*Completed forms (in Word or PDF format) and enquiries should be directed to:*

*the Executive Officer, Wildlife Ethics Committee (WEC) at:* *DEW.WildlifeETHICSCommittee@sa.gov.au*

*This form is to be used for standard vertebrate monitoring and baseline surveys only. Please refer to* [*Guidelines for Vertebrate Surveys in South Australia*](https://data.environment.sa.gov.au/Content/Publications/vertebrate_survey_manual.pdf) *methodology guidelines and consult the fact sheets Wildlife Ethics Committee Statewide Fauna Survey approvals information sheet and Wildlife Ethics Committee Submitting an application form information sheet*

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Section A - Administrative Details

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| **Primary Investigator Information** | *This is the person who takes primary responsibility for the project and the animals used. Students cannot be Primary Investigators* |
| Investigator’s name (include title) |       |
| Investigator's Institution (or Company) and Department |       |
| Investigator’s contact details (including After Hours) | Email |       |
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| **Co-investigator Information** | *The Co-investigator is the person who would assume the role of the Primary Investigator if that person were unavailable* |
| Co-investigator’s name (include title) |       |
| Co-investigator’s Institution (or Company) and Department |       |
| Co-investigator’s contact details (including After Hours) | Email |       |
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| Person or organisation named on the Licence for Teaching, Research or Experimentation involving animals | Name |       | *The licence holder may be the Primary Investigator, or the licence may be in the name of the organisation which employs the Primary Investigator* |
| Licence number |       |
| Expiry date |       |
| *The Code requires that a change in Primary Investigator must be approved by a meeting of the WEC and the project must cease until that approval is given. If the Co-investigator is working under the same licence and is approved as part of the original application, only a minor amendment is required should that person have to take over the project. This can be done out of session by the Executive Subcommittee of the WEC.* |

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| Name of person responsible for semi-permanent pitfall traps (if applicable) |  | *If semi-permanent pitfall traps are to remain in the ground after the expiry of this approval, please nominate the landholder or a company representative who will be responsible for routine checks and maintenance of these traps between survey events.* |
| Responsible person’s Institution (or Company) and Department |  |
| Contact details (including After Hours) | Email Phone |
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| Expected date for animal use to begin? |       |
| Expected date for animal use to end? |       |
| Project duration? |       | *Approvals may only be issued for a maximum period of three years.* |
| Does this application relate to a previously approved Protocol? | [ ]  Yes [ ]  No |
| If so, what was the previous approval number(s) |  |
| Have reports on this project(s) been lodged? | [ ]  Yes [ ]  No |
| Does this project involve any of the following: | [ ]  Honours Student [ ]  Masters Student [ ]  PhD Student | *Reminder: All Honours/Masters and PhD studies must be approved by the WEC. The Primary Investigator must be the degree candidate supervisor*. |
| Funds Source (Grant ID is applicable) |  |
| Approval to share information | By submitting this application, I approve that it, and any information relating to it can be shared with South Australian Animal Ethics Committees and the Animal Welfare Unit within the Department for Environment and Water, on a confidential basis, for the purposes of administration, approval and monitoring.[ ]  Yes |
| Declaration of interest | Is there any actual or potential interest, (financial, professional or personal) by any research/team member involved in the project that may affect judgements and decisions regarding the wellbeing of the animals involved? See Code [Clause 2.7.4.21](https://www.nhmrc.gov.au/about-us/publications/australian-code-care-and-use-animals-scientific-purposes)[ ]  Yes [ ]  NoIf yes, outline the potential and any steps to be taken to ensure the ethical integrity of the project.  |

Section B – About the Project

**1. Are you seeking approval to conduct:**

*[ ]* A specific area fauna survey (e.g., a landholder’s property or properties).

*[ ]* A one-year statewide fauna survey

*[ ]* A three-year statewide fauna survey

*Prior to applying for statewide approval please refer to the*[*guidelines for lodging a wildlife ethics application for statewide fauna surveys*](https://view.officeapps.live.com/op/view.aspx?src=https%3A%2F%2Fcdn.environment.sa.gov.au%2Fenvironment%2Fdocs%2FState-Wide-Fauna-Survey-Approvals-Information-Sheet.docx&wdOrigin=BROWSELINK) *to ensure that you meet the criteria.*

**2. Short lay summary (Maximum 100 words)**

*A lay summary is a brief summary of a research project that is used to explain complex ideas and technical and scientific terms to people who do not have prior knowledge about the subject.*

