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Section 267: Notice of collection of an object seized under Section 264 of Marine and Coastal Access Act 2009

The object(s) described below has/have been inspected and seized under Section 264 of the Marine and Coastal Access Act 2009:

2 collapsible crab pots without escape gaps installed or displaying tags in breach of fisheries byelaw regulations seized from the pier at Seaham Harbour on 12 June 2018.

This is now available for collection from:

Contact: North Eastern Inshore Fisheries and Conservation Authority on the above number or 01482 393 515 or email: ne-ifca@eastriding.gov.uk

If the object is not collected before the end of the period of three months beginning with the date of this notice, the North Eastern Inshore Fisheries and Conservation Authority will dispose of the object.

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Signed: 

Inshore Fisheries and Conservation Officer

Date: 13/06/18

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Relevant sections of Marine and Coastal Access Act 2009

267 Disposal of objects seized under section 264

(1) This section applies to—

- (a) any object seized under section 264(2) which the relevant authority—
 - (i) no longer wishes to retain for any purpose, or
 - (ii) is required to make available for collection by virtue of section 266;
- (b) any object seized under section 264(5).

(2) In this section a “notice of collection” is a notice stating that—

- (a) the object specified in the notice is available to be collected from the location so specified, and
- (b) if the object is not collected before the end of the period of three months beginning with the date specified in the notice, the relevant authority will dispose of the object.

(3) The relevant authority must serve a notice of collection on every person who appears to the authority to be the owner, or one of the owners, of the object.

(4) The relevant authority may take any other steps it thinks fit to notify every such person that the object is available to be collected.

(5) If the relevant authority, after taking reasonable steps to do so, is unable to identify any person as owning the object in order to serve a notice of collection, the relevant authority must take such steps as it thinks fit to bring the information contained in the notice of collection to the attention of persons likely to be interested in it.

(6) If the relevant authority complies with subsection (3) or subsection (5), as the case may be, the relevant authority may, at the end of the period mentioned in subsection (2)(b), dispose of the object in whatever way it thinks fit.

(7) Any reference in this section to an object seized under subsection (2) or (5) of section 264 includes a reference to anything seized by virtue of subsection (6) of that section