

Application to keep a declared pest animal for zoo, film or television production

Land Protection (Pest and Stock Route Management) Act 2002 (Section 61 and 62) and *Land Protection (Pest and Stock Route Management) Regulation 2003* (Section 8G and Schedule 3 part 4)

☐ Please tick this box for permit renewal only

☐ Please tick this box for amendment to permit only

Please list the name of the applicable company/institution/group

The species that may be kept for zoo, film and television production are listed in Schedule 3, part 4 of the Land Protection Pest and Stock Route Management Regulation 2003. Visit www.biosecurity.qld.gov.au for more information.

IMPORTANT:

It is necessary to contact the Department of Environment and Resource Management and your local council to check if additional approval to keep prohibited fauna is required. Separate approval must be obtained from the Australian Quarantine and Inspection Service and Department of Environment and Heritage (both Australian Government) if animals are imported from overseas.

The application fee for the purposes listed in Schedule 3 part 4 Zoo, film or television production is \$250 and, upon approval, the permit fee is \$187.45. For help to complete this form*, contact Biosecurity Queensland, Department of Employment, Economic Development and Innovation on (07) 3239 3608 or fax (07) 3239 3510.

*Please review permit application check list on page 4 . It is advisable to contact Biosecurity Queensland before completing this application.

Please complete the following details in BLOCK letters. Attach extra sheets if needed.

Applicant details

Name	<input type="text"/>		
Name of organisation	<input type="text"/>		
Street address (physical location of business)	<input type="text"/>		
Locality/surburb	<input type="text"/>	State	<input type="text"/>
		Postcode	<input type="text"/>
Postal address (if different from above)	<input type="text"/>		
Lot and plan number of premise (displayed on Rates Notice)	<input type="text"/>		
Telephone no.	<input type="text"/>	Fax no.	<input type="text"/>
		Mobile	<input type="text"/>
Email address	<input type="text"/>		

Permit details

Indicate which species of declared pest animals and how many you wish to keep.

Please indicate how long you wish to hold this permit (maximum is two years).

If you are requesting a zoo permit, please indicate how you meet the criteria for a zoo.

Which permit do you wish to apply for?

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Zoo

☐

Film or

☐

Television

If you are requesting a film or television permit please complete questions 1, 2, 7 and 8 only.

1. Describe the secure cages or other enclosures in which the animals are to be kept (attach diagrams or plans) or attach the Application for Approved Collection Status (ACS).

2. Describe the level of experience in professionally caring for animals including that of staff employed at the facility (please attach).

3. Describe qualifications or the prescribed standard of competency in zoo-keeping including that of staff employed at the facility (please name qualification).

4. Does your centre display animals for viewing by the public on payment of a fee? If not, why?

5. How often is your facility open to the public?

6. Is a facility completely enclosed by a perimeter fence? Please describe.

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7. Do you have an animal escape plan? (please attach)

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8. Do you have public liability insurance? (please attach proof)

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Give details of where you intend to obtain your animals

Source details

Business name

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Telephone no.

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Fax no.

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These are the terms and conditions by which you must agree to abide. Please read them carefully. If you have any questions about them, contact Biosecurity Queensland on the telephone number listed on this form.

Terms and conditions of permit to keep a declared pest animal for zoo, film or television production

