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PROCLAMATION
by the MEC for Economic Development, Environmental Affairs and Tourism

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1. I, Lubabalo Oscar Mabuyane, Member of the Executive Council for Economic Development, Environmental Affairs and Tourism (DEDEAT), acting in terms of Sections 78 and 79 of the Nature and Environmental Conservation Ordinance, 1974 (Ordinance No. 19 of 1974), and Section 18 of the Problem Animal Control Ordinance, 1957 (Ordinance 26 of 1957) hereby determine for the year 2019 the hunting season and the daily bag limits, as set out in the second and third columns, respectively, of Schedule 1, hereto in the Magisterial Districts of the Province of the Eastern Cape of the former Province of the Cape of Good Hope and in respect of wild animals mentioned in the first column of the said Schedule 1, and I hereby suspend and set conditions pertaining to the enforcement of Sections 29 and 33 of the said Ordinance to the extent specified in the fourth column of the said Schedule 1, in the district and in respect of the species of wild animals and for the periods of the year 2019 indicated opposite any such suspension and/or condition, of the said Schedule 1.
2. In terms of Section 29 (e), *[during the period between one hour after sunset on any day and one hour before sunrise on the following day]*, subject to the provisions of this ordinance, I prohibit hunting at night under the following proviso, that anyone intending to hunt at night for management purposes by culling any of the **Alien and Invasive listed species, specified species, Rodents, Porcupine, Springhare** or hunting **Black-backed jackal, Bushpig and Caracal**, in accordance with the Ordinance, must apply to DEDEAT for a provincial permit and must further notify the relevant DEDEAT office, during office hours, **prior** to such intended hunt.
3. In terms of Section 29 (i), *[by means of a bow-and-arrow]*, subject to the provisions of this ordinance, I prohibit any natural person from hunting with a bow and arrow under the following proviso, that anyone intending to hunt with a bow and arrow must be in possession of a bow hunting certificate of competency, obtained from a recognized training institution, and must apply to DEDEAT for a provincial permit. Any other hunter, who is escorted by a professional hunter, may hunt without proof of a bow hunting certificate of competency.
4. In terms of Section 33 (1), no person shall without a provincial permit, use any motor vehicle or aircraft (includes a drone) to hunt any wild animal or to hunt, disturb, drive or stampede any wild animal or animals for the purpose of filming or photographing such hunt, disturbance, drive or stampede or for any other purpose whatsoever.
5. In terms of Section 79 (f), subject to the provisions of this Ordinance, I restrict the live transport of any wild animal/s, excluding birds and reptiles, to the period 01 March to 31 October 2019.
6. In terms of Section 82 (1) (b), subject to the provisions of this proclamation, I suspend by proclamation under Section 79 (b), the operation of Section 29 (l) *[by the use of a dog]* only for properties larger than 300ha. For properties smaller than 300ha a permit must be obtained from the nearest DEDEAT office.
7. Hunting for the purposes of this proclamation does not include the live capture of the following species: **Bushbuck, Common Duiker, Eland, Grey Rhebuck, Kudu, Mountain Reedbuck and Steenbok**. The hunting or capture of any other species listed in the proclamation in excess of the daily bag limit requires a provincial permit.
8. Should any person, for any reason whatsoever, hunt any wild animal/s in contravention to the provisions of this proclamation, such person must notify the nearest DEDEAT office, in the form of a sworn affidavit, within 24 hours of such contravention having taken place.
9. Species NOT listed in this proclamation, may only be hunted by means of a provincial permit or, if it is a **Threatened or Protected Species (ToPS)**, by means of a ToPS ordinary hunting permit.
10. Please note further that a permit is NOT required to hunt, during the day, any of the species listed in the **Alien and Invasive Species Regulations (AIS)**, promulgated in terms of Section 97(1) of the National Environmental Management: Biodiversity Act, 2004 (Act No. 10 of 2004). An AIS permit is, however, required by the landowner, to possess them, before any hunting of those particular species may take place.
11. This Proclamation remains effective until a new Proclamation has been gazetted. In the absence of a new Proclamation, the year shall be deemed to be the present year.

Lubabalo Oscar Mabuyane
MEC for Economic Development, Environmental Affairs and Tourism
Date: **xxxx**

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SCHEDULE 1

SPECIES AND MAGISTERIAL DISTRICT	HUNTING SEASON	DAILY BAG LIMIT (PER PERSON PER DAY)	CONDITIONS AND SUSPENSION OF LISTED SECTIONS
<p>THE HUNTING OF KUDU IS PROHIBITED ON LANDS SUCH AS, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, LUCERNE, MAIZE, OATS AND WHEAT.</p> <p>THE USE OF BAIT, SUCH AS FRUIT, VEGETABLES, AND SO ON, TO CREATE FEEDING SITES FOR KUDU IS PROHIBITED.</p> <p>SHOULD ANY PROPERTY FALL WITHIN THE JURISDICTION OF MORE THAN ONE PROVINCE, THE RELEVANT HUNTING SEASON, AS DETERMINED BY THAT PROVINCE FOR THAT SPECIFIC PORTION, WILL BE APPLICABLE.</p>			
Kudu (<i>Tragelaphus strepsiceros</i>)			
Aliwal North Burgersdorp Cathcart Hankey Jansenville Molteno Uitenhage Venterstad	01 June - 31 July	1	CONDITION - may only hunt kudu bulls in <u>June</u> ; may hunt kudu bulls & kudu cows in <u>July</u>
Stutterheim	01 June - 31 July	See conditions	CONDITION - 1 per owner per week (see definition of owner); may only hunt kudu bulls Requests to hunt kudu bulls must be submitted, <u>in writing</u> , to the Chairperson of the Bolo Farmers Association. The result of the kudu hunt must also be reported, <u>in writing</u> , to the said Chairperson.
Dordrecht	01 July - 31 July	1	CONDITION - may only hunt kudu bulls
Steytlerville	01 June - 31 July	See conditions	CONDITION - 1 per 250ha per season (1000ha = 4 per season) ; may only hunt kudu bulls in <u>June</u> ; may hunt kudu bulls & kudu cows in <u>July</u>
Aberdeen Adelaide Alexandria Bedford Cradock Fort Beaufort Graaff-Reinet Grahamstown Hofmeyr Joubertina Kirkwood Paterson Pearston Port Elizabeth Queenstown Somerset East Steynsburg Tarkastad Willowmore	01 June - 31 August	1	CONDITION - may only hunt kudu bulls in <u>June</u> ; may hunt kudu bulls & kudu cows in <u>July & August</u>
Middelburg	1 May - 31 August	1	CONDITION - may only hunt kudu bulls in <u>May & June</u> ; may hunt kudu bulls & kudu cows in <u>July & August</u>
Berlin Kei Road King Williams Town	01 June - 31 July	See conditions	CONDITION - 2 kudu bulls for farms larger than 1000ha per season ; 1 kudu bull for farms smaller than 1000ha per season ; NO kudu cows may be hunted Requests to hunt kudu must be submitted, <u>in writing</u> , to the Chairperson of the Kei Road Agricultural Association, for consideration. The result of the kudu hunt must also be reported, <u>in writing</u> , to the said Chairperson.

