Abbreviations

20 Year Strategic Plan 20 Year Australian Antarctic Strategic Plan

AAD Australian Antarctic Division, Department of Environment

AAP Australian Antarctic Programme
AAT Australian Antarctic Territory

ACBPS Australian Customs and Border Protection Service

ACE CRC Antarctic Climate & Ecosystems Cooperative Research Centre

ADF Australian Defence Force

AFMA Australian Fisheries Management Authority
AIMS Australian Institute of Marine Science
AMSA Australian Maritime Safety Authority
ATCM Antarctic Treaty Consultative Meeting
ATCP Antarctic Treaty Consultative Parties

ATS Antarctic Treaty System

(consists of the Antarctic Treaty, CCAS, CAMLR Convention,

Madrid Protocol, and related measures)

BPC Border Protection Command

CAMLR Convention Convention for the Conservation of Antarctic Marine Living

Resources

CCAMLR Commission for the Conservation of Antarctic Marine Living

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CCAS Convention for the Conservation of Antarctic Seals

CCSBT Commission for the Conservation of Southern Bluefin Tuna

CEP Committee for Environmental Protection

(under the Madrid Protocol)

COLTO Coalition of Legal Toothfish Operators

COMNAP Council of Managers of National Antarctic Programs

DFAT Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade

ECS extended continental shelf
EEZ exclusive economic zone

HIMI the territory of Heard Island and McDonald Islands

ICJ International Court of Justice

ICRW International Convention for the Regulation of Whaling

IMAS Institute of Marine and Antarctic Studies,

University of Tasmania

IMO International Maritime Organisation
IMOS Integrated Marine Observing System

IUU Illegal, unreported and unregulated (fishing)

IWC International Whaling Commission

Madrid Protocol Protocol on Environmental Protection to the Antarctic Treaty

MPA marine protected area/s

RFMO regional fisheries management organisations

RPOA-IUU Regional Plan of Action to Promote Responsible Fishing

Practices including Combating Illegal, Unreported and

Unregulated Fishing in the Region

SAR search and rescue

SCAR Scientific Committee on Antarctic Research

SORP Southern Ocean Research Partnership

UAV unmanned aerial vehicles

UNCLOS United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea