## Senate Standing Committee on Environment and Communications Legislation Committee Answers to questions on notice Environment portfolio

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Wildlife Heritage and Marine Division(WHM)
Giant Freshwater Lobster (Astacopsis Gouldi) – new recovery plan
N/A
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## Senator Rice asked:

When will a new recovery plan for the Giant Freshwater Lobster be released to follow on from the Recovery Plan 2006 – 2010?

## Answer:

The new *Draft Recovery Plan for the Giant Freshwater Lobster (Astocopsis gouldi)* was considered by the Threatened Species Scientific Committee at its March 2016 meeting. The recovery plan will soon be released for a statutory three month public consultation period.