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| **Application to use Wildlife in Commercial Films** |  |

**About this Application**

This form is for the holder of a **Wildlife Demonstrator Licence**, a **Wildlife Displayer Licence** or a **Wildlife Taxidermist Licence**to apply for permission to use wildlife in commercial films.

This includes, but is not limited to, commercial films, theatrical productions, television productions and advertisements.

***Applications must be made 6-8 weeks in advance.***

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| 1. **Applicant’s Wildlife Licence Details** |
| Wildlife Licence No. |  | Licence Expiry Date |  | Licence Holder’s Name |
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| **2. Production Details**  |
| Name of Production Company |  | Production Title |
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| Producer’s Name |  | Producer’s Telephone No. |
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| Production Start Date |  | Production End Date |
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| **3. What wildlife do you propose to use ?** |
| For each species, state the number of specimens and whether alive or dead. |
| Species Name | Quantity | Alive or Dead |
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| **4. Description of proposed use of wildlife** |
| Please describe how you will use wildlife in film, plot or situation, any relevant theme and what the end-product is.  |
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| **5. Collection, Use and Disclosure of Personal Information** |
| ***Privacy and Data Protection Act 2014*** The Department of Energy, Environment and Climate Action (DEECA) is committed to protecting personal information provided by you in accordance with the principles of the Victorian privacy laws. The information you provide will be used to monitor compliance with licence conditions and to provide information about any changes to legislative requirements. Your contact details may also be used by DEECA or its contracted service providers under confidentiality agreements to survey you about your experience with DEECA or to seek feedback related the keeping of wildlife. A licence may not be issued if the information required is not provided.The information you provide will also be made available to any authorised law enforcement agency.You may access the information you have provided to DEECA by contacting the Privacy Coordinator on (03) 136 186. |

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| **6. Declaration by Producer** |
| “I understand that there are heavy penalties for making a false declaration and that any Authorisation issued as a result of a false declaration will be cancelled and may affect my eligibility to use wildlife for commercial films in future.I declare that wildlife will not be endangered, killed or abused by the proposed activities or convey that the abuse or misuse of wildlife is acceptable. The welfare of wildlife will be maintained at all times. The details provided by me on this form are true and correct and that I have obtained and read and will abide by the current ‘Code of practice for the welfare of film animals’.I also consent to the collection, use and disclosure of my Personal Information for the purposes described in Part 5.” |
| Signature of Producer |  | Date |
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| **7. Declaration by Wildlife Licence Holder** |
| “I understand that there are penalties for making a false declaration and that any Authorisation issued as a result of a false declaration will be cancelled and may affect my eligibility to use wildlife for commercial films in future.I declare that wildlife will not be endangered, killed or abused by the proposed activities or convey that the abuse or misuse of wildlife is acceptable. The welfare of wildlife will be maintained at all times. All details provided by me on this form are true and correct and that I have obtained and read and will abide by the ‘Code of practice for the welfare of film animals’.I also consent to the collection, use and disclosure of my personal information for the purposes described in Part 5.” |
| Signature of Wildlife Licence Holder |  | Date |
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Please send your completed application form to:

**Conservation Regulator**

**Department of Energy, Environment and Climate Action**

**475 Mickleham Rd**

**Attwood VIC 3049**

Or email to:

wildlifelicensing@deeca.vic.gov.au

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| **Guide to Using Wildlife in Commercial Films****Wildlife Act 1975** & Wildlife Regulations 2024 |  |

###### **Contacts**

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Department of Energy, Environment and Climate Action

475 Mickleham Rd, Attwood VIC 3049

DEECA Customer Service Centre 136 186

###### **GENERAL INFORMATION**

It is unlawful to use wildlife in commercial films without first obtaining written authorisation from the Secretary. A commercial film is defined under the Wildlife Regulations as including, but not limited to, commercial films, theatrical productions, television productions and advertisements.

Permission to film wildlife held under licence will only be granted if the Secretary can be reasonably satisfied that:

* wildlife will not be endangered, killed, stressed or abused either intentionally or inadvertently by proposed activities;
* wildlife that is sick, injured, diseased or stressed or not self-sufficient cannot be used for filming; and
* the proposed production does not portray or create an impression that the abuse or misuse of wildlife is acceptable or desirable.

Any licence holder seeking permission to use/provide wildlife in a production that proposes to intentionally kill, injure, stress or abuse wildlife for entertainment purposes or creates the impression that abuse or misuse of wildlife is desirable will be refused.