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Any comments or suggestions on the content of the Hunting Proclamation, must be made in writing to organized agriculture via Agri Eastern Cape Natasja.Barkhuizen@agriec.co.za before, or no later than, **30 September** of the preceding year, to be taken into consideration for the following years hunting proclamation. The consolidated document will be forwarded to DEDEAT to peruse and discuss the information and to compile the proclamation after taking all biodiversity principles into account.

SPECIES AND MAGISTERIAL DISTRICT	HUNTING SEASON	DAILY BAG LIMIT (PER PERSON PER DAY)	CONDITIONS AND SUSPENSION OF LISTED SECTIONS
THE HUNTING OF KUDU IS PROHIBITED ON LANDS SUCH AS, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, LUCERNE, MAIZE, OATS AND WHEAT.			
THE USE OF BAIT, SUCH AS FRUIT, VEGETABLES, AND SO ON, TO CREATE FEEDING SITES FOR KUDU IS PROHIBITED.			
SHOULD ANY PROPERTY FALL WITHIN THE JURISDICTION OF MORE THAN ONE PROVINCE, THE RELEVANT HUNTING SEASON, AS DETERMINED BY THAT PROVINCE FOR THAT SPECIFIC PORTION, WILL BE APPLICABLE.			
Kudu (<i>Tragelaphus strepsiceros</i>)			
Sterkstroom	01 July - 31 July	See conditions	CONDITION - 1 per <u>owner</u> per week (see definition of owner); may hunt bulls & cows Requests to hunt kudu must be submitted, <u>in writing</u> , to the Chairperson of the Sterkstroom Agricultural Association. After each kudu hunt a written report, indicating the number & sex hunted must be reported to the said Chairperson.
Khomgha	01 June - 31 July	See conditions	CONDITION - 1 kudu bull or cow <u>per year</u> per farm size larger than 1000ha; 1 kudu bull or cow every <u>second year per</u> farm size smaller than 1000ha; no hunting of kudu on farms smaller than 300ha Requests to hunt kudu must be submitted, <u>in writing</u> , to the Chairperson of the Komga Farmers Association. The result of the kudu hunt must also be reported, in writing, to the said Chairperson.
East London	CLOSED	NIL	NIL
Macleantown	01 June - 31 July	1	Requests to hunt kudu must be submitted, in writing, to the Chairperson of the Macleantown Farmers Association. The result of the kudu hunt must also be reported, in writing, immediately after the hunt to the said Chairperson, indicating the number & sex hunted.

The Chairpersons of the Bolo Farmers Association, Kei Road Agricultural Association, Sterkstroom Agricultural Association, Komga Farmers Association and the Macleantown Farmers Association must provide AgriEC with a copy of their reports by 30 September.

SPECIES AND MAGISTERIAL DISTRICT	HUNTING SEASON	DAILY BAG LIMIT (PER PERSON PER DAY)	CONDITIONS AND SUSPENSION OF LISTED SECTIONS
Applicable to ALL DISTRICTS in the Eastern Cape portion of the former Cape of Good Hope.			
Bushbuck (<i>Tragelaphus scriptus</i>) All Districts. Restricted to the hunting of <u>rams only</u> in Humansdorp	01 June - 31 July	1	SUSPENSION - Section 29 (l) [<i>dogs - are not to be used to attack or kill</i>] only for properties larger than 300ha. CONDITION - for properties smaller than 300ha a permit must be obtained from the nearest DEDEAT office.
Common duiker (<i>Sylvicapra grimmia</i>) All Districts, except Hankey, which is closed. Restricted to <u>rams only</u> in Humansdorp Grey rhebuck (<i>Pelea capreolus</i>) Steenbok (<i>Raphicerus campestris</i>) All Districts: except Humansdorp, which is closed	01 June - 31 July	1	NIL
Common eland (<i>Tragelaphus oryx</i>) All Districts	As per permit	As per permit	CONDITION - a permit is required to hunt Eland Applications to hunt Eland must be supported, in writing, by the Chairperson of the relevant farmers association/union.

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Applicable to ALL DISTRICTS in the Eastern Cape portion of the former Cape of Good Hope.			
Mountain reedbuck (<i>Redunca fulvorufula</i>) All Districts, except Kirkwood, which is closed and Cradock (different season)	01 June - 31 July	1	NIL
Mountain reedbuck (<i>Redunca fulvorufula</i>) Cradock	01 June - 31 August	1	NIL

SPECIES AND MAGISTERIAL DISTRICT	HUNTING SEASON	DAILY BAG LIMIT (PER PERSON PER DAY)	CONDITIONS AND SUSPENSION OF LISTED SECTIONS
SPECIFIED SPECIES - applicable to ALL DISTRICTS in the Eastern Cape portion of the former Cape of Good Hope.			
Blesbuck (<i>Damaliscus pygargus phillipsi</i>) Blue wildebeest (<i>Connochaetes taurinus</i>) Burchell's zebra (<i>Equus burchellii</i>) Gemsbok (<i>Oryx gazella</i>) Red hartebeest (<i>Alcelaphus buselaphus caama</i>) Springbuck (<i>Antidorcas marsupialis</i>)	01 January - 31 December	Unrestricted	SUSPENSION - Section 33(1) - use of a motor vehicle <u>only for culling</u> CONDITION - <u>aircraft</u> requires a permit Note Paragraph 2 on first page
Impala (<i>Aepyceros melampus</i>) Nyala (<i>Tragelaphus angasii</i>) Waterbuck (<i>Kobus ellipsiprymnus</i>)	01 January - 31 December	Unrestricted	SUSPENSION - Section 33(1) - use of a motor vehicle <u>only for culling</u> CONDITION - <u>aircraft</u> requires a permit Note Paragraph 2 on first page IMPORTANT NOTICE: it is DEDEAT's intention to remove these species from this proclamation in future since they may only occur on property which is covered in terms of DEDEAT's Certificate of Adequate Enclosure (CAE) and are thus not permitted on non-CAE properties.