1. Maintain the size, type and quality of premises and enclosures in which the declared pest animals are kept as previously approved by the Chief Executive or his or her delegate prior to the issue of this permit.
2. Ensure enclosures are of a sufficient standard to prevent escape, theft or release of the declared pest animals and to prevent injury to people, property or other animals.
3. Ensure declared pest animals and their enclosures are available for inspection at all reasonable times by an authorised person.
4. Produce or make available for inspection this Declared Pest Permit at a reasonable time and place nominated by an authorised person.
5. To the extent that no conflict arises with the *Land Protection (Pest and Stock Route Management) Act 2002*, ensure the declared pest animals are kept and cared for in a manner that satisfies the *Animal Care and Protection Act 2001* and any state and national codes of practice for the keeping, transport and care of the declared pest animal.
6. Ensure the number of animals held does not exceed the number approved in this Declared Pest Permit. The permit holder must not breed the declared pest animals without first obtaining written permission from the Chief Executive or his or her delegate.
7. Subject to permission given in this permit:
 - a) not introduce, feed, keep, release or supply declared pest animals within the State of Queensland;
 - b) ensure any declared pest animals are not sold, supplied to, loaned, hired, exchanged with or otherwise transferred to a person who is not the holder of a current permit;
 - c) keep the declared pest animals on-site in the approved premises and enclosure/s at all times unless:
 - (i) specifically exempted;
 - (ii) moved for veterinary care or on a short-term temporary basis as may be required by the *Animal Care and Protection Act 2001* and any state and national codes of practice for the keeping, transport and care of the declared pest animal;
 - d) ensure the declared pest animals are securely contained and supervised by a responsible person if moved or transported pursuant to condition 7(c)(ii);
 - e) notify the Chief Executive or his or her delegate as soon as practicable:
 - (i) before a sale, supply, loan, hire, exchange or other transfer of any of the declared pest animals;
 - (ii) after theft, escape, release or death of any of the declared pest animals, as the case may be; or
 - (iii) after any increase in the number of declared pest animals as a result of breeding.
8. Maintain an escape, theft or release management/contingency plan as previously approved by the Chief Executive or his or her delegate prior to the issue of the permit. In the event of an escape, theft or release of a declared pest animal, the holder of this Declared Pest Permit will activate the plan as soon as possible after the escape, theft or release comes to his or her attention.
9. Identify declared pest animals by a tag or other device (e.g. micro-chip).
10. a) Keep a register of the declared pest animals which records:
 - (i) the species, number and sex;
 - (ii) any sale, supply, loan, hire, transfer, exchange, theft, escape, release or deaths;
 - (iii) identification numbers on tags or other identification devices; and
 - (iv) any distinguishing marks or features.b) Send a copy of the register to the Chief Executive or his or her delegate within 60 days of receipt of this Declared Pest Permit.
11. Obtain and maintain public liability insurance to cover human injury, death or property damage caused by the escape or release of a declared pest animal with a minimum cover of \$10 million or another amount approved by the Chief Executive or his or her delegate.

Declaration

I declare that I have read and agree to comply with all the terms and conditions of this permit when issued.

The Department of Employment, Economic Development and Innovation is bound by Information Standard 42 – Information Privacy in the way it handles your personal information. Under the *Land Protection (Pest & Stock Route Management) Act 2002* and the *Land Protection (Pest and Stock Route Management) Regulation 2003*, the Department must collect the personal information you provide on this form in order to process your permit application. Your information will be used to assess your application, administer your permit should one be issued and may also be used to provide you with information relevant to any permit you may be issued. This information may be disclosed to other Government agencies and it will be disclosed to an external committee for assessment purposes. It will not otherwise be used or disclosed without your consent unless required to authorised by or under law. For more information about the Department of Employment, Economic Development and Innovation's commitment to respecting your personal information, visit www.deedi.qld.gov.au

Signature

Position/title

Name

Date

Please note:

There are penalties for deliberately making a false or misleading statement. An inspection by an authorised officer is required prior to approval being given by the chief executive's delegate.

Lodgment details

Please place the completed application and relevant application fee in a sealed envelope (to prevent unnecessary exposure of information) and send to:

Animal Biosecurity and Welfare
Biosecurity Queensland
Department of Employment, Economic Development and Innovation
GPO Box 46
Brisbane Qld 4001

For further information, please contact Biosecurity Queensland on 13 25 23.

Checklist

Please remember to include:

- ☐ Signed application form
- ☐ Details of cage construction or Approved Collection Status document
- ☐ Escape plan
- ☐ Proof of public liability insurance
- ☐ Application fee.

As above, with the addition of the following information for film and TV only.

- ☐ Detail of work required
- ☐ Security requirements.