The use of wildlife that is deemed not be to be self-sufficient under the Wildlife Regulations 2013 (or subsequent versions) will not be approved for filming . This includes:

* mammals that are not fully weaned;
* if a flighted bird, is too young to fly or if a flightless bird, is less than 4 weeks old;
* any wildlife that is obviously diseased, sick or injured;
* an egg.

You should allow 6 to 8 weeks for your application to be approved.

An incomplete application or insufficient information may delay approval.

**Different laws apply in each Australian State and Territory** **with respect to wildlife.** Consequently, the wildlife laws of other States and Territories do not necessarily apply in Victoria. If in doubt, call the DEECA Customer Service Centre.

In Victoria wildlife is protected under the *Wildlife Act 1975* the Wildlife Regulations 2013 and *the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Act 1986* (or subsequent versions).

**Other legal obligations**

In addition to the conditions of the Secretary’s written approval, the use of wildlife in commercial films must comply with the *Wildlife Act 1975*, the Wildlife Regulations 2013 (or subsequent versions) and the relevant Code of Practice, as well as any relevant Federal or State legislation or by-laws or other requirements of the relevant local government where the production is to occur.

**Codes of Practice**

Licence holders and producers should obtain and be familiar with the Victorian Code of practice for the welfare of film animals. Copies can be obtained online from [www.agriculture.vic.gov.au](http://www.agriculture.vic.gov.au) or by contacting 136 186.

###### **WILDLIFE FOR USE IN COmmercial Films**

Only wildlife held under a Wildlife Demonstrator, Wildlife Displayer or Wildlife Taxidermist Licence can be used in commercial filming.

A licensed Wildlife Demonstrator may provide wildlife of any taxon listed in Schedules 2, 3 or 4, or specified by the Secretary in the Demonstrator’s Licence, for use in commercial films.

A licensed Wildlife Displayer may provide any wildlife for use in commercial films.

###### A licensed Wildlife Taxidermist may provide parts or complete specimens of dead wildlife that are of the taxa listed in Schedules 2, 3,4, and 7 for use in commercial films.

###### In all cases, a written authorisation is required prior to the commencement of filming or theatre productions.

**wildlife officers**

An Authorisation holder has certain rights and obligations.

**If requested, you must:**

* give the officer your full name and correct address when asked;
* allow an officer to inspect wildlife held by you;
* produce your licence or record book for inspection;
* allow the officer to search your vehicle, boat or property (or house if the officer has a warrant);
* surrender anything the Officer tells you is seized;
* comply with any retention notice issued for wildlife in your possession;
* not obstruct, threaten or abuse an Officer in the course of his or her duty.

**Your Rights**

* You may ask to see a Wildlife Officer’s identification;
* You do not have to answer any questions or do anything if you think that it might incriminate you. If you are to be interviewed about an offence you will be informed of your rights;
* You may request a receipt for anything seized from you.