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Applicable to ALL DISTRICTS in the Eastern Cape portion of the former Cape of Good Hope.			
Cape hare (<i>Lepus capensis</i>) Scrub hare (<i>Lepus saxatilis</i>)	01 April - 30 September	1	SUSPENSION - Section 29 (g) [<i>calibre less than five comma six millimetres</i>]
Rock hyrax (<i>Procavia capensis</i>)	01 April - 30 September	5	SUSPENSION - Section 29 (d) [<i>trap</i>] - it excludes wire snares and any gin trap & (g) [<i>calibre less than five comma six millimetres</i>]

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Applicable to ALL DISTRICTS in the Eastern Cape portion of the former Cape of Good Hope.			
Black-backed jackal (<i>Canis mesomelas</i>) Caracal (<i>Caracal caracal</i>)	01 January - 31 December	Unrestricted	SUSPENSION - Section 29 (a) [<i>poison</i>] - only poison registered specifically for these species may be used, (d) [<i>trap</i>] - it excludes wire snares & any gin trap without an offset & a set screw, (g) [<i>calibre less than five comma six millimetres</i>], (h) [<i>automatic</i>] & (l) [<i>dog</i>] - dogs not to be used to attack or kill CONDITION - Section 33(1) - use of a motor vehicle only Note Paragraph 2 on first page
Bushpig (<i>Potamochoerus larvatus</i>)	01 January - 31 December	Unrestricted	SUSPENSION - Section 29 (d) [<i>trap</i>] - confined only to the use of a cage & excludes any other illegal method such as wire snares & any gin trap; (h) [<i>automatic</i>]; (l) [<i>dog</i>] - dogs not to be used to attack or kill CONDITION - Section 33(1) - use of a motor vehicle only Note Paragraph 2 on first page
Chacma baboon (<i>Papio ursinus</i>)	01 January - 31 December	Unrestricted	SUSPENSION - Section 29 (d) [<i>trap</i>] - confined only to the use of a <u>cage</u> and excludes any other illegal method such as wire snares and any gin trap
Rodents (excluding porcupines, springhare and cane rats)	01 January - 31 December	Unrestricted	SUSPENSION - Section 29 (a) [<i>poison</i>] - ONLY poison registered as a <u>rodenticide</u> under Act No. 36 of 1947 and that has been approved by the <u>SA Pest Control Association</u> (SAPCA) may be used; (d) [<i>trap</i>] - confined only to the use of a cage & excludes any other illegal method such as wire snares & any gin trap & (g) [<i>calibre less than five comma six millimetres</i>].
Porcupine (<i>Hystrix africaeaustralis</i>) Springhare (<i>Pedetes capensis</i>)	01 January - 31 December	Unrestricted	SUSPENSION - Section 29 (d) [<i>trap</i>] - confined only to the use of a cage and excludes any gin trap and any illegal method such as wire snares, (g) [<i>calibre less than five comma six millimetres</i>] and (l) [<i>dog</i>] - dogs not to be used to attack or kill Note Paragraph 2 on first page
Vervet monkey (<i>Chlorocebus pygerythrus</i>)	01 January - 31 December	Unrestricted	SUSPENSION - Section 29 (d) [<i>trap</i>] - confined only to the use of a cage and excludes any other illegal method such as wire snares and any gin trap, and (g) [<i>calibre less than five comma six millimetres</i>].
Warthog (<i>Phacochoerus africanus</i>)	01 January - 31 December	Unrestricted	SUSPENSION - Section 29 (d) [<i>trap</i>] - it excludes wire snares and any gin trap without an offset and a set screw; (h) [<i>automatic</i>] & (l) [<i>dog</i>] - dogs <u>not</u> to be used to attack or kill. CONDITION - Section 33(1) - use of a motor vehicle only

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SPECIES AND MAGISTERIAL DISTRICT	HUNTING SEASON	DAILY BAG LIMIT (PER PERSON PER DAY)	CONDITIONS AND SUSPENSION OF SECTION 29
Applicable to ALL DISTRICTS in the Eastern Cape portion of the former Cape of Good Hope.			
South African shelduck (<i>Tadorna cana</i>)	1 January - 31 March	4	SUSPENSION - (g) [calibre less than five comma six millimetres] CONDITION - NON-BREEDING South African shelduck IN LARGE FLOCKS may also be utilised during the period 1 May - 31 August by applying for a permit based on the DEDEAT Operational Guideline for the Issuing of Permits to Hunt Wild Animals Causing Crop Damage.
Egyptian goose (<i>Alopochen aegyptiacus</i>)	1 February - 30 September	15	(g) [calibre less than five comma six millimetres]
Hadeda ibis (<i>Bostrychia hagedash</i>)	1 February - 30 September	5	(g) [calibre less than five comma six millimetres]
Spur-winged goose (<i>Plectropterus gambensis</i>)	1 March - 30 September	5	(g) [calibre less than five comma six millimetres]
Cape shoveller (<i>Anas smithii</i>) Cape teal (<i>Anas capensis</i>) Southern pochard (<i>Netta erythrophthalma</i>) White-faced duck (<i>Dendrocygna viduata</i>)	1 May - 31 August	2	(g) [calibre less than five comma six millimetres]
Redbilled teal (<i>Anas erythrorhyncha</i>) Yellowbilled duck (<i>Anas undulata</i>)	1 May - 31 August	3	(g) [calibre less than five comma six millimetres]
Red-wing francolin (<i>Scleroptila levaillantii</i>)	1 May - 31 July	2	(g) [calibre less than five comma six millimetres]
Grey-wing francolin (<i>Scleroptila afra</i>) All Districts, except Queenstown (different hunting season and bag limit)	1 May - 31 July	4	(g) [calibre less than five comma six millimetres]
Grey-wing francolin (<i>Scleroptila afra</i>) Queenstown	1 May - 31 July	2	(g) [calibre less than five comma six millimetres]
Red-necked spurfowl (<i>Pternistis afer</i>) Orange River francolin (<i>Scleroptila levaillantoides</i>)	1 May - 31 July	4	(g) [calibre less than five comma six millimetres]
Helmeted guineafowl (<i>Numida meleagris</i>)	1 May - 30 September	5	(g) [calibre less than five comma six millimetres]
African olive-pigeon (<i>Columba arquatrix</i>)	1 June - 31 July	5	(g) [calibre less than five comma six millimetres]
Common quail (<i>Coturnix coturnix</i>)	1 October - 30 November	10	<u>Prerequisite:</u> the innards of all quail shot between 15-30 November be kept frozen for sampling. At the end of the season hunters must contact their closest regional or satellite office, of the EC Wingshooters Forum, with the address and contact details of the people that have the frozen innards. Tim van Heerden (0829295373) will then facilitate the collection and analysing of the samples by a state veterinarian to determine the breeding status of the birds hunted. This will be determined by measuring the gonads of the male and female birds. This research will assist with determining a sustainable hunting season for the future.

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Applicable to ALL DISTRICTS in the Eastern Cape portion of the former Cape of Good Hope.			
Cape turtle dove <i>(Streptopelia capicola)</i> Laughing dove <i>(Streptopelia senegalensis)</i> Red-eyed dove <i>(Streptopelia semitorquata)</i> Speckled pigeon <i>(Columba guinea)</i>	1 January - 31 December	Unrestricted	(g) [calibre less than five comma six millimetres]
Exotic Anseriformes (Ducks, geese, swans & screamers)	1 January - 31 December	Unrestricted	

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HUNTING SEASON: FORMER CISKEI

Ciskei Nature Conservation Act (Act 10 of 1987)

It is hereby confirmed for general information that -

1. the Member of the Executive Council responsible for Economic Development, Environmental Affairs and Tourism (DEDEAT) has, in terms of Section 12 of the Nature Conservation Act, 1987 (Act 10 of 1987) (Ciskei), determined that for the year 2019, the hunting season in the territory of the former Republic of Ciskei in respect of all species listed in Schedule 2 of the above Act shall be as listed below.
2. in terms of Section 3(1)(d) of the Nature Conservation Act the Member of the Executive Council, subject to the provisions of the Act, restricts the live transport of any wild animal, excluding birds, to the period 01 March to 31 October 2019.
3. Please note that the N6 - Province of the Eastern Cape HUNTING LICENCE is not valid in the territory of the Former Ciskei.
4. In terms of the Ciskei Nature Conservation Act (Act 10 of 1987) Schedule 14, Part 1 the price of a licence to hunt birds only is R5.00 and a licence to hunt any huntable wild animal is R10.00.
5. Ciskei hunting licences are only available from the DEDEAT Amathole office in East London at the following contact details:

DEDEAT Amathole Regional Office
Alderwood House
Palm Square Business Park
Bonza Bay Road
Beacon Bay
East London

Tel: **043 707 4068**

E-mail: Permits-Amathole@dedea.gov.za

DAILY BAG LIMITS IN FORMER CISKEI

It is hereby confirmed for general information that -

- (1) in terms of Section 10, as set out in Schedule 2, of the Nature Conservation Act, 1987 (Act No. 10 of 1987) (Ciskei), the daily bag limits for huntable wild animals in the territory of the former Republic of Ciskei, are as set out in the under-mentioned Schedule hereto.

Lubabalo Oscar Mabuyane
MEC for Economic Development, Environmental Affairs and Tourism
Date: xxxx

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SCHEDULE 2

MAMMALS	HUNTING SEASON	DAILY BAG LIMIT (PER PERSON PER DAY)
Cape hare (<i>Lepus capensis</i>) Scrub hare (<i>Lepus saxatilis</i>)	01 April - 30 September	1
Bushbuck (<i>Tragelaphus scriptus</i>) Common duiker (<i>Sylvicapra grimmia</i>) Steenbok (<i>Raphicerus campestris</i>)	01 June - 31 July	1
Kudu (<i>Tragelaphus strepsiceros</i>) Please note: may only hunt kudu bulls in <u>June</u> - may hunt kudu bulls and kudu cows in <u>July and August</u>	01 June - 31 August	1
Black-backed jackal (<i>Canis mesomelas</i>) Blesbuck (<i>Damaliscus pygargus phillipsi</i>) Bushpig (<i>Potamochoerus larvatus</i>) Caracal (<i>Caracal caracal</i>) Chacma Baboon (<i>Papio ursinus</i>) Springbuck (<i>Antidorcas marsupialis</i>) Vervet monkey (<i>Chlorocebus pygerythrus</i>) Warthog (<i>Phacochoerus africanus</i>)	01 January - 31 December	Unrestricted
BIRDS	HUNTING SEASON	DAILY BAG LIMIT (PER PERSON PER DAY)
South African shelduck (<i>Tadorna cana</i>)	01 January - 31 March	4
Egyptian goose (<i>Alopochen aegyptiacus</i>)	01 February - 30 September	15
Hageda ibis (<i>Bostrychia hagedash</i>)	01 February - 30 September	5
Spur-winged goose (<i>Plectropterus gambensis</i>)	01 March - 30 September	5
Cape shoveller (<i>Anas smithii</i>) Cape teal (<i>Anas capensis</i>) Southern pochard (<i>Netta erythrophthalma</i>) White-faced duck (<i>Dendrocygna viduata</i>)	01 May - 31 August	2
Redbilled teal (<i>Anas erythrorhyncha</i>) Yellowbilled duck (<i>Anas undulata</i>)	01 May - 31 August	3
Red-wing francolin (<i>Scleroptila leuallantii</i>)	01 May - 31 August	2
Grey-wing francolin (<i>Scleroptila afra</i>)	01 May - 31 July	2
Red-necked spurfowl (<i>Pternistis afer</i>) Orange River francolin (<i>Scleroptila leuallantoides</i>)	01 May - 31 August	4
Helmeted guineafowl (<i>Numida meleagris</i>)	01 May - 30 September	5
African olive-pigeon (<i>Columba arquatrix</i>)	01 June - 31 August	5
Common quail (<i>Coturnix coturnix</i>)	15 September - 31 October	10
Cape turtle dove (<i>Streptopelia capicola</i>) Laughing dove (<i>Streptopelia senegalensis</i>) Red-eyed dove (<i>Streptopelia semitorquata</i>) Speckled pigeon (<i>Columba guinea</i>)	01 January - 31 December	Unrestricted

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HUNTING SEASON: FORMER TRANSKEI

Transkei Decree No. 9 (Environmental Conservation) of 1992

1. There is NO Hunting Season in the territory of the former Republic of Transkei.
2. There is NO hunting licence applicable in the territory of the former Republic of Transkei.
3. However, the Transkei Decree No. 9 (Environmental Conservation) of 1992 Section 14(1)(a) states that "no person shall without a permit hunt any protected game".
4. Hunting may thus only take place with a valid hunting permit issued by DEDEAT.

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MEC for Economic Development, Environmental Affairs and Tourism
Date: xxxx

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ADDENDUM

HUNTING PROCLAMATION: 2019

EXTRACTS FROM THE NATURE AND ENVIRONMENTAL CONSERVATION ORDINANCE 19 OF 1974

HUNTING SEASON FOR WILD ANIMALS

78. The MEC may by proclamation in respect of the province or any area therein specified in such proclamation
- (a) each year determine the period in such year during which a species of protected wild animal specified in such proclamation may be hunted under the authority of a permit or license referred to in Section 27(1)(a).
79. The MEC may by proclamation in respect of the province or any area therein specified in such Proclamation and either indefinitely or for a specified period -
- (a) determine the number of any species of protected wild animal specified in such proclamation which may subject to the provisions of this Ordinance be killed, captured or caught;
- (b) if in his opinion it is necessary or desirable in the interests of nature and environmental conservation and subject to such conditions as he may deem fit suspend the operation of any provision of Section 29 or of any other provision of this Ordinance in so far as such provision relates to any species of fauna or flora specified in such Proclamation;
- (c) notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained in this Ordinance, prohibit, control or restrict the hunting of wild animals or any species of wild animal; and
- (f) prohibit, restrict or regulate the transport of any wild animal specified in such Proclamation.
82. (1) (b) The MEC may make regulations regulating and restricting the **use of dogs** in the hunting of any wild animal/s in any area in respect of which the operation of Section 29 (l) has been suspended by proclamation under Section 79 (b),

Section 42 of the Regulations (Provincial Notice No. 955 of 1975) state:

No owner of land in an area in which the application of Section 29 (l) of the ordinance has been suspended by proclamation under Section 79 (b) of the Ordinance may permit the use of more than **eight dogs over the age of one year and four dogs under the age of one year** in any particular hunt on such land.

HUNTING OF PROTECTED WILD ANIMALS

27. (1) Subject to the provisions (2) and (3) no person shall hunt any protected wild animal -
- (a) during any hunting season, unless he is the holder of a licence in the prescribed form issued to him by the Director on payment of the prescribed fee, or;
- (b) at any other time unless he is the holder of a permit to do so.
27. (2) The provisions of Subsection (1) (a) shall not apply to any owner of land, any relative of such owner or any full-time employee of such owner acting under the authority of such owner, in respect of any protected wild animal found on the land of such owner.

PROHIBITION ON KILLING OR CAPTURING OF WILD ANIMALS IN EXCESS OF DAILY BAG LIMIT

28. No person authorized by any provision of this Ordinance to hunt any wild animal shall at any time kill or capture a greater number of any species of protected wild animal than the daily bag limit determined in respect of such species by Proclamation under Section 79 (a).

PROHIBITED WAYS OF HUNTING

29. No person shall, unless he is the holder of a permit authorizing him or her to do so, hunt any wild animal -
- (a) by means of fire or poison;
- (b) with the aid of artificial light;
- (c) on or from a public road;
- (d) by means of any trap;
- (e) during the period between one hour after sunset on any day and one hour before sunrise on the following day;
- (f) by means of any weapon in a public place within the jurisdiction of a local authority;
- (g) by means of a fire-arm which discharges a rim-fire cartridge of a calibre less than five comma six millimetres;
- (h) by means of a firearm that discharges more than two shots without being manually reloaded;
- (i) by means of a bow-and-arrow;
- (j) by means of a set gun or any other similar contrivance;
- (k) by means of any device that injects an intoxicating or a narcotic agent or poison into such animal;
- (l) by the use of a dog, except for the hunting of birds or for the purpose of following or searching for any such animal which has been wounded;
- (m) in the case of birds in or upon inland waters, by the use of a boat for the purpose of chasing or killing such birds;

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Provided that in respect of the hunting of -

- (i) rodents, the provision of paragraphs (a), (b), (d), (e) and (l) [**in terms of (b) of the Proclamation a permit is required**];
 - (ii) any bird or other wild animal which is not an endangered or a protected wild animal, the provisions of paragraph (g), or;
 - (iii) any such wild animal by a registered veterinary surgeon in the practice of his profession, the provisions of paragraph (k), shall not apply.
- 33 (1)** No person shall without a permit, use any motor vehicle or aircraft (drone) to HUNT any wild animal or to hunt, disturb, drive or stampede any wild animal or animals for the purpose of filming or photographing such hunt, disturbance, drive or stampede or for any other purpose whatsoever.

PLEASE NOTE THE FOLLOWING:

1. Definitions:

“hunt” in relation to any wild animal means by any means whatsoever to hunt or search for, to kill, capture or attempt to kill or capture, or to pursue, follow or drive with intent to kill or capture, or to shoot at, poison, lie in wait for or wilfully disturb

“weapon” means (a) a fire-arm having a barrel exceeding one hundred millimetres in length and includes ammunition for any such fire-arm, or (b) any other instrument which is capable of propelling a projectile (for example an air rifle) or which can itself be propelled or used in such a way that a wild animal may be killed, injured or immobilized thereby, and includes a spear, assegai, bow-and-arrow, axe, bush-knife, knife or similar object and any narcotic whatsoever

“poison” means any poison, preparation or chemical substance used to catch, immobilize, sterilize, kill or physically harm a wild animal

- i. The South African Pest Control Association (SAPCA) is charged by the Government in terms of the Fertilizers, Farm Feeds, Agricultural Remedies and Stock Remedies Act, 1947 (Act No. 36 of 1947) to serve and protect the safety and health of the public by establishing and maintaining minimum standards of practice, knowledge and skills of registered pest management applicators in the country as well as to establish and maintain standards of professional ethics among them. Telephone - 012 654 8038 Fax - 086 556 1943 E-mail - simone@sapca.org.za;
- ii. Griffon Poison Information Centre. Gerhard Verdoorn: Telephone - 082 446 8946 E-mail - neshher@tiscali.co.za; and
- iii. Wildlife Poisoning Prevention and Conflict Resolution. Tim Snow: Telephone - 082 802 6223 E-mail - snowman@bundunet.com

“trap” means any trap, springtrap, snare, gin, cage, net, pitfall or birdlime and any other device or method whatsoever which can be used or adapted for the capture of wild animals;

“wild animal” means any live vertebrate or invertebrate animal (the egg or spawn of any such animal but excluding any ostrich used for farming purposes and the egg thereof) belonging to a non-domestic species and includes any such animal which is kept or has been born in captivity;

“owner” means, in relation to land, the person in whom is vested the legal title thereto; where the legal title thereto is vested in an association of persons, whether corporate or unincorporated, the person designated in writing as the owner thereof by such association;

2. No Threatened or Protected Species (TOPS), (**Black wildebeest, Bontebok, and so on**) as listed in Section 57 (1) of the regulations related to the National Environmental Management: Biodiversity Act, 2004 (Act No. 10 of 2004), have been listed in this Hunting Proclamation, and may therefore only be hunted, captured or any other restricted activity may only be carried out, if you are in possession of a specific TOPS permit to perform such a restricted activity.
3. No Alien and Invasive Species (AIS), (**Fallow deer, Kafue lechwe, Red lechwe, and so on**) as listed in the regulations related to the National Environmental Management: Biodiversity Act (NEMBA), 2004 (Act No. 10 of 2004), have been listed in this Hunting Proclamation. These species may be hunted without a permit BUT permits are required for any other restricted activity, as specified in Section 1 (b) of the National Environmental Management: Biodiversity Act (NEMBA), 2004 (Act No. 10 of 2004). However, please note that the provincial hunting license remains mandatory.
4. It is illegal to use an aircraft (for example a helicopter or a drone) for any purpose whatsoever over public or private land, whether you have a Certificate of Adequate Enclosure (CAE) or not, for the purposes as listed in Regulation 33 (1) above without a permit.
 - (a) Please note that even if you own your own aircraft (helicopter and/or drone) and are flying over your own property and you are HUNTING as per the definition of “hunt” you require a permit.
5. No person may hunt on any land, of which he/she is not the owner, without the written permission of the owner - Section 39 (1) and (2). Such written permission must reflect, the following:
 - (a) the full names and address of the owner concerned and of the person to whom it is granted; and
 - (b) the number and the species of wild animal, the date or dates and the land in respect of which it is granted, and is signed and dated by such owner.
 - (3) The provisions of Subsection (2) shall not apply in respect of permission granted in terms of Subsection (1) to any relative or full-time employee of any owner of land.
6. Section 40 - no person shall on land of which he is not the owner hunt any wild animal or remove any such animal or the carcass of such animal from such land without the permission of the owner of such land granted in terms of Section 39.
7. DEDEAT office hours are as follows: **Mondays-Thursdays 08:00 to 13:00; 13:45 to 16:30 and Fridays 08:00 to 13:00; 13:30 to 16:00**.

