



Australian Government

Department of the Environment and Energy

ABN: 34 190 894 983

Application for Approval of a Wildlife Trade Management Plan

Introduction

In Australia, Part 13A of the *Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999* (EPBC Act) regulates the:

- import and export of specimens protected under the *Convention on International Trade in Endangered Species of Wild Fauna and Flora* (CITES);
- exports of Australian native specimens; and
- imports of live specimens.

Permits to export Australian native plant specimens and/or CITES listed specimens overseas for commercial purposes can be obtained from Department of the Environment and Energy (the Department). The specimens being exported must come from an approved program such as an approved **Wildlife Trade Management Plan**.

Further information on wildlife trade, the EPBC Act and CITES is available at:
<http://www.environment.gov.au/biodiversity/wildlife-trade>

Important Notes

- Sign the form as unsigned applications will not be accepted.
- There are severe penalties for knowingly making false or misleading statements in this application.

The Department has prepared '**Model Management Plans**' to provide assistance to applicants in the development of a Wildlife Trade Management Plan (WTMP). The guidelines can be obtained from the Department.

Lodging the application

This application and supporting documents may be faxed or mailed to the following address:

Postal address: The Director
Wildlife Trade Assessments
Department of the Environment and Energy
GPO Box 787
CANBERRA ACT 2601
Phone: (02) 6274 1900 **Fax:** (02) 6274 1921
E-mail: wta@environment.gov.au

Applicant Details

1. Name

Mr, Ms, Mrs, etc First (given) name

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Family name (Surname)

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Position within organisation (if applicable)

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2. Organisation/trading name (if appropriate)

Registered name and ABN

3. Street address

Address

Town/suburb

State

Postcode

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4. Postal address

If same as street address, tick here

Address

Town/suburb

State

Postcode

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5. Contact details (include area code)

Telephone number – work

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Telephone number - home / mobile

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Fax number

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Email

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Program Details

6. Program name/title

7. Is this a renewal of, or an amendment to, an existing approved WTMP?

No ► **Go to next question**

Yes ► Please contact the Department to determine what information will be required.

8. Complete the attached **List of Species**.

9. The approval of a **WTMP** is dependent on the management plan meeting the requirements of the Act. Applicants will need to attach evidence that they can satisfy these requirements.

Generally, WTMP cover a number of individual harvesters and are submitted by the relevant state or territory government agency. The Department has developed **model wildlife trade management plans** to assist in developing plans. Contact the Department for advice on preparing a plan and to obtain a copy of the model plan.

Attach copy of wildlife trade management plan

10. Declaration by Applicant

I declare that:

- the particulars provided by me in this application (including attachments) are true and correct in every detail.

Name of applicant or authorised person (if applicant is an organisation)

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Signature of applicant or authorised person

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Date signed by applicant

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