**Schedule 2 - TAXA of WILDLIFE THAT MAY BE HELD with the appropriate wildlife licence FOR CERTAIN COMMERCIAL PURPOSES**

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| **BIRDS** |  |
| Australasian Shoveler | *Anas rhynchotis* |
| Australian King-Parrot | *Alisterus scapularis* |
| Australian Magpie | *Craticus tibicen* |
| Australian Ringneck | *Barnardius zonarius,*except *semitorquatus* |
| Australian Shelduck | *Tadorna tadornoides* |
| Banded Lapwing | *Vanellus tricolor* |
| Bar-shouldered Dove | *Geopelia humeralis* |
| Black Swan | *Cygnus atratus* |
| Black-breasted Button-quail | *Turnix melanogaster* |
| Black-tailed Native-hen | *Gallinula ventralis* |
| Black-throated Finch | *Poephila cincta* |
| Blue Bonnet all kinds,except southern Western Australian form | *Northiella haematogaster,*except *Northiella haematogaster narethae narethae* |
| Blue-winged Parrot | *Neophema chrysostoma* |
| Brown Cuckoo-Dove | *Macropygia amboinensis* |
| Brown Quail | *Coturnix ypsilophora* |
| Brush Bronzewing | *Phaps elegans* |
| Cape Barren Goose | *Cereopsis novaehollandiae* |
| Chestnut Teal | *Anas castanea* |
| Chestnut-backed Button-quail | *Turnix castanota* |
| Crimson Finch | *Neochmia phaeton* |
| Diamond Firetail | *Stagonopleura guttata* |
| Eclectus Parrot (red-sided) Australian subspecies only | *Eclectus roratus macgillivrayi*  |
| Flock Bronzewing | *Phaps histrionica* |
| Golden-shouldered Parrot | *Psephotus chrysopterygius* |
| Grey Teal | *Anas gracilis* |
| Hardhead | *Aythya australis* |
| Laughing Kookaburra | *Dacelo novaeguineae* |
| Little Button-quail | *Turnix velox* |
| Little Lorikeet | *Glossopsitta pusilla* |
| Magpie Goose | *Anseranas semipalmata* |
| Maned Duck | *Chenonetta jubata* |
| Masked Finch | *Poephila personata* |
| Masked Lapwing | *Vanellus miles* |
| Mulga Parrot | *Psephotus varius* |
| Pacific Black Duck | *Anas superciliosa* |
| Painted Button-quail | *Turnix varia* |
| Partridge Pigeon | *Geophaps smithii* |
| Pictorella Mannikin | *Heteromunia pectoralis* |
| Pied Imperial-Pigeon | *Ducula bicolor* |
| Pink-eared Duck | *Malacorhynchus membranaceus* |
| Plumed Whistling-Duck | *Dendrocygna eytoni* |
| Purple-crowned Lorikeet | *Glossopsitta porphyrocephala* |
| Radjah Shelduck | *Tadorna radjah* |
| Red Wattlebird | *Anthochaera carunculata* |
| Red-backed Button-quail | *Turnix maculosa* |
| Red-browed Finch | *Neochmia temporalis* |
| Red-capped Parrot  | *Purpureicephalus spurius* |
| Red-chested Button-quail | *Turnix pyrrhothorax* |
| Red-collared Lorikeet | *Trichoglossus haematodus rubritorquis* |
| Red-winged Parrot | *Aprosmictus erythropterus* |
| Regent Parrot - South East subspecies | *Polytelis anthopeplus monarchoides* |
| Regent Parrot - Western Australian subspecies | *Polytelis anthopeplus anthopeplus* |
| Rock Parrot | *Neophema petrophila* |
| Rose-crowned Fruit-Dove | *Ptilinopus regina* |
| Rosellas— all except Western Rosella & Eastern Rosella | *Platycercus* species, except*Platycercus* *icterotis &**Platycercus eximus* |
| Silvereye | *Zosterops lateralis* |
| Spinifex Pigeon | *Geophaps plumifera* |
| Squatter Pigeon | *Geophaps scripta* |
| Superb Parrot | *Polytelis swainsonii* |
| Topknot Pigeon | *Lopholaimus antarcticus* |
| Varied Lorikeet | *Psitteuteles versicolour* |
| Wandering Whistling-Duck | *Dendrocygna arcuata* |
| White-headed Pigeon | *Columba leucomela* |
| Wonga Pigeon | *Leucosarcia melanoleuca* |
| Yellow-rumped Mannikin | *Lonchura flaviprymna* |
| **REPTILES** |  |
| Australian Scrub Python | *Morelia kinghorni* |
| Beaded Gecko | *Lucasium damaeum* |
| Bearded Dragon | *Pogona barbata* |
| Black Rock Skink | *Egernia saxatilis* |
| Black-headed Monitor | *Varanus tristis* |
| Black-headed Python | *Aspidites melanocephalus* |
| Bougainville's Skink | *Lerista bougainvillii* |
| Boulenger's Skink | *Morethia boulengeri* |
| Broad-shelled River Turtle | *Chelodina expansa* |
| Burrowing Skink | *Lerista picturata* |
| Burton's Snake-Lizard | *Lialis burtonis* |
| Bynoe's Gecko | *Heteronotia binoei* |
| Carpet or Diamond Python* including:

Diamond PythonCentralian Carpet PythonTop End Carpet PythonEastern Carpet PythonJungle Carpet Python Murray/Darling Carpet Python Western Carpet Python | *Morelia spilota**M. s. spilota**M. s. bredli**M. s. variegata**M. s. mcdowelli**M. s. cheynei**M. s. metcalfei**M. s. imbricata* |
| Central Bearded Dragon | *Pogona vitticeps* |
| Central Military Dragon | *Ctenophorus isolepis* |
| Central Netted Dragon | *Ctenophorus nuchalis* |
| Centralian Blue-tongued Lizard | *Tiliqua multifasciata* |
| Centralian Ranges Rock-skink | *Liopholis margaretae* |
| Children's Python | *Antaresia childreni* |
| Common or Green Tree Snake | *Dendrelaphis punctulata* |
| Common Scaly-foot | *Pygopus lepidopodus* |
| Crested Dragon | *Ctenophorus cristatus* |
| Desert Cave Gecko | *Heteronotia spelea* |
| Eastern Hooded Scaly-foot | *Pygopus schraderi* |
| Eastern Stone Gecko | *Diplodactylus vittatus* |
| Eastern Three-lined Skink | *Acritoscincus duperreyi* |
| Eastern Water Dragon | *Physignathus lesueurii lesueurii* |
| Eastern Water Skink | *Eulamprus quoyii* |
| Eyrean Earless Dragon | *Tympanocryptis tetraporophora* |
| Garden Skink | *Lampropholis delicata* |
| Gidgee Skink | *Egernia stokesii* |
| Gilbert's Dragon | *Amphibolurus gilberti* |
| Gippsland Water Dragon | *Physignathus lesueurii howittii* |
| Grass Skink | *Lampropholis guichenoti* |
| Hosmer's Skink | *Egernia hosmeri* |
| Jacky Lizard | *Amphibolurus muricatus* |
| Keelback | *Tropidonophis mairii* |
| King's Skink | *Egernia kingii* |
| Krefft's River Turtle | *Emydura krefftii* |
| Lace Monitor | *Varanus varius* |
| Land Mullet | *Bellatorias major* |
| Long-nosed Water Dragon | *Amphibolurus longirostris* |
| Major Skink | *Bellatorias frerei* |
| Mallee Military Dragon | *Ctenophorus fordi* |
| Mangrove Monitor | *Varanus indicus* |
| Marbled Velvet Gecko | *Oedura marmorata* |
| Mary River Tortoise | *Elusor macrurus* |
| Merten's Water Monitor | *Varanus mertensi* |
| Narrow-banded Sand Swimmer | *Eremiascincus fasciolatus* |
| Northern Dtella | *Gehyra australis* |
| Northern Snapping Turtle | *Elseya dentate* |
| Northern Spiny-tailed Gecko | *Strophurus ciliaris* |
| Northern Tree Snake | *Dendrelaphis calligastra* |
| Oblong Turtle | *Chelodina oblonga* |
| Ocellated Skink | *Ctenotus pantherinus* |
| Olive Legless Lizard | *Delma inornata* |
| Olive Python | *Liasis olivaceus* |
| Painted Dragon | *Ctenophorus pictus* |
| Pale Knob-tailed Gecko | *Nephrurus laevissimus* |
| Peninsula Dragon | *Ctenophorus fionni* |
| Pink-tongued Lizard | *Cyclodomorphus gerrardii* |
| **Schedule 2 – TAXA of WILDLIFE THAT MAY BE HELD with the appropriate wildlife licence FOR CERTAIN COMMERCIAL PURPOSES** |
| Pygmy Mulga Monitor | *Varanus gilleni* |
| Red-barred Dragon | *Ctenophorus vadnappa* |
| Red-throated Skink | *Acritoscincus platynota* |
| Regal Striped Skink | *Ctenotus regius* |
| Ridge-tailed Monitor | *Varanus acanthurus* |
| Sand Monitor | *Varanus gouldii* |
| Saw-shelled Turtle | *Wollumbinia latisternum* |
| Shingle-Back Lizard | *Tiliqua rugosus* |
| Slatey-grey Snake | *Stegonotus cucullatus* |
| Smooth Knob-tailed Gecko | *Nephrurus levis* |
| Southern Angle-headed Dragon | *Hypsilurus spinipes* |
| Southern Grass Skink | *Pseudemoia entrecasteauxii* |
| Southern Legless Lizard | *Delma australis* |
| Southern Spiny-tailed Gecko | *Strophurus intermedius* |
| Southern Spotted Velvet Gecko | *Oedura tryoni* |
| Southern Water Skink | *Eulamprus tympanum tympanum s*ubspecies only |
| Spencer's Skink | *Pseudemoia spenceri* |
| Spotted Python | *Antaresia maculosus* |
| Stimson's Python | *Antaresia stimsoni* |
| Storr's Monitor | *Varanus storri* |
| Tawny Dragon | *Ctenophorus decresii* |
| Tessellated Gecko | *Diplodactylus tessellatus* |
| Thick-tailed Gecko | *Underwoodisaurus milii* |
| Tree Dtella | *Gehyra variegata* |
| Tree Skink | *Egernia striolata* |
| Water Python | *Liasis mackloti* |
| Western Blue-tongued Lizard | *Tiliqua occipitalis* |
| Western Hooded Scaly-foot | *Pygopus nigriceps* |
| Western Netted Dragon | *Ctenophorus reticulatus* |
| Western Stone Gecko | *Diplodactylus granariensis* |
| Woma Python | *Aspidites ramsayi* |
| **AMPHIBIANS** |  |
| Blue Mountains Tree Frog | *Litoria citropa* |
| Brown Striped Frog | *Limnodynastes peronii* |
| Common Spadefoot Toad | *Neobatrachus sudelli* |
| Dainty Green Tree Frog | *Litoria gracilenta* |
| Eastern Dwarf Tree Frog | *Litoria fallax* |
| Giant Barred Frog | *Mixophyes iteratus* |
| Giant Tree Frog | *Litoria infrafrenata* |
| Great Barred Frog | *Mixophyes fasciolatus* |
| Green Tree Frog | *Litoria caerulea* |
| Haswell's Frog | *Paracrinia haswelli* |
| Leaf Green Tree Frog | *Litoria phyllochroa* |
| Leaf Green Tree Frog | *Litoria nudidigita* |
| Leseur's Frog | *Litoria lesueuri* |
| Peron's Tree Frog | *Litoria peronii* |
| Southern Smooth Froglet | *Geocrinia laevis* |
| Water-holding Frog | *Cyclorana platycephala* |
| Whistling Tree Frog | *Litoria verreauxii* |
| **MAMMALS** |  |
| Black Wallaby | *Wallabia bicolor* |
| Common Brushtail Possum | *Trichosurus vulpecula* |
| Common Ringtail Possum | *Pseudocheirus peregrinus* |
| Common Wombat | *Vombatus ursinus* |
| Fat-tailed Dunnart | *Sminthopsis crassicaudata* |
| Kowari | *Dasyuroides byrnei* |
| Plains Rat | *Pseudomys australis* |
| Red-legged Pademelon | *Thylogale stigmatica* |
| Red-necked Pademelon | *Thylogale thetis* |
| Red-necked Wallaby | *Macropus rufogriseus* |
| Rufous Bettong | *Aepyprymnus rufescens* |
| Rufous-bellied Pademelon | *Thylogale billardierii* |
| Southern Bettong | *Bettongia gaimardi* |
| Sugar Glider | *Petaurus breviceps* |
| Tammar Wallaby | *Macropus eugenii* |