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8. In order to comply with **Paragraph 2** (notification of the relevant DEDEAT office, during office hours, prior to such intended hunt) please note the contact details of the office and responsible person that must be contacted, preferably by SMS:

Sarah Baartman District - Port Elizabeth Thembinkosi Tyali - Biodiversity	041 508 5803 079 897 1060	Amathole District - East London Ricky Hannan - Biodiversity	043 707 4068 083 382 9673
Sarah Baartman District - Jeffreys Bay Thembinkosi Tyali - Biodiversity	042 292 0339 079 897 1060	Joe Gqabi District - Aliwal North Zikho Saba - Biodiversity	051 633 2901 071 609 8003
Sarah Baartman District - Graaff-Reinet Thembinkosi Tyali - Biodiversity	049 892 3755 079 897 1060	OR Tambo District - Mthatha Nosinodi Ntola - Biodiversity	047 531 1191 078 206 7502
Sarah Baartman District - Grahamstown Thembinkosi Tyali - Biodiversity	046 622 7216 079 897 1060	Alfred Nzo District - Matatiele Dean Ricketts - Biodiversity	039 256 3200 060 532 4302
		Chris Hani District - Queenstown Tim de Jongh - Biodiversity	045 808 4016 082 461 4087

9. **Contraventions** must be reported to the **Compliance and Enforcement** personnel as per the following table:

Sarah Baartman District - Port Elizabeth Dayalan Govender - Compliance	041 508 5811 082 854 5395	Joe Gqabi District - Aliwal North Sipho Goge - Compliance	051 633 2901 072 330 5039
Sarah Baartman District - Jeffreys Bay Dayalan Govender - Compliance	042 292 0339 082 854 5395	OR Tambo District - Mthatha Sithembiso Ndlovu - Compliance	047 531 1191 063 402 9061
Sarah Baartman District - Graaff-Reinet Dayalan Govender - Compliance	049 892 3755 082 854 5395	Alfred Nzo District - Matatiele Ntlanhla Mfingwana - Compliance	039 256 3200 083 968 4634
Sarah Baartman District - Grahamstown Dayalan Govender - Compliance	046 622 7216 082 854 5395	Chris Hani District – Queenstown Ruaan Botha - Compliance	045 808 4016 071 865 3820
Amathole District - East London Given Ndabambi - Compliance	043 707 4068 083 598 3609	Senior Manager: Div de Villiers Manager: Robert Stegmann	082 417 0155 082 860 0943

10. PLEASE NOTE:

10.1. All permit applications for CAE's, Captivity, Capture with a helicopter, Export, Import & Transport must be done via the DEDEAT Electronic Permit System, namely the ePermit System, by logging into www.eservices.gov.za and registering.

10.2. ALL permit applications for Hunting, Fish, Flora; and Invertebrates must be submitted on the prescribed **PROVINCIAL PERMIT APPLICATION** form and dispatched to the specified office/s and responsible person/s as indicated on the relevant form.

11. LEAD TOXICITY

Lead ammunition is responsible for poisoning and evidence of this was found in recent tests done on the Cape Vulture and the Southern Ground Hornbill. The National Department of Environmental Affairs is busy establishing a National Wildlife Poisoning Prevention Working Group (NWPPWG). All relevant stakeholders will be part of this process, including Dr Verdoorn and several others. Once the NWPPWG has been appointed, the sub-groups will deal with various matters, of which one will be dealing with lead.

DEDEAT stresses that it is important that there should be an inclusive process and that there is alignment between the various structures of government and the relevant role-players.

Many, if not all, hunting associations have a commitment to promote RESPONSIBLE hunting. For this reason, DEDEAT will assist the process in engaging all role-players on the issue to develop a plan to address the impact of lead on wildlife, including impacts associated with the use of lead bullets.

It is, however, critical that we allow engagement of the sector and open discussions towards a common solution and not approach this from a “defending-a-position” point of view. For this reason, various role-players are preparing a list of relevant science-based publications and will identify the “concerns/challenges” the various role-players have with the latter, as well as challenges that the sectors face in terms of viable alternatives.

DEDEAT is positive that once we educate and empower all involved with the relevant information through an objective and inclusive approach, we will get collaboration in working towards agreed solutions.

COMMENTS:

This provincial gazette deals with the hunting of huitable wild animal species on land which does not have a Certificate of Adequate Enclosure (CAE). It therefore enables landowners to utilize these *res nullius* (literally means nobody's property or a thing which has no owner) huitable wild animal species which occur on their land. In ensuring that all landowners rights are entertained DEDEAT has an agreement to cooperate with organized agriculture and as such all landowner comments must be directed via your local farmers association/union to Agri Eastern Cape, Natasja Barkhuizen, via e-mail to Natasja.Barkhuizen@agrie.co.za.

Individuals who are not landowners may submit comments via their respective organization/association to their respective DEDEAT Regional Manager as per the DEDEAT Regional and Head Office contact details.

**Nature and Environmental Conservation Ordinance (No.19 of 1974),
Ciskei Nature Conservation Act (No. 10 of 1987) & Transkei Decree (No. 9 of 1992)**

**E-MAIL, FAX OR HAND-DELIVER THE COMPLETED APPLICATION FORM, AND ALL ATTACHMENTS,
TO THE RELEVANT OFFICE AS LISTED.**

PLEASE NOTE: All permit applications for CAE's, Captivity, Capture with a helicopter, Export, Import & Transport must be done via the DEDEAT Electronic Permit System, namely ePermits by logging into www.eservices.gov.za.

A. APPLICANT'S DETAILS (NB - Please print and use capital letters and mark applicable box with a X – may also be completed electronically):

Surname:															
First name/s:															
Identity/Passport number (please attach a <u>colour</u> copy):															
Capacity (mark with an X):				Private	<input type="checkbox"/>	Owner	<input type="checkbox"/>	Manager	<input type="checkbox"/>	Director	<input type="checkbox"/>	Outfitter	<input type="checkbox"/>	Agent	<input type="checkbox"/>
Telephone work:							Facsimile/Fax2email:								
Telephone home:							Mobile phone:								
E-mail:							Website:								
Residential address:										Postal code:					
Postal address:										Postal code:					

PLEASE NOTE: If you are signing on behalf of someone else, or are not the owner, please ATTACH a proxy letter or a general power of attorney from the applicable person, to act on behalf of such person (all such person's personal particulars must be included).

Attached please find (mark with an X): Proxy General power of attorney

I, the abovementioned applicant, hereby apply for a permit to perform the following activity:

B. KIND OF PERMIT/S APPLIED FOR (mark appropriate box with an X):

MARK	APPLICATION FOR A PERMIT TO/FOR:	COMPLETE SECTIONS
<input type="checkbox"/>	Hunt Protected Wild Animals	A to E, H, I & J
<input type="checkbox"/>	Hunt Specified Species of Wild Animals, Black-Backed Jackal & Caracal	A to E, G, I & J
<input type="checkbox"/>	Hunt Wild Animals by means of a Prohibited Hunting Method (Ord 19 of 1947 - Sec 29)	A to E, H, I & J
<input type="checkbox"/>	Landowner for Written Authority to Transfer Hunting & Other Rights Conferred on him/her	A to C, F, I & J
<input type="checkbox"/>	Please use this section for any additional information or aspect not catered for in this form	A to C, I & J
<input type="checkbox"/>	Renewal (<i>a copy of the expired certificate, license and/or permit must be attached</i>)	Relevant section

C. *VALIDITY PERIOD REQUIRED FOR PERMIT/PERIOD FOR WHICH RIGHTS ARE TRANSFERRED (*Delete whichever is NOT applicable):

From: To:

D. *SPECIES/CARCASSES AND NUMBER APPLIED FOR (*Delete whichever is NOT applicable):

No.	Scientific Name	Common Name	Quantity (Number or Kg - specify which)	Particulars of Specimen (Describe - microchip, sex, horns, skin, etc.)
1.				
2.				
3.				
4.				
5.				
6.				
7.				
8.				
9.				
10.				

