

APPLICATION FOR A PERMIT TO CONDUCT ACTIVITIES RELATING TO PROTECTED FISH

1. APPLICANT DETAILS

Full Name and Title			
Organisation			
Business Address			
Email Address			
Business Telephone		After Hours / Mobile	
Occupation/Position			
Previous permit number if any			
Full names of any additional persons to be covered by this permit			

2. SPECIES TO BE COLLECTED / CAPTURED / RELEASED / HELD

Please attach an extra sheet if necessary and a map if available

For targeted collection provide species names and number to be collected or kept.	COMMON NAME	SCIENTIFIC NAME	NUMBER
Collection/survey site/s		Name of nearest town or suburb	
Release site/s (if for translocation)		Name of nearest town or suburb	
Map reference/s		Dates of proposed work	

3. REASON FOR ACTIVITIES INVOLVING PROTECTED FISH

Complete the relevant section/s

3.1 KEEPING LISTED FISH FOR EDUCATION / DISPLAY			
<i>Where possible fish are to be sourced from captive bred populations</i>			
Source of protected fish			
Target audience	General public / school students / special interest group /other (please specify)		
3.2 RESEARCH <i>Please attach a detailed project proposal including methodology</i>			
Name of institution		Email	
Project title			
Methods to be used			
Fate of protected fish			
Commencement date for field work		Period fish are to be held	
Animal Ethics approval number			<i>Please attach a complete copy of the AEC application and approval letter for approved projects</i>
Qualifications and experience:			
3.3 MANAGEMENT OR TRANSLOCATION <i>Please attach a copy of any relevant pages of management plans</i>			
Justification for proposed action			
Name of management or collection plan			

4. LAND TENURE OF PROPOSED COLLECTION / SURVEY OR RELEASE SITES

Complete the relevant section/s below

4.1 NATIONAL OR STATE PARKS			
<i>Approval for collection or release of protected fish on land managed under the National Parks Act 1975 is usually only granted for research that benefits the Park or the species. An additional permit is also required. Contact the Customer Service Centre on 136 186 for an application form.</i>			
Name of Park/s			
4.2 REFERENCE AREAS			
<i>Approval for collection or release of protected fish on land managed under the Reference Areas Act 1975 will only be granted in exceptional circumstances. An additional permit is also required. Written applications should be made directly to the Environmental Research Coordinator</i>			
Name of Reference Area			
4.3 PUBLIC LAND			
<i>Approval for collection or release of protected fish on land managed by Parks Victoria, DELWP or other agencies may be subject to the prior approval of the relevant agency</i>			
Name of reserve/s			
4.4 PRIVATE LAND			
Permission must be obtained prior to the entry of any private land			
Address of land		Name of land owner or Manager	

Note: In addition to the permit under the *Flora and Fauna Guarantee Act 1988* approval may be required under the *Fisheries Act 1995*. Any taking from the wild must comply with the current Victorian Recreational Fishing Regulations Guide.

Signature of applicant: **Date:**

PLEASE ALLOW FOUR TO SIX WEEKS FOR THE PROCESSING OF THIS APPLICATION

Return this form plus any attachments to the Environmental Research Co-ordinator, Department of Environment, Land, Water & Planning, PO Box 137, Heidelberg 3084 Phone (03) 9450 8746 or email environmental.research@delwp.vic.gov.au