CALIFORNIA'S NORTH MARINE PROTECTED AREAS
EFFECTIVE DECEMBER 19, 2012
For more information, visit http://www.dfg.ca.gov/mlpa,
mobile http://www.dfg.ca.gov/m/MPA/

Designation
- SMR - State Marine Reserve
  - No take allowed
- SMCA - State Marine Conservation Area
  - Some commercial and/or recreational take allowed
- SMRMA - State Marine Recreational Management Area
  - No take except waterfowl allowed
- Special Closure
  - No disturbance area
  - Coordinates
  - California Maritime Limits

These regulations are only associated with the Marine Protected Areas and are in addition to any other state & federal regulations.

Specific federal regulations (e.g., Sportfishing regulations from NOAA) are exempt from SMCA as noted on http://www.dfg.ca.gov/mlpa/compex_list.asp

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