(Attach a separate list if there is insufficient space.)



E. PROPERTY WHERE ACTIVITY WILL TAKE PLACE

Property/farm/business:	<input type="text"/>	Property size in hectares:	<input type="text"/>
Farm number:	<input type="text"/>	WR no.:	<input type="text"/>
Owner:	<input type="text"/>	CAE/Conservancy no:	<input type="text"/>
Nearest town:	<input type="text"/>	CAE/Permit date of expiry:	<input type="text"/>
Residential address:	<input type="text"/>	Magisterial District:	<input type="text"/>
		Postal code:	<input type="text"/>

F. FOR WRITTEN AUTHORITY TO TRANSFER HUNTING AND OTHER RIGHTS CONFERRED ON HIM/HER

Person to whom rights are transferred (full name):				<input type="text"/>	
Identity document no. (attach colour copy):					
Mobile no.	<input type="text"/>	Tel no.:	<input type="text"/>	Fax No:	<input type="text"/>
E-mail:	<input type="text"/>				
Residential address:	<input type="text"/>	Postal code:	<input type="text"/>		
Postal address:	<input type="text"/>	Postal code:	<input type="text"/>		
Property name:	<input type="text"/>	CAE no.	<input type="text"/>	Expiry date:	<input type="text"/>
Rights to be transferred:					

G. HUNTING OF SPECIFIED SPECIES, BLACK-BACKED JACKAL AND CARACAL, CAUSING DAMAGE, BY MEANS OF PROHIBITED HUNTING METHODS

- To hunt at night with an artificial light for management purposes by culling specified wild animals, black-backed jackal & caracal as per the current Provincial Hunting Proclamation – complete this section and attach the following documentation:
 - Proof of courses attended and past experience in the field of hunting and/or culling of the specified species is essential – attach certificates of courses attended. The absence of providing proof of having done a course will result in a permit being issued to hunt on the applicant's own property only;
 - If a permit was issued to you previously it must accompany your application before your permit will be renewed – see Section B renewal, and;
 - Each applicant must complete and submit his/her own application.
- To manage black-backed jackal & caracal with the aid of a helicopter the letter of no objection from the Chairperson of the relevant Farmers Association/Union is a prerequisite.
- Attached to the letter in point 3, should be the particulars, farm name/s and signature or every landowner involved.

(Mark with an X)			(Mark with an X)		
<input type="checkbox"/>	Hunt black-backed jackal and caracal on <u>own</u> property	<input type="checkbox"/>	Equipment used, for example, chair, light, luring, etc.		
<input type="checkbox"/>	Hunt black-backed jackal and caracal on <u>any</u> property	<input type="checkbox"/>	Particulars of Firearm/s and Ammunition		
<input type="checkbox"/>	Hunt specified species on my <u>own</u> property	<input type="checkbox"/>	Proof of membership of CHASA and/or PHASA		
<input type="checkbox"/>	Hunt specified species on <u>any</u> property	<input type="checkbox"/>	Proof of membership of a Hunt Club and/or Association		
<input type="checkbox"/>	Completed returns of expiring or expired permit	<input type="checkbox"/>	Proof of Dedicated Hunter		
<input type="checkbox"/>	Proof of AgriSETA accreditation	<input type="checkbox"/>	Vehicle/s licence plate number/s		
<input type="checkbox"/>	Proof of other courses completed in predation management	<input type="checkbox"/>	Vehicle/s make, type, year model and colour		
<input type="checkbox"/>	Provincial Hunting Licence [<i>required for any property only</i>]	<input type="checkbox"/>	Other information, for example, damage caused		

H. *HUNTING OF WILD ANIMALS BY A CLIENT/HUNTING OF WILD ANIMALS CAUSING DAMAGE (*Delete whichever is NOT applicable)

In the case of an animal causing damage a motivation must be attached, clearly defining the damage caused, financial losses, or other criterion on which the application is based – see Operational Policy Guideline's to Hunt Protected Wild Animals & for the Issuing of Permits to Hunt Wild Animals Causing Crop Damage, both dated 30 August 2007

(Mark with an X)	Client	<input type="checkbox"/>	Wild animal	<input type="checkbox"/>	Animal causing damage	<input type="checkbox"/>	Prohibited hunting method	<input type="checkbox"/>
Name of hunter:								
Identity document no. (attach colour copy):								
Mobile no.	<input type="text"/>	Tel no.:	<input type="text"/>	Fax No:	<input type="text"/>			
E-mail:	<input type="text"/>							
Residential address:	<input type="text"/>	Postal code:	<input type="text"/>					
Postal address:	<input type="text"/>	Postal code:	<input type="text"/>					
Hunting Outfitter:	<input type="text"/>	Permit No.	<input type="text"/>					
Professional hunter:	<input type="text"/>	Permit No.	<input type="text"/>					
Method of hunt:								
Vehicle registration no./s:	<input type="text"/>	Helicopter registration no./s.:	<input type="text"/>					
Helicopter/s make:	<input type="text"/>	Model:	<input type="text"/>	Colour/s:	<input type="text"/>			



Attach colour photograph/s of the helicopter/s (Mark with an X):	<input type="checkbox"/>	Additional notes:	
Attach the Landowner's Written Permission (Mark with an X):	<input type="checkbox"/>		

I. ADDITIONAL NOTES: (for letters of motivation for Buffalo WR numbers or any other *fauna* application not catered for in this application form)

J. I hereby declare that the above information is true, and that providing false information may lead to prosecution.

Signature applicant _____ Date _____

PLEASE NOTE:

1. This is a Provincial Permit Application and applies to the legislation of the Eastern Cape Province Nature and Environmental Conservation Ordinance (No.19 of 1974), the Ciskei Nature Conservation Act (No. 10 of 1987) and the Transkei Decree (No. 9 of 1992). This application form will later be incorporated into the e-Permit System when the developers are ready to launch the updated system.
2. To conduct any activity involving a National Permit relating to Threatened or Protected Species (TOPS) listed species, please complete the relevant TOPS application form obtainable from any DEDEAT office.
3. To conduct any activity involving a National Permit relating to an Alien and Invasive (AIS) listed species, please complete the relevant AIS application form obtainable from the National Department of Environmental Affairs (DEA), Directorate: Bio-Security Services, 14 Loop Street, Cape Town 8000. They may be contacted on 021 441 2748 and AISpermits@environment.gov.za.
4. If you have not received an e-mail to acknowledge receipt of your application we advise that you follow up, your application, with an e-mail or a phone call to verify receipt of your application. Since the electronic media can be unreliable, do not simply assume that it has been received, it is your responsibility to check!
5. DEDEAT EC endeavours to process your application as soon as conveniently possible, however, note that the maximum waiting period, as specified by the MEC's Charter, is 21 working days.
6. However, should you fail to provide the required information and/or relevant documentation, please note that the 21-day waiting period, will revert back to day one on the day after this information is received by DEDEAT.
7. We look forward to being of assistance.



