

FISHERIES ACT 1996

PART 3 - SUSTAINABILITY MEASURES

11A. Fisheries plans—

1. The Minister may from time to time approve, amend, or revoke a fisheries plan.
2. A fisheries plan approved under subsection (1) may relate to 1 or more stocks, fishing years, or areas, or any combination of those things.
3. Without limiting anything in subsection (2), a fisheries plan may include—
 - a. Fisheries management objectives to support the purpose and principles of the Act:
 - b. Strategies to achieve fisheries management objectives, which may include—
 - i. Sustainability measures set or varied under any of sections 11, 13, 14, and 15:
 - ii. Rules to manage the interaction between different fisheries sectors:
 - c. Performance criteria to measure the achievement of the objectives and strategies:
 - d. Conservation services or fisheries services:
 - e. Contingency strategies to deal with foreseeable variations in circumstances.
4. Nothing in this section prevents the Minister from considering a proposal under Part 9.]

Section 11A: inserted, on 9 September 1999, by [section 6](#) of the Fisheries Act 1996 Amendment Act 1999 (1999 No 101).