PHILIPPINE PROTECTED SHARKS

(as of August 2019)

Under the Philippine Fisheries Code, Republic Act (RA) 8550, as amended by RA 10654, states that all species listed in the Convention on the International Trade in Endangered Species of Wild Fauna and Flora (CITES) Appendices are protected.

- **whale shark**
  - *Rhincodon typus*
  - length: 20 meters

- **great white shark**
  - *Carcharodon carcharias*
  - length: 7.2 meters

- **silky shark**
  - *Carcharhinus falciformis*
  - length: 3.5 meters

- **oceanic whitetip shark**
  - *Carcharhinus longimanus*
  - length: 3.5 meters

- **common thresher shark**
  - *Alopias vulpinus*
  - length: 3.9 meters

- **big-eye thresher shark**
  - *Alopias superciliosus*
  - length: 4.8 meters

- **pelagic thresher shark**
  - *Alopias pelagicus*
  - length: 3.9 meters

- **scalloped hammerhead shark**
  - *Sphyrna lewini*
  - length: 4.2 meters

- **great hammerhead shark**
  - *Sphyrna mokarran*
  - length: 5 meters

- **smooth hammerhead shark**
  - *Sphyrna zygaena*
  - length: 5 meters

- **shortfin mako shark**
  - *Isurus oxyrinchus*
  - length: 4.46 meters

- **longfin mako shark**
  - *Isurus paucus*
  - length: 4.27 meters

Illustrations are not drawn to scale.

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