**Schedule 3 - Taxa of Wildlife that may be Held by holders of the Appropriate Wildlife Licence for certain commercial purposes**

**Part a**

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| **BIRDS** |  |
| Baudin's Black-Cockatoo | *Calyptorhynchus baudinii* |
| Blue Bonnet(southern Western Australian form *narethae*) | *Northiella haematogaster narethae*  |
| Carnaby's Black-Cockatoo | *Calyptorhynchus latirostris* |
| Gang-gang Cockatoo | *Callocephalon fimbriatum* |
| Glossy Black Cockatoo | *Calyptorhynchus lathami* |
| Major Mitchell Cockatoo (all taxa) | *Lophochroa leadbeateri* (all taxa) |
|  Red-tailed Black-Cockatoo(all taxa except South-eastern) | *Calyptorhynchus banksia,*(all taxa except *graptogyne*) |
| Swift Parrot | *Lathamus discolor* |
| Yellow-tailed Black-Cockatoo (all taxa) | *Calyptorhynchus funereus* (all taxa) |

**Part B**

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| **BIRDS** |  |
| Beautiful Firetail | *Stagonopleura bella* |
| Blue-billed Duck | *Oxyura australis* |
| Chestnut-quilled Rock Pigeon | *Petrophassa rufipennis* |
| Cotton Pygmy-Goose | *Nettapus coromandelianus* |
| Crimson Chat | *Epthianura tricolor* |
| Double-eyed Fig-Parrot | *Cyclopsitta diophthalma* |
| Freckled Duck | *Stictonetta naevosa* |
| Green Pygmy-Goose | *Nettapus pulchellus* |
| Inland Dotterel | *Charadrius australis* |
| Musk Duck | *Biziura lobata* |
| Red-eared Firetail | *Stagonopleura oculata* |
| Sacred Kingfisher | *Todiramphus sanctus* |
| Scarlet Honeyeater | *Myzomela sanguinolenta* |
| Splendid Fairy-wren | *Malurus splendens* |
| Spotted Pardalote | *Pardalotus punctatus* |
| Superb Fairy-wren | *Malurus cyaneus* |
| Superb Fruit-Dove | *Ptilinopus superbus* |
| Variegated Fairy-wren | *Malurus lamberti* |
| White-browed Woodswallow | *Artamus superciliosus* |
| White-fronted Chat | *Epthianura albifrons* |
| White-quilled Rock-Pigeon | *Petrophassa albipennis* |
| White-winged Fairy-wren | *Malurus leucopterus* |
| Wompoo Fruit-Dove | *Ptilinopus magnificus* |
| **REPTILES** |  |
| Arafura File Snake | *Acrochordus arafurae* |
| Beaked Gecko | *Rhynchoedura ornata* |
| Black Tiger Snake | *Notechis ater* |
| Boyd's Forest Dragon | *Hypsilurus boydii* |
| Brook's Striped Skink | *Ctenotus brooksi* |
| Brown Tree Snake | *Boiga irregularis* |
| Centralian Knob-tailed Gecko | *Nephrurus amyae* |
| Collett's Snake | *Pseudechis colletti* |
| Common Death Adder | *Acanthophis antarcticus* |
| Curl Snake | *Suta suta* |
| Desert Death Adder | *Acanthophis pyrrhus* |
| Downs Bearded Dragon | *Pogona henrylawsoni* |
| Dugite | *Pseudonaja affinis* |
| Eastern Brown Snake | *Pseudonaja textilis* |
| Eastern Small-eyed Snake | *Cryptophis nigrescens* |
| Fat-tailed Gecko | *Diplodactylus conspicillatus* |
| Fierce Snake | *Oxyuranus microlepidotus* |
| Freshwater Crocodile | *Crocodylus johnstoni* |
| Frilled Lizard | *Chlamydosaurus kingii* |
| Giant Cave Gecko | *Pseudothecadactylus lindneri* |