ALL APPLICATIONS MUST BE SUBMITTED ON THE PRESCRIBED PROVINCIAL PERMIT APPLICATION FORM AND DISPATCHED TO THE FOLLOWING OFFICE/S AND RESPONSIBLE PERSON/S:

Alfred Nzo District - Matatiele (TOPS & ORDINANCE Permits) Mbizana/Cedarville/Maluti/Matatiele/Mt Ayliff/Mt Frere/Ntabankulu	Tel: 039 256 0216 Fax: 086 608 9480	Email: Permits-AlfredNzo@dedea.gov.za
Amathole District - East London (TOPS & ORDINANCE Permits) Alice/Balfour/Berlin/Bhisho/Butterworth/Cathcart/Chintsa East/Chintsa West/Cove Rock/Dimbaza/East London/Elliotdale/Fort Beaufort (part)/Frankfort/Gonubie/Gulu/Morgan's Bay/Hamburg/Hogsback/ Idutywa/Kaiser's Beach/Kei Mouth/Kei Road/Keiskamma Hoek/Kentane/Kidd's Beach/Leache's Bay/Khomgha King Williams Town/Macleantown/Mdantsane/Middledrift/Peddie/Nqqamakwe/Seymour/Stutterheim/Willow Park/Willowvale	Tel: 043 707 4068 Fax: 086 519 3200	E-mail: Permits-Amathole@dedea.gov.za
Sarah Baartman District - Port Elizabeth (ORDINANCE Permits) Kirkwood/Addo/Sunland/Paterson (part of)/Alexandria (part of)/Uitenhage/Kleinpoort/Wolvefontein/Port Elizabeth	Tel: 041 508 5803 Fax: 086 541 4472 Fax: 041 508 5850	E-mail: Permits-SarahBaartman@dedea.gov.za
Sarah Baartman District - Port Elizabeth (TOPS Permits) Kirkwood/Addo/Sunland/Paterson (part of)/Alexandria (part of)/ Uitenhage/Kleinpoort/Wolvefontein/Port Elizabeth	Tel: 041 508 5813 Fax: 041 508 5850	E-mail: Permits-SarahBaartman@dedea.gov.za
Sarah Baartman District - Port Elizabeth (RESEARCH Permits) Eastern Cape Province	Tel: 041 508 5855	E-mail: Luzuko.Dali@dedea.gov.za
Sarah Baartman District - Jeffreys Bay (TOPS & ORDINANCE Permits) Baviaanskloof/Cape St. Francis/St. Francis Bay/Hankey/Humansdorp/Joubertina/Kareedouw/Langkloof up to Misgund /Oyster Bay/Patensie/Rietbron/Steytlerville/Thornhill/Tsitsikamma/Willowmore	Tel: 042 292 0339 Fax: 086 544 5515	E-mail: Permits-Seekoei@dedea.gov.za
Sarah Baartman District - Graaff-Reinet (TOPS & ORDINANCE Permits) Graaff-Reinet/Aberdeen/Jansenville/Pearston/Somerset East/Cookhouse/Klipplaas	Tel: 049 892 3755 Fax: 086 416 4728 Fax: 049 892 3862	E-mail: Permits-GraaffReinet@dedea.gov.za
Sarah Baartman District - Grahamstown (ORDINANCE Permits) Adelaide/Alexandria (part)/Alicedale/Bedford/Boknes/Bushmans River/Fort Beaufort (part)/Grahamstown/Kenton on Sea/Kleinemonde/Port Alfred/Riebeek East/Salem/Sidbury	Tel: 046 622 7216 Fax: 086 416 4707	E-mail: Permits-Grahamstown@dedea.gov.za
Chris Hani District - Queenstown (ORDINANCE Permits) [CAE's, Captivity, Fish, Flora & Translocation - export, import & transport] Cala/Cofimvaba/Cradock/Dordrecht/Elliot/Fish River/Hilton/Hofmeyr/Lady Frere/Middelburg/Molteno/Ngcobo/Queenstown/Rosmead/Sada/Sterkstroom/Tarkastad/Tsomo/Tylden/Whittlesea	Tel: 045 808 4016 Fax: 086 495 0474	Email: Permits-ChrisHani@dedea.gov.za
Chris Hani District - Queenstown (TOPS Permits) [CITES, Hunting & Animals Causing Damage] Cala/Cofimvaba/Cradock/Dordrecht/Elliot/Fish River/Hilton/Hofmeyr/Lady Frere/Middelburg/Molteno/Ngcobo/Queenstown/Rosmead/Sada/Sterkstroom/Tarkastad/Tsomo/Tylden/Whittlesea	Tel: 045 808 4017 Fax: 086 495 0474	Email: Permits-ChrisHani@dedea.gov.za
Joe Gqabi District - Aliwal North (TOPS & ORDINANCE Permits) Aliwal North/Barkley East/Burgersdorp/Jamestown/Lady Grey/Maclear/Mount Fletcher/Sterkspruit/Steysburg/Ugie/Venterstad	Tel: 051 633 2901 Fax: 086 416 4392	E-mail: Permits-JoeGqabi@dedea.gov.za
OR Tambo District - Mthatha (TOPS & ORDINANCE Permits) Flagstaff/Lusikisiki/Port St Johns Town/Libode/Ngqeleni/Mthatha/ Mqanduli/Tsolo/Qumbu	Tel: 047 531 1191 Fax: 086 226 7829	E-mail: Permits-ORTambo@dedea.gov.za
Head Office - King Williams Town (CITES Permits) Eastern Cape Province	Tel: 043 605 7133 Tel: 043 605 7121 Tel: 043 605 7106 Tel: 043 605 7086 Fax: 086 416 4731	Email: Permits-CITES@dedea.gov.za
Head Office - King Williams Town (NON-CITES Permits) Eastern Cape Province	Tel: 043 605 7106 Tel: 043 605 7121 Tel: 043 605 7133 Fax: 086 416 4733	Email: Permits-nonCITES@dedea.gov.za
Head Office - King Williams Town (PROFESSIONAL HUNTING Permits) Eastern Cape Province	Tel: 043 605 7086 Tel: 043 605 7156 Fax: 086 416 4734	Email: Permits-PH@dedea.gov.za
Head Office - King Williams Town (TOPS Permits) Eastern Cape Province	Tel: 043 605 7084 Tel: 043 605 7121 Tel: 043 605 7156 Fax: 086 416 4735	Email: Permits-TOPS@dedea.gov.za