Sugar Kelp	10	50

Column 1		Column 2	Column 3
Species		Recreational purposes	Commercial purposes
Latin name	English name	kg per day	
<i>Sargassum muticum</i>	Wireweed	10	50
<i>Undaria pinnatifida</i>	Wakame	10	50
Red and brown seaweed species not listed above		5	10

## 7 Citation and commencement

These Regulations may be cited as the Aquatic Resources (Seaweed Licences) (Jersey) Regulations 2019 and shall come into force on the same day that the [Aquatic Resources \(Jersey\) Law 2014](#) comes into force.

## ENDNOTES

### Table of Legislation History

Legislation	Year and No	Commencement	◦Projet No (where applicable)
Aquatic Resources (Seaweed Licences) (Jersey) Regulations 2019	<a href="#">R&amp;O.76/2019</a>	17 September 2019 ( <a href="#">R&amp;O.75/2019</a> )	<a href="#">P.66/2019</a>

◦Projets available at [statesassembly.gov.je](http://statesassembly.gov.je)

### Table of Endnote References

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