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8th Board Member secured

Mr David Hall, Managing Director of Hallprint Fish Tags, has accepted an invitation to take up the 8th and final position on the Recfish Australia Board. Chairman of the Board, Bruce Schumacher, has welcomed his decision and is delighted that he has offered his time and expertise.

“David will bring a wealth of knowledge and experience to the Board and it is encouraging to see someone of his stature willing to contribute to the strategic direction of recreational and sport fishing in Australia” Mr Schumacher said.

His broad understanding of the fisheries issues stems from a very successful career in fisheries science and management. David now runs his own business, based in Victor Harbour SA, which provides tagging advice and supplies a range of fish tags to fisheries organisations around the world and he is well placed and highly credentialed for the role”. Mr Schumacher concluded

David has;

- wide spread experience in fisheries management and science;
- good knowledge of and understanding of the R & D processes following his time as Executive Director of the Wine Grape Research and Development Corporation;
- continuing involvement in the recreational fishing sector through his fish tag manufacturing and advisory business;

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- extensive knowledge of the fishing industry after stints in government fisheries agencies in SA, WA & NT, including as Director of Fisheries in SA and the NT;
- been a former chair of South Australian Recreational Fishing Advisory Council;
- a passion for recreational fishing.

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