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Territories of South Georgia
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FISHERIES (TRANSHIPMENT LICENCE FEES) (VALIDATION) ORDINANCE 2022

(No. 1 of 2022)

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AN ORDINANCE

To validate transshipment licence fees collected without legislative authority.

ENACTED by the Commissioner for South Georgia and South Sandwich Islands —

1. Title

This Ordinance is the Fisheries (Transshipment Licence Fees) (Validation) Ordinance 2022.

2. Commencement

This Ordinance comes into force on publication in the *Gazette*.

3. Interpretation

In this Ordinance —

“**transshipment licence**” has the same meaning as given in section 2 of the Fisheries (Conservation and Management) Ordinance 2000.

4. Validation of transshipment licence fees

Any fee for a transshipment licence demanded or collected on or after 1 May 2020 until the date of commencement of the Fisheries (Transshipment and Export) (Amendment) Order 2022 is validated as if the fee had been provided for in the Schedule to the Fisheries (Transshipment and Export) Regulations 1990.

Enacted 19 April 2022

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EXPLANATORY NOTE
(not part of the Ordinance)

This Ordinance validates transshipment licence fees that were demanded and collected without legislative authority. The fees collected between 1 May 2020 and the date of commencement of the Fisheries (Transshipment and Export) (Amendment) Order 2022 were collected without the necessary legal process of amending the Schedule to the Fisheries (Transshipment and Export) Regulations 1990. To regularise the situation, an amendment to the transshipment fee will be made by the Fisheries (Transshipment and Export) (Amendment) Order 2022.