

**NOTICE 421 OF 2009****DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL AFFAIRS AND TOURISM****MARINE LIVING RESOURCES ACT, 1998 (ACT NO. 18 OF 1998)****DRAFT NOTICE DECLARING THE PRINCE EDWARD ISLANDS MARINE  
PROTECTED AREA**

I, Marthinus Christoffel Johannes van Schalkwyk, Minister of Environmental Affairs and Tourism, hereby publish for public comment, my intention to declare the Prince Edward Islands Marine Protected Area under section 43 of the Marine Living Resources Act, 1998 (Act No. 18 of 1998) within the boundaries and geographic coordinates as set out in the Schedule hereto.

Any person who wishes to submit representations or comments in connection with the proposed Marine Protected Area is invited to do so by 16h00 on 6 July 2009. All representations and comments must be submitted in writing to the Deputy Director-General of the Department of Environmental Affairs and Tourism, Branch Marine and Coastal Management:

By post to: The Deputy Director-General:

Environmental Affairs and Tourism: Marine and Coastal Management

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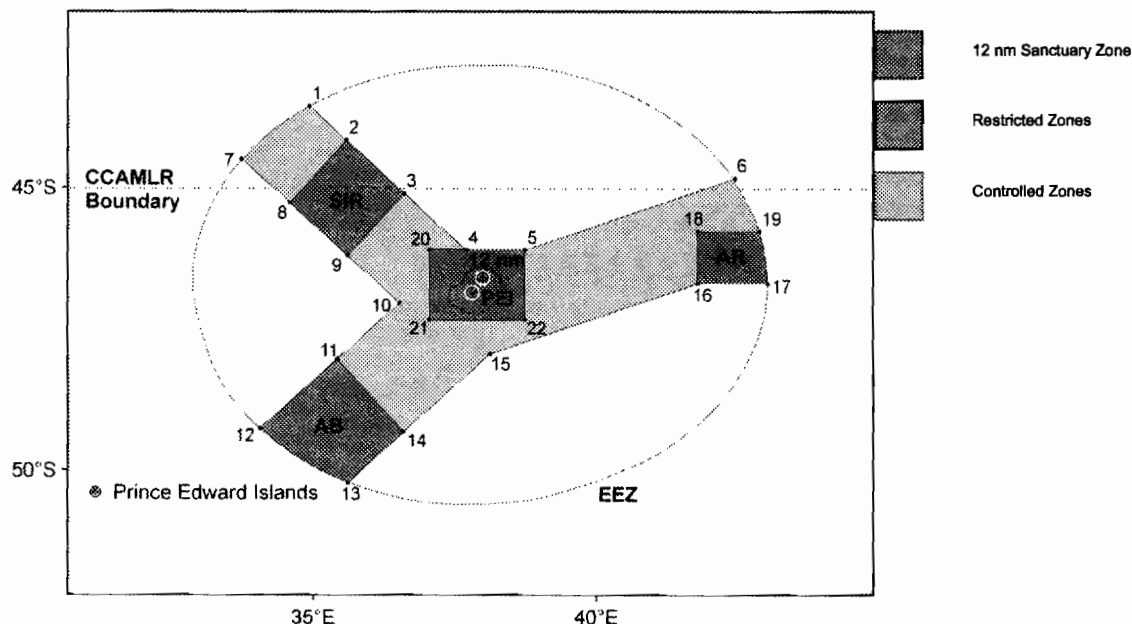
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**MINISTER OF ENVIRONMENTAL AFFAIRS AND TOURISM**

**SCHEDULE**

**Boundaries of the Marine Protected Area**

The Prince Edward Islands Marine Protected Area is the area within the polygon bounded by lines sequentially joining the points 1,2,3,4,5,6,19,17,16, 15, 14, 13,12, 11, 10, 9, 8, 7 and back to 1. The lines shall be straight lines with the exception of between points 6, 19 and 17; and between 12 and 13; and 1 and 7, where they shall be curved to follow the boundary of the Exclusive Economic Zone as shown in Figure 1. The exact co-ordinates of the points are given in Table 1.



**Fig. 1.** The proposed boundaries for the Prince Edward Islands Marine Protected Area.

**Table 1.** The exact geographic coordinates (WGS 84) of points 1-22 in Fig. 1

Point	Latitude		Longitude		Point	Latitude		Longitude	
	Degrees	Minutes	Degrees	Minutes		Degrees	Minutes	Degrees	Minutes
1	43	34	34	56	12	49	16	34	3
2	44	10	35	35	13	50	14	35	36
3	45	6	36	36	14	49	20	36	35
4	46	6	37	42	15	47	57	38	7
5	46	6	38	44	16	46	42	41	48
6	44	50	42	27	17	46	42	43	2
7	44	30	33	44	18	45	46	41	48
8	45	16	34	35	19	45	46	42	53
9	46	12	35	36	20	46	6	37	3
10	47	3	36	31	21	47	21	37	3
11	48	2	35	25	22	47	21	38	44