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Fauna (Protection and Control) Act 1966
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INDEPENDENT STATE OF PAPUA NEW GUINEA.

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MADE under the Fauna (Protection and Control) Act 1966.

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1. INTERPRETATION.
   In these Rules, unless the contrary intention appears “the Area” means the Maza Wildlife Management Area.

2. TRADITIONAL HAND-HARPOON METHOD MAY BE USED.
   A person may at any time take or catch a dugong within the Area by the traditional hand-harpoon method from a canoe, whether powered by out-board engine or otherwise.

3. RESTRICTION ON NETTING DUGONGS.
   (1) A person must not take or catch a dugong within the Area by means of a net except—
       (a) during the months of May, June and July; and
       (b) in the immediate area of Daru Island.
   (2) Where a net is used to take or catch a dugong the mesh size must not exceed 25.4cm.

4. BEST ENDEAVOURS NOT TO TAKE, ETC., MOTHER OR BABY.
   A person must use his best endeavour not to take, catch or kill within the Area a mother dugong or a baby dugong.
5. **SELLING OF DUGONGS.**

(1) A dugong taken or caught within the Area may only be sold in the market at Daru.

(2) Where a person intends to sell a dugong in the market at Daru he must, prior to offering it for sale, bring it to the Daru Wildlife Division Dugong Project Office for inspection by—

   (a) a Wildlife Officer; or
   
   (b) a member of the Maza Wildlife Management Committee; or
   
   (c) any person authorized by a Wildlife Officer or member of the Maza Wildlife Management Committee.

6. **PENALTY.**

A person who, without reasonable cause, (proof of which is on him), contravenes or fails to comply with a provision of these Rules is liable to the appropriate penalties set out in the Act.