



Nature Conservation Act 1992

Nature Conservation (Macropod Harvest Period 2015) Notice 2014

Current as at 1 January 2015

Reprint note

This is the last reprint before expiry. Expired on 31 December 2015 (see s 9).



Queensland

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1 Short title

This notice may be cited as the *Nature Conservation (Macropod Harvest Period 2015) Notice 2014*.

2 Commencement

This notice commences on 1 January 2015.

3 Definitions

The dictionary in schedule 3 defines particular words used in this notice.

4 Harvest period—conservation plan, s 10

- (1) This section declares the harvest period for harvest macropods in a harvest zone.
- (2) The harvest period is 1 January 2015 to 31 December 2015.
- (3) A *harvest macropod* is—
 - (a) an eastern grey kangaroo (*Macropus giganteus*); or
 - (b) a red kangaroo (*Macropus rufus*); or
 - (c) a common wallaroo (*Macropus robustus*).
- (4) A *harvest zone* is—
 - (a) the central harvest zone; or
 - (b) the eastern harvest zone; or
 - (c) the western harvest zone.
- (5) The *central harvest zone* is the area consisting of the area of each local government mentioned in schedule 2, part 1.
- (6) The *eastern harvest zone* is the area consisting of the area of each local government mentioned in schedule 2, part 2.

- (7) The *western harvest zone* is the area consisting of the area of each local government mentioned in schedule 2, part 3.

5 **Conditions on taking or using harvest macropods—conservation plan, s 11**

- (1) This section sets out the conditions imposed on the taking or using of harvest macropods during the harvest period.
- (2) An eastern grey kangaroo must not be taken from the western harvest zone.
- (3) The holder of a commercial wildlife harvesting licence for harvest macropods—
- (a) must comply with the National Code of Practice for the Humane Shooting of Kangaroos and Wallabies for Commercial Purposes when taking a harvest macropod; and

Editor's note—

The code of practice may be inspected on the website of the Commonwealth Department of Environment—
<www.environment.gov.au>.

- (b) must not sell, or give away, the carcass or skin of a harvest macropod if there is a bullet wound in the macropod's body.
- (4) In this section—
- body*, of a harvest macropod, means a part of the macropod's body other than its head.

6 **Minimum area of skin—conservation plan, s 12**

- (1) This section sets out the minimum area of skin of a harvest macropod taken for skin only.
- (2) The minimum area is 0.41m².

7 **Minimum weights—conservation plan, s 13**

- (1) This section sets out the minimum weight of the carcass of a harvest macropod taken for meat, or for meat and skin.

- (2) The minimum whole weight is 20kg.
- (3) The minimum dressed weight is—
 - (a) if the harvest macropod is fully dressed—13kg; or
 - (b) otherwise—13kg, plus the extra weight stated in schedule 1 for each part of the harvest macropod that has not been removed.

8 Shortening harvest period

- (1) This section applies if the chief executive intends to amend this notice to change the end of the harvest period to a day (a *new end day*) that is earlier than 31 December 2015.
- (2) The chief executive must—
 - (a) at least 7 days before the new end day—give a written notice stating the new end day to each holder of a macropod harvesting licence for the harvest macropod; and
 - (b) on or before the end day—publish the new end day in a newspaper circulating generally in the State.

9 Expiry

This notice expires on 31 December 2015.

Schedule 1 Extra weights

section 7(3)(b)

Column 1	Column 2
Part of a harvest macropod	Extra weight (kg)
the head	1.0
all or part of the heart, liver or lungs.	1.0
one or more forelimbs, or part of one or more forelimbs from a point below the elbow joint.	0.3
one or more feet, or part of one or more feet from a point below the tarsal joint.	0.5
one or more hind limbs, or part of one or more hind limbs from a point on the tibia below midway between the knee and ankle joints	0.2
the tail, or part of the tail more than 160mm from a point where the underside of the tail joins the body in the external urogenital area.	1.0

Schedule 2 Harvest zones

section 4

Part 1 Central harvest zone

Balonne
Barcaldine
Barcoo
Blackall-Tambo
Bulloo
Flinders
Goondiwindi
Longreach
Maranoa
McKinlay
Murweh
Paroo
Quilpie
Richmond
Western Downs
Winton

Part 2 Eastern harvest zone

Banana

Schedule 2

Bundaberg
Burdekin
Central Highlands
Charters Towers
Croydon
Etheridge
Gladstone
Isaac
Livingstone
Lockyer Valley
Mackay
North Burnett
Rockhampton
Scenic Rim
Somerset
South Burnett
Southern Downs
Toowoomba
Whitsunday

Part 3 Western harvest zone

Boulia
Burke
Carpentaria
Cloncurry
Diamantina

Mount Isa

Schedule 3 Dictionary

section 3

central harvest zone see section 4(5).

conservation plan means the *Nature Conservation (Macropod) Conservation Plan 2005*.

eastern harvest zone see section 4(6).

fully dressed, in relation to a harvest macropod, means a harvest macropod with all of the following parts removed—

- (a) the head;
- (b) the viscera;
- (c) each of the forelimbs, from the elbow joint;
- (d) the foot of 1 hind limb, from a point below the tarsal joint;
- (e) the hind limb, other than the hind limb mentioned in paragraph (d), from a point on the tibia midway between the knee and ankle joints;
- (f) the tail, not more than 160mm from a point where the underside of the tail joins the body in the external urogenital area.

Note—

For the definition of *dress*, a macropod, see the conservation plan, schedule 2.

harvest macropod see section 4(3).

harvest zone see section 4(4).

new end day see section 8(1).

viscera means the contents of the abdominal and thoracic cavities.

western harvest zone see section 4(7).

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2 Key

Key to abbreviations in list of legislation and annotations

Key	Explanation	Key	Explanation
AIA	= Acts Interpretation Act 1954	(prev)	= previously
amd	= amended	proc	= proclamation
amd t	= amendment	prov	= provision
ch	= chapter	pt	= part
def	= definition	pubd	= published
div	= division	R[X]	= Reprint No. [X]
exp	= expires/expired	RA	= Reprints Act 1992
gaz	= gazette	reloc	= relocated
hdg	= heading	renu m	= renumbered
ins	= inserted	rep	= repealed
lap	= lapsed	(retro)	= retrospectively
notf d	= notified	rv	= revised version
num	= numbered	s	= section
o in c	= order in council	sch	= schedule

Endnotes

Key	Explanation	Key	Explanation
om	= omitted	sdiv	= subdivision
orig	= original	SIA	= Statutory Instruments Act 1992
p	= page	SIR	= Statutory Instruments Regulation 2012
para	= paragraph	SL	= subordinate legislation
prec	= preceding	sub	= substituted
pres	= present	unnu	= unnumbered
		m	
prev	= previous		

3 Table of reprints

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Current as at	Amendments included	Notes
12 December 2014	none	
1 January 2015	none	RA s 35

4 List of legislation

Regulatory impact statements

For subordinate legislation that has a regulatory impact statement, specific reference to the statement is included in this list.

Explanatory notes

All subordinate legislation made on or after 1 January 2011 has an explanatory note.

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ss 1–2 commenced on date of notification

remaining provisions commenced 1 January 2015 (see s 2)

exp 31 December 2015 (see s 9)

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