| Golden-tailed Gecko | *Strophurus taenicauda* |
| Green Python | *Morelia viridis* |
| Jewelled Gecko | *Strophurus elderi* |
| Little Whip Snake | *Parasuta flagellum* |
| Lowland Copperhead | *Austrelaps superbus* |
| Mitchell's Short-tailed Snake | *Parasuta nigriceps* |
| Mitchell's Water Monitor | *Varanus mitchelli* |
| Mulga Snake | *Pseudechis australis* |
| Northern Death Adder | *Acanthophis praelongus* |
| Northern Snake-necked Turtle | *Chelodina rugosa* |
| Painted Turtle (Jardine River Turtle) | *Emydura subglobosa subglobosa* |
| Pig-nosed Turtle | *Carettochelys insulpta* |
| Prickly Knob-tailed Gecko | *Nephrurus asper* |
| Pygmy Python | *Antaresia perthensis* |
| Red-bellied Black Snake | *Pseudechis porphyriacus* |
| Rough-scaled Python | *Morelia carinata* |
| Rough-throated Leaf- tail Gecko | *Saltuarius salebrosus* |
| Saltwater Crocodile | *Crocodylus porosus* |
| Schomburgk's Skink | *Ctenotus schomburgkii* |
| Short-tailed Pygmy Monitor | *Varanus brevicauda* |
| Southern Leaf-tailed Gecko | *Saltuarius swaini* |
| Speckled Brown Snake | *Pseudonaja guttata* |
| Spencer's Monitor | *Varanus spenceri* |
| Spotted Black Snake | *Pseudechis guttatus* |
| Spotted Tree Monitor | *Varanus scalaris* |
| Steindachner's Turtle | *Chelodina steindachneri* |
| Stephen's Banded Snake | *Hoplocephalus stephensii* |
| Stripe-tailed Monitor | *Varanus caudolineatus* |
| Taipan | *Oxyuranus scutellatus* |
| Tiger Snake (all taxa) | *Notechis scutatus* (all taxa) |
| Western Brown Snake (Gwardar),incl. Southern Central Australia varietyand Tropical Northern Australia variety | *Pseudonaja mengdeni,*incl. *Pseudonaja aspidorhyncha**& Pseudonaja nuchalis* |
| White-lipped Snake | *Drysdalia coronoides* |
| Yellow-faced Whip Snake | *Demansia psammophis* |
| **MAMMALS** |  |
| Agile Wallaby | *Macropus agilis* |
| Black-striped Wallaby | *Macropus dorsalis* |
| Brush-tailed Bettong | *Bettongia pencillata* |
| Common Wallaroo (Euro) | *Macropus robustus* |
| Eastern Grey Kangaroo | *Macropus giganteus* |
| Eastern Quoll | *Dasyurus viverrinus* |
| Feathertail Glider | *Acrobates pygmaeus* |
| Kangaroo Island Kangaroo | *Macropus fuliginosus fuliginosus* |
| Long-nosed Potoroo | *Potorous tridactylus* |
| Parma Wallaby | *Macropus parma* |
| Quokka | *Setonix brachyurus* |
| Red Kangaroo | *Macropus rufus* |
| Southern Brown Bandicoot | *Isoodon obesulus* |
| Spot-tailed Quoll | *Dasyurus maculatus* |
| Squirrel Glider | *Petaurus norfolcensis* |
| Western Grey Kangaroo | *Macropus fuliginosus* |
| **AMPHIBIANS** |  |
| Giant Burrowing Frog | *Heleioporus australiacus* |
| Green and Golden Bell Frog | *Litoria aurea* |
| Growling Grass Frog | *Litoria raniformis* |
| Magnificent Tree Frog | *Litoria splendida* |
| Northern Dwarf Tree Frog | *Litoria bicolor* |
| Orange-Thighed Frog | *Litoria xanthomera* |
| Red-eyed Tree Frog | *Litoria chloris* |
| Roth's Tree Frog | *Litoria rothii* |
| Southern Toadlet | *Pseudophryne semimarmorata* |