**3. Provide a lay description of the project and its aims, and its hypothesis.**

Section C - Detailed Description of What Will Happen to the Animals

**4. Using lay language describe what happens to the animals from the time they are obtained until the time the project is completed.**

*This is to include catching, handling, marking, transport, sampling, release and/or humane killing (e.g. for voucher specimens).* *Provide a clear step-by-step description outlining the whole proposal, with the details of each step provided sequentially.*

**5.** **Where will the procedures/use of animals take place? (If more than one location is to be used, please attach a map and clearly explain what will happen at each different site).**

*Attach a map of the area to be surveyed or describe the location e.g., area of X km square located south of YYYY. If applying for a statewide survey approval, please state various locations across SA.*

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| **Procedure/Use of Animals** | **Locations (Nearest Named Place)** |
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**6. Please append a list of species already recorded within the survey area. Indicate which of these species is represented by verifiable museum specimens.**
*Use the following format.*

*For statewide fauna surveys, download a species list prior to conducting any fauna surveys in a new location and consult with the SA Museum.*

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| **Species** | **Number of records** | **Represented by voucher specimens (yes/no)** |
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Section D - Capture and Use of Wildlife

*Please answer each question in detail. It is not sufficient to enter ‘as per Standard Operating Procedure (SOP) – refer to attachment’. You must describe your procedures. If a SOP or advisory document is available use your application to note that it has been consulted and your approach is compatible with those guidelines or explain why you need to deviate from any standard approach.*

**7. What type of survey methods will be used?**

*Select one or both of the options below.*

**Non-capture survey method** [ ] *complete table below.*

 *NOTE: if the project* ***only*** *involves methods that are shaded in the table you do not require WEC approval.*

**Capture survey method** [ ] *move to question 8.*

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|  | **Non-capture method** | **Provide details of method. Include how animal wellbeing impact will be minimised.** |
|[ ]  Songmeters or other auditory acoustic recorders | Not required |
|[ ]  Anabat detectors and other ultrasonic recorders | Not required |
|[ ]  Visual signs, scat collection, sand plots, eDNA | Not required |
|[ ]  Remote cameras - without lures | Not required |
|[ ]  Use of thermal/night vision equipment – i.e. not bright spotlights | Not required |
|[ ]  Measuring dens/burrows | Not required |
|[ ]  [Hair tubes](https://cdn.environment.sa.gov.au/environment/docs/wec-collection-of-hair-and-feather-samples.pdf)  |  |
|[ ]  Detection dogs |  |
|[ ]  Call playback |  |
|[ ]  Remote cameras – with lure e.g. bait/scent/drift fence  |  |
|[ ]  Spotlighting |  |
|[ ]  Optical fibre scope/burrowscope |  |
|[ ]  Nest box/hollow observation |  |
|[ ]  Tile grids observations |  |
|[ ]  Observations from a drone/aircraft/watercraft |  |
|[ ]  Other non-capture methods (please list) |  |

*If you are* ***only using non-capture methods*** *outlined in the table above, move to Section F.*

Capture Methods

*As a starting point, refer to the* [*Guidelines for Vertebrate Surveys in South Australia*](https://data.environment.sa.gov.au/Content/Publications/vertebrate_survey_manual.pdf) *that outline a standard approach to general fauna survey that has proven to be effective. However, the WEC understands that particular surveys may need to vary their approach.*

**8.** **What types of traps will be used? Describe these in full, including dimensions.**

*For standard commercially produced traps simply state the maker and model of each trap type. Where the trap is not commercial or a standard device, please describe it in full (append photograph or diagram).*

**9. How many traps will be set and over what period of time?**

**10. How often and at what times will traps be checked and/or cleared?**

*Please refer to the WEC* [*Use of live traps to capture terrestrial vertebrates policy*](https://cdn.environment.sa.gov.au/environment/docs/wec-use-of-live-traps-capture-vertebrates-gen.pdf)

**11. How will the traps be identified, and their locations recorded?**

**12. How will distress and death of trapped animals be minimised?**

*For example, stress; starvation, dehydration, hot, cold or wet weather etc.* *Please state climatic extremes or other factors that would require trapping to cease.*

**13. How will predation of trapped animals be minimised?**

*Provide details on how you will protect the captured animals from ants, crows etc. and animals that may be captured in the same trap e.g., place sand and leaves in the pitfall, use insecticide around the trap line. Will you relocate traps if ants are a problem?*

**14. What precautions will be taken to protect animals from climate extremes?**

*For example, what are the minimum and maximum temperatures animals will be captured? What climatic extremes or other factors would require trapping to cease i.e. heavy rain and flooding?*

