

# Permit

Section 161 of Nature Conservation (Animals) Regulation 2020

## Damage Mitigation Permit

This wildlife authority is issued under the following legislation: Nature Conservation (Animals) Regulation 2020.

**Permit number:** WA0058295

**Valid from:** 11 February 2024 to 10 February 2027

**Activity:** Removal and relocation of protected animals

Role	Name	Registered address	
<b>Principal Holder:</b>	Rebecca Kate James	40A Nyes Cres BUDERIM QLD 4556 Australia	
<b>Person In Charge:</b>	Rebecca Kate James		
<b>Business name:</b>		<b>ABN/ACN</b>	N/A
<b>Activity location/licensed premises</b>	State of Queensland		

### Schedule

Family or Species or Schedule	Details	Category	Quantity	Unit
Schedule	Animals as per the Nature Conservation (Animals) Regulation 2020 Schedule 1	Live	As per condition	

Department of Environment and Science  
Delegate of the administering authority  
Nature Conservation Act 1992

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**Date issued: 11 February 2024**



## Legislative Requirements and Conditions

### Nature Conservation

- DMLR01** A return of operations is required to be sent to the department either on the approved form or entered directly into the department's Online Services, if this is not submitted a penalty may be given.  
The required details must be provided within 10 business days after each 3 month period after the permit has been granted and upon expiry.  
You must keep a copy for your records, see <https://www.qld.gov.au/environment/plants-animals/wildlife-permits/requirements>  
When completed, the forms may be emailed to [wildlife.operations@des.qld.gov.au](mailto:wildlife.operations@des.qld.gov.au) or posted to Permits and Licensing, PO Box 2454 Brisbane Qld 4001
- DMLR02** If this authority involves the removal and relocation of a reptile or a microbat the holder must be suitably qualified in their handling and identification. Proof of competency including documentation of suitability must be provided if requested by a department officer.
- DMLR03** Activities carried out under this authority apply to non-protected areas only.
- DMLR07** The removal and relocation of koalas, crocodiles, cassowaries, macropods or megabats (flying-foxes) is not authorised under this permit.
- DMLR08** The permit holder must be suitably qualified in their handling and identification of any species removed under this authority.  
Proof of competency including documentation of suitability regarding the knowledge and experience that demonstrates the skills and ability to carry out the activity must be provided if requested by a department officer.

## Condition

### Nature Conservation

- DMS00 (S)** This permit authorises the holder to take and hold not more than 30 animals in total at any given time
- DMS01 (S)** Any animal suffering from an injury or sickness that prevents its same day release and where the DMP permit holder holds another licence that enables the keeping of the same species, the holder must deliver the animals to a veterinarian or another licensed wildlife carer within 72 hours of capture for assessment and rehabilitation.
- DMS02 (S)** The permit holder must notify the department within 24hrs of taking possession of an animal that cannot be identified by the permit holder.
- DMS03 (S)** If this permit is for reptiles:  
1. Taking of reptiles must be carried out in a humane manner and in such a way as to inflict no injury to the reptile.  
2. Reptiles must be released the same day as capture in suitable habitat, as close as possible to the place of capture, having appropriate regard for public safety  
3. This permit does not authorise the indiscriminate taking of reptiles but only those reptiles requested to be moved by the occupier of the premises.
- DMS04 (S)** If this permit is for Australian magpies, butcher birds and other swooping birds:  
1. If using a wild decoy or caller magpie it must be released to the wild no longer than 5 days after coming into captivity.  
2. Traps/nets are not to be left unsupervised. Trapped birds must be removed from the trap/net immediately.

3. Trapped birds are to be transported by enclosed pet pack and if requiring transport in an open utility tray must be protected from the sun and wind.

4. Birds must be released in suitable habitat, at least 50km linear distance from the place of capture, and at least 10km from settled areas. Suitable habitat is open forest, preferably in a semi-rural area. Closed forest adjacent to open forest can be used for release.

5. Birds should not be released in sight of other birds of the same species.

6. Any injuries or death must be reported to the department within 24 hours. Orphaned or injured birds must be presented to a licensed wildlife care organisation for assessment and rehabilitation if necessary.

- DMS05 (S) If this permit is for possums:
1. The taking of possums must be by live trapping in a humane manner.
  2. The entry and exit points must be identified prior to trapping and must be secured to prevent re-entry.
  3. The possum must be released no more than 25 metres from the point of capture and at first available time after the next nightfall.
- DMS06 (S) If this permit is for brush turkeys:
1. The taking of brush-turkeys shall be by live trapping in a humane manner.
  2. Brush-turkeys shall be released into suitable habitat within three hours after capture and only if it is daylight.
- DMS08 (S) This permit authorises the holder to only remove and relocate animal(s) that are causing a threat to a person(s) health or wellbeing at or around the person's residence or related property.