**Schedule 4 - TAXA of Wildlife that May be held for commercial purposes by the holder of an appropriate licence**

**Part a**

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| **Birds** |  |
| Bourke's Parrot | *Neopsephotus bourkii* |
| Budgerigar | *Melopsittacus undulatus* |
| Cockatiel | *Nymphicus hollandicus* |
| King Quail | *Excalfactoria chinensis* |
| Non-indigenous quail - all taxa, including Californian Quail and Japanese/European Quail | *Alectoris spp.*all taxa,including *Callipepla californica and Coturnix coturnix* |
| Partridge—all taxa | *Perdix spp.* |
| Pheasant—all taxa | *Phasianus spp.* |
| Zebra Finch | *Taeniopygia guttata* |
| **Mammals** |  |
| Chital | *Axis axis* |
| Fallow Deer | *Dama dama,* including *D.d mesopotamica* |
| Hog Deer | *Axis porcinus* |
| Red Deer | *Cervus elaphus* |
| Rusa Deer | *Cervus timorensis* |
| Sambar | *Cervus unicolor* |
| Wapiti Deer | *Cervus Canadensis* |

**Part B**

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| **Birds** |  |
| Alexandra's (Princess) Parrot | *Polytelis alexandrae* |
| Australian Ringneck | *Barnardius zonarius semitorquatus* |
| Blue-faced Finch | *Erythrura trichroa* |
| Chestnut-breasted Mannikin | *Lonchura castaneothorax* |
| Common Bronzewing | *Phaps chalcoptera* |
| Crested Pigeon | *Ocyphaps lophotes* |
| Diamond Dove | *Geopelia cuneata* |
| Double-barred Finch | *Taeniopygia bichenovii* |
| Eastern Rosella | *Platycercus eximius* |
| Eclectus Parrot | *Eclectus roratus polychloros* |
| Elegant Parrot | *Neophema elegans* |
| Emerald Dove | *Chalcophaps indica* |
| Galah | *Eolophus roseicapilla* |
| Gouldian Finch | *Erythrura gouldiae* |
| Hooded Parrot | *Psephotus dissimilis* |
| Little Corella | *Cacatua sanguinea* |
| Long-billed Corella | *Cacatua tenuirostris* |
| Long-tailed Finch | *Poephila acuticauda* |
| Musk Lorikeet | *Glossopsitta concinna* |
| Painted Firetail | *Emblema pictum* |
| Peaceful Dove | *Geopelia striata* |
| Plum-headed Finch | *Neochmia modesta* |
| Rainbow Lorikeet—excl. subspecies | *Trichoglossus haematodus*  |
| Red-rumped Parrot | *Psephotus haematonotus* |
| Scaly-breasted Lorikeet | *Trichoglossus chlorolepidotus* |
| Scarlet-chested Parrot | *Neophema splendida* |
| Star Finch | *Neochmia ruficauda* |
| Stubble Quail | *Coturnix pectoralis* |
| Sulphur-crested Cockatoo | *Cacatua galerita* |
| Turquoise Parrot | *Neophema pulchella* |
| Western Rosella | *Platycercus icterotis* |
| **Amphibians** |  |
| Common Eastern Froglet | *Crinia signifera* |
| Eastern Banjo Frog | *Limnodynastes dumerilii* |
| Plains Froglet | *Crinia parinsignifera* |
| Southern Brown Tree Frog | *Litoria ewingii* |
| Spotted Grass Frog | *Limnodynastes tasmaniensis* |
| **Reptiles** |  |
| Blotched Blue-tongued Lizard | *Tiliqua nigrolutea* |
| Common Long-necked Tortoise | *Chelodina longicollis* |
| Cunningham's Skink | *Egernia cunninghami* |
| Eastern Blue-tongued Lizard | *Tiliqua scincoides* |
| Marbled Gecko | *Christinus marmoratus* |
| Murray Turtle | *Emydura macquarii* |
| White's Skink | *Liopholis whitii* |
| **Mammals** |  |
| Mitchell's Hopping Mouse | *Notomys mitchelli* |
| Spinifex Hopping Mouse | *Notomys alexis* |

