# Australian Government

**Department of Agriculture, Water and the Environment**

*Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act1999.*

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If the person completing this form is representing a small business (i.e. a business having less than 20 employees}, please provide an estimate of the time taken to complete this form.

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**TIME**

Please include:

* the time taken spent reading the instructions, working on the questions and obtaining the information; and
* the time spent by all employees in collecting and providing

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this information

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# General Permit Application for:

* **Threatened species and ecological communities (section 201)**
* **Migratory species (section 216)**
* **Whales and dolphins (section 238)**
* **Listed marine species (section 258)**

## Purpose of this form

This form is for an activity which will affect any species or ecological community listed under the EPBC Act in the above categories where that activity is within a Commonwealth Area, and for whale/dolphins where the activity is within the waters of the Australian Whale Sanctuary, or internationally.

Complete this form in addition to either Supplementary Form A, B or C described in question1 on the next page. Please return it, along with the relevant Supplementary Form to the Department of Agriculture, Water and the Environment.

Note that it isa requirement of the *Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999* that details of this application (which may include the applicant's name) and any supplementary forms (A, B or C) be provided to persons or bodies registered with the Department of Agriculture, Water and the Environment under section 266A of the Act, for the purposes inviting submissions from those persons or bodies regarding permit applications.

## Do not use this form for permits in:

* The Great Barrier Reef Marine Park These permits are available at:

www gbrmpa gov au/corp site/permits/

* A Commonwealth park or reserve (e.g. Kakadu National Park). These permits are available at: [www.environment.qov.au/topics/national-parks/parks-australia/permits-licences-and-leases](http://www.environment.qov.au/topics/national-parks/parks-australia/permits-licences-and-leases)

## Additional information

Please ensure that you have read the following information sheet:

*Permits required* for *activities affecting EPBC Act listed species in Commonwealth Areas including the Australian Whale Sanctuary*

This information sheet is available at *http.l/*[*www.environmentgov.au/epbclpermitslindex.html.*](http://www.environmentgov.au/epbclpermitslindex.html) Further information is also available by contacting the Department by email: EPBC.Permits@environment.gov.au.

## Incomplete information

Applications that are incomplete or contain insufficient information cannot be assessed. Delays will occur whilst further information is sought from the applicant.

## If you need more space

If there is insufficient space on this form to fully address any of the questions please attach additional pages and list these attachments at question10.

**1** Which of the following best describes the purpose of this application?

**4** Is the proposed permit holder an individual?

***Research on whales/dolphins***

 You will also need to complete Supplementary Form A for Whales and Dolphins (cetaceans).

***Now go to 2***

No **Go *to next question***

Yes ***Give details below of each individual to whom the permit would be issued.*** If insufficient space, attach a separate list

**1** Name

Residential address:

Fax No.:

Email address:

Fax No.:

Email address:

***To conduct an activity***  You will also need to complete

***that will have an*** Supplementary Form A for

***incidental impact on*** Whales and Dolphins

***whales/dolphins*** (cetaceans).

E.g. whales and dolphins ***Now go to 2***

are not the purpose of the activity but they will be indirectly affected

***Whale and Dolphin***  You **will** also need to complete

***watching*** Supplementary Form B for

Whale and Dolphin Watching.

***Now go to 2***

***To kill, injure, take,*** You **will** also need to complete

***trade, keep or move a*** Supplementary Form C

***listed species or Listed species*** *I* ***ecological ecological community community, listed migratory***

***in Commonwealth areas species or listed marine***

***species. Now go to 2***

***Import/export of***  Please contact the Wildlife

***whale/dolphin parts*** Trade Section on 02) 6274

***or products*** 1111.

1. Period of permit requested

***Permits* are *usually not issued for more than 5 years.***

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Start date: **20/01/2022** End date: **19/01/2027**

1. The permit holder can be a group such as a business, company, or corporation?

Is the proposed permit holder a group? No **Go *to next question*** Yes ***Give details below***

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| Group **Name** |
| Street address: |
| Postal address: |
| Telephone No.: |
| Fax No.: |
| Email address: |

*Now go to5*

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| Telephone No.: -Fax No.: |
| Email address: |

**5** Applicant details (if different fromproposed permit holder(s)

1. Have you applied for or obtained any other approvals, permits or licences relating to this activity under Commonwealth, State or Territory legislation?

No **Go *to next question***

Yes ***Attach copies***

1. Have you previously held a permit from the Australian Government to conduct this activity?

No **Go *to next question***

Yes ***Give details below***

Permit number Date permit expired



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| Name: |
| Residential address: |
| Postal address: |
| Telephone No.: |
| Fax No.: |
| Email address: |

**6** Give the relevant qualifications and experience of all people who will carry out the activities. If insufficient space, attach a list.

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| **1** | Name: |
| Qualifications and experience: |
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**9 Offences**

A proposed permit holder is taken to have been convicted of an offence if, within 5 years before the application is made, the proposed permit holder:

* has been charged with, and found guilty of, the offence but discharged without conviction; or
* has not been found guilty of the offence, but a court has taken the offence into account in passing sentence on the proposed permit holder for another offence.

Section 6of the *Crimes Act 1914* deals with being an accessory after the fact. Sections 7 and 7A and subsection 86(1) of the *Crimes Act 1914* and sections 11.1, 11.4 and

11.5 of the Criminal Code deal with attempts to commit

offences, inciting to or urging the commission of offences by other people and, conspiracy to commit offences.

Part VIIC of the *Crimes Act 1914* includes provisions that, in certain circumstances, relieve persons from the requirement to disclose spent convictions and require persons aware of such convictions to disregard them.

Name:

Qualifications and experience:

Has the proposed permit holder been **convicted** of, **or subject to proceedings** for an offence under any of the following?

1. offences under the *EBPC Act* or *Regulations*
2. a law of the Commonwealth or a State or Territory about the protection, conservation or management of native species or ecological communities;
3. section 6, 7 or 7A, or subsection 86(1}, of the *Crimes Act 1914* (Commonwealth) or sections 11.1. 11.4 or

11.5 of the *Criminal Code Act 1995* (Commonwealth) in relation to an offence under a law mentioned in (a) or (b) above; or

1. a provision of a law of a State or Territory that is equivalent to a provision mentioned in (c) above.

No

Yes ***Attach details***

#### Attachments

Indicate below which documents are attached.

Additional permit holders

#### See question 4

Additional qualifications details

#### See question 6

Copies of other approvals/permits

### See question 7

Details of offences

### See question 9

Other supporting documentation

#### List all additional documents below

Titles of all attached documents *(include the document title, the specific section(s) and the page number(s) on which the information appears)*

List of relevant publications since 2018 is attached. Additional information about the proposed activity is also attached

### Declaration

I declare that the information contained in this application Is correct to the best of my knowledge.

Signature of applicant

Name of person signing

Date

26/11/2021