**15. Are semi-permanent pitfalls part of the survey procedure? If so how will traps be inactivated when not in use, and maintained/monitored between survey periods?**

*The person responsible for maintenance/monitoring of traps between survey periods must be named in Part A “Administrative Details.”*

**16. Describe your procedures and timing of the release of captured animals?**

*Take into account the reproductive biology of the species and any special considerations given to nocturnal animals.*

**17. If bait is used or food/water provided in traps give details.**

**18. What is the maximum number of traps each team leader will have responsibility for within a trapping period? How many assistants will provide support?**

*Please provide an estimate so that the workload can be demonstrated to be consistent with good monitoring of animal welfare.*

**19. Describe any other methods to be used for capture.**

*For example, mist netting, spotlighting, and hand foraging.*

**20. What will be done if more animals are caught than expected?**

**21. How will the potential impact on dependent young be reduced?**

**22. What will happen to non-target animals caught (if applicable)?**

**23. What will happen to any feral/pest animals caught (if applicable)?**

*The WEC recommends that where practical and safe, feral animals can be euthanised by an appropriately trained assistant instead of released. This is not expected where the feral animal is being monitored as part of the research.*

**24. How will you dispose of any carcasses?**

**25. What established standard operating procedures or recognized guidelines (relevant to animal welfare) will be followed?**

*Attach a copy of any relevant documents at the end of this document.**Refer to* [*Wildlife Ethics Committee policies*](https://www.environment.sa.gov.au/topics/science/science-research/policies-for-wildlife-research)

Collection of Museum Voucher Specimens

***If you are not collecting museum voucher specimens, move to Collection of Biological Samples (question 31).***

*Please refer to the* [*WEC Voucher collection policy.*](https://cdn.environment.sa.gov.au/environment/docs/Voucher-specimen-policy-endorsed-March-2023.pdf) *The WEC considers that the collection of voucher specimens is a component of a best practice approach to documenting and permanently verifying the distribution of vertebrate species within South Australia. Prior to any survey, Investigators must establish the current state of knowledge of vertebrate diversity within the survey area. From this they would be expected to identify what species might be required as vouchers. Typically, the WEC would expect that any species newly recorded for the area would be vouchered, as would any animals where identity was uncertain and lodged with the South Australian Museum or similar appropriate institution. The SA Museum holds the state’s reference wildlife collections and can be consulted to clarify the current state of vertebrate specimen records from the proposed survey area or a species list of all specimen records that have been vouchered may be obtained from the* [*Atlas of Living Australia*](https://www.ala.org.au/) *website.*

*Voucher specimens are to be preserved using standard museum methods. Investigators are encouraged to contact their local state museum for advice regarding preservation techniques for both animals and tissue samples.*

*In the case of monitoring surveys where the fauna of a region has already been well documented through baseline surveys, vouchering can be replaced by tissue samples and photography (See ‘collection of Biological Samples’).*

**26. Under what circumstances do you intend to collect voucher specimens? Please justify numbers of specimens.**

**27. Provide a list of species already represented in museum collections***This is available from the* [*Atlas of Living Australia*](https://www.ala.org.au/) *or SA Museum.*

**28. Describe the method of euthanasia for animals that are selected as voucher specimens.**

**29. How will the animals and associated tissue samples be preserved?** **Provide details.**

*For example, in formalin, liquid nitrogen, ethanol or ethanol/saline.*

**30. Where will the voucher specimens be lodged?***If not the SA Museum, please state which institution the specimens will be lodged.*

Collection of Biological Samples (e.g., hair, tissue, blood etc.)

***If you are not collecting biological samples, move to Transporting Animals question 37 Transporting animals.***

*Tissue samples should be accompanied by a photograph sufficient to identify the specimen from which the sample was taken. Photographs should accompany the specimens when they are lodged at their final repository (museum, department and office)*

**31. If you are collecting samples, what samples (including blood, tissue, hair, feather, swab etc.) will be collected for what purpose and how will these be taken?**

**32. What size/volume/amount of sample will be collected from each individual animal? For blood, express this as a percentage of the animal's circulating blood volume.**

**33. What blood/tissue collection route, needle size, technique(s) and equipment will be used?**

**34. How will pain during the procedure be minimised?**

**35. How will the risk of infection at the site be minimized?**

**36. How will animals be restrained during handling and/or sampling?**

Transporting Animals

***If you are not transporting animals to a base camp or another location move to Identification of Individual Animals question 44.***