**Schedule 5 - TAXA of Wildlife that are exempt from requirement to hold a licence in certain circumstances**

**Part a**

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| **Birds** |  |
| Pheasant—all taxa | *Phasianus spp* |
| Partridge—all taxa | *Perdix spp. Alectoris spp.* |
| European/Japanese Quail | *Coturnix coturnix* |
| Californian Quail | *Callipepla californica* |

**Part B**

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| **Mammals** |  |
| Common Brushtail Possum | *Trichosurus vulpecula* |
| Western Grey Kangaroo | *Macropus fuliginosus melanops* |
| Eastern Grey Kangaroo | *Macropus giganteus* |
| Whiptail Wallaby | *Macropus parryi* |
| Common Wallaroo (Euro) | *Macropus robustus* |
| Red-necked Wallaby | *Macropus rufogriseus* |
| Red Kangaroo | *Macropus rufus* |
| Rufous-bellied Pademelon | *Thyllogale billardierii* |
| **Reptiles** |  |
| Freshwater Crocodile | *Crocodylus johnstoni* |
| Saltwater Crocodile | *Crocodylus porosus* |
| **Birds** |  |
| Emu | *Dromaius novaehollandiae* |

Part C

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| **Mammals** |  |
| Fallow Deer | *Dama dama* (including *D.d mesopotamica*) |
| Chital | *Axis axis* |
| Hog Deer | *Axis porcinus* |
| Rusa Deer | *Cervus timorensis* |
| Sambar | *Cervus unicolor* |
| Red Deer | *Cervus elaphus* |
| Wapiti Deer | *Cervus canadensis* |

**Schedule 6 - Taxa of wildlife that may be controlled by the holder of an appropriate wildlife controller’s licence**

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| **Birds** |  |
| Sulphur-crested Cockatoo | *Cacatua galerita* |
| Long-billed Corella | *Cacatua tenuirostris* |
| Galah | *Eolophus roseicapilla* |
| Crimson Rosella | *Platycercus elegans* |
| Eastern Rosella | *Platycercus eximius* |
| Australian Raven | *Corvus coronoides* |
| Pied Currawong | *Strepera graculina* |
| Emu | *Dromaius novaehollandiae* |
| Australian Shelduck | *Tadorna tadornoides* |
| Maned Duck | *Chenonetta jubata* |
| Silver Gull | *Larus novaehollandiae* |
| **Mammals** |  |
| Eastern Grey Kangaroo | *Macropus giganteus* |
| Western Grey Kangaroo | *Macropus fuliginosus melanops* |
| Black Wallaby | *Wallabia bicolor* |
| Common Brushtail Possum | *Trichosurus vulpecula* |
| Common Wombat | *Vombatus ursinus* |
| Fallow Deer | *Dama dama &Dd mesopotamica* |
| Chital | *Axis axis* |
| Hog Deer | *Axis porcinus* |
| Rusa Deer | *Cervus timorensis* |
| Sambar | *Cervus unicolour* |
| Red Deer | *Cervus elaphus* |
| Wapiti Deer | *Cervus Canadensis* |
| **Reptiles** |  |
| All reptiles |  |

**Schedule 7 - taxa of wildlife that may be held by the holder of a wildlife farmer licence**

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| **Birds** |  |
| Emu | *Dromaius novaehollandiae* |

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