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Announcement of Full MSC Assessment Exmouth Gulf Prawn Fishery

MRAG Americas, Inc. is pleased to announce that a Marine Stewardship Council (MSC) assessment of the **Exmouth Gulf prawn trawl** fishery of Western Australia has begun. The assessment will evaluate the fishery for compliance with the MSC's Standard for well-managed and sustainable fisheries. MRAG Americas has determined that the fishery is in scope.

The client for this assessment is MG Kailis Pty Ltd:

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MRAG seeks to engage stakeholders with an interest in the fishery to provide comments and information for this assessment process. The MSC has developed a guide for stakeholder input, available at http://www.msc.org/documents/get-certified/stakeholders and a template for stakeholder response available at http://www.msc.org/documents/get-certified/stakeholders/template for stakeholder input. You may use the template or provide your response in any other format. All comments and inquiries should be directed to MRAG Americas.

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