*In this section briefly outline why you will need to transport live animals. This includes animals that will be transported back to base camp and later released or euthanized. Refer to the link below for all wildlife research policies and guidelines, which includes the guidelines for transportation of live animals.* [*WEC Transportation of live animals policy*](http://www.environment.sa.gov.au/files/sharedassets/public/plants_and_animals/wec-transportation-of-live-animals-policy-gen.pdf)

**37. Is transport of live animals necessary and if so what method and precautions will be used?**

*This includes transport to a base camp for processing or species identification.*

**38. How will the animals be confined?**

*For example, in calico bags suspended from a pole, or in plastic containers with wet sponges etc.*

**39. What shelter/bedding will be provided?**

**40. How many animals per container?**

**41. Will food and/or water be provided? Give details.**

**42. What precautions will be taken to protect animals from temperature extremes?**

**43. What is the maximum length of time that animals will be held in this way?**

Identification of Individual Animals

***If you are not marking animals for individual identifying, move to Section E - Management of Unexpected Adverse Events question 48.***

*Individual identification (e.g., by means of a photo, microchip, paint, or ear tag) is not always required for survey work. If you do need to identify individuals, use this section to provide background information on why it is necessary, and make clear the time frame over which the identification needs to last. If possible, please include photographs of equipment being used.*

**44. How will animals be individually identified?**

**45. If animals will be marked temporarily or permanently, describe how this will be done.**

**46. If animals are to be marked permanently, give evidence that the potentially negative consequences of any marking technique are outweighed by the benefits gained using this technique in your research.**

**47. Animals should only be marked permanently when a project is sufficiently funded to ensure that efforts can be made to recapture/relocate the marked animal/population. Explain whether there is such funding.**

Section E – Purpose, Procedures, Distress and Substances Administered.

Monitoring of Potential Pain and Distress

**48. Identify and justify all procedures with potential to cause pain or distress. What steps will be taken to avoid or minimize such pain or distress?**

**49. Detail the monitoring that will be made of the animals not immediately released at point of capture.**

Procedure Category

**50. Please select all the applicable options below**

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| [ ]  | Observational studies: e.g., monitoring surveys, live trapping, obtaining weights and body measurements. |
| [ ]  | Minor conscious intervention: No anaesthesia: e.g., blood sampling, micro chipping, tissue clipping for genetic sampling purposes. |

## **Pain/Distress Classifications**

**51. Please select all the applicable options below**

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|  | **Category** | **Procedures** | **Extent and Duration Suffering** |
| [ ]  | No pain or distress |       |       |
| [ ]  | Mild pain or distress |       |       |

Humane killing agents

**52. Please complete the table below.**

*(If you are using more than one drug, insert additional rows).*

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| **Drug (generic ± brand name)** | **Dose rate (mg/kg)** | **Concentration (mg/ml)** | **Dose (mg) or volume mL)****Required** | **Route of administration** | **Needle size** |
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**53. What training and experience do you have in using these agents?**

*(Note that any required licenses to hold and administer the agents listed above must be included in question 52.)*

Section F - Other Legislative Requirements

**54. In addition to the requirements of the *Animal Welfare Act 1985*, is the acquisition, retention or use of the animals subject to any permit, law or regulation of the State or Commonwealth?**

*For example:*

* *Scientific Permit number under the National Parks and Wildlife Act 1972,*
* *Import Permit and/or Export Permit (if moving animals across state borders).*
* *Australian Bird and Bat Banding Scheme (ABBBS) Banding Authority.*
* *Ministerial Exemption under Section 115 of the Fisheries Management Act 2007,*
* *SA Health Department Controlled Substances Licence*

[ ]  Yes [ ]  No

**55. If yes, please provide details of the permit/authorisation number(s) and holder(s).**

Section G - Management of Unexpected Adverse Events

*This section does not apply to animals that are sick or injured through natural causes.*

*It applies to an animal that has died or been injured as a direct result of your project. If the adverse event has not been foreseen and approved in the application, it must be reported using the* [*WEC Adverse Event form*](https://view.officeapps.live.com/op/view.aspx?src=https%3A%2F%2Fcdn.environment.sa.gov.au%2Fenvironment%2Fdocs%2FWECForm_adverse-event-form.docx&wdOrigin=BROWSELINK) *as soon as reasonably possible following the event. Reports should be submitted to the WEC Executive Officer via* *email**. Refer to the* [*Adverse events reporting policy*](https://cdn.environment.sa.gov.au/environment/docs/WEC-Reporting-adverse-events-policy.pdf) *(revised 2024) for further clarification.*

**56. Please list the major potential causes of accidental death or injury to animals that your capture and handling methods entail.**

**57