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**FISHERIES RESOURCES (JURISDICTION AND  
CONSERVATION) (DECLARATION OF  
PROTECTED AREA) ORDER, 2013**

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**FISHERIES RESOURCES (JURISDICTION AND  
CONSERVATION) ACT  
CHAPTER 244**

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CONSERVATION) (DECLARATION OF PROTECTED  
AREA) ORDER, 2013**

The Minister in exercise of the powers conferred by section 13 of the Fisheries Resources (Jurisdiction and Conservation) Act, makes the following Order—

**1. Citation.**

This Order may be cited as the Fisheries Resources (Jurisdiction and Conservation) (Declaration of Protected Area) Order, 2013.

**2. Declaration of protected area.**

The exclusive fishery zone is hereby declared to be a protected area.

**3. Prohibits fishing for Nassau Grouper.**

No person shall fish for the Nassau Grouper within the area of water described in paragraph (2) from the 1<sup>st</sup> December, 2013 to the 28<sup>th</sup> February, 2014.

Made this 18<sup>th</sup> day of December A.D., 2013.

Signed  
**V. ALFRED GRAY**  
Minister responsible for Agriculture, Marine  
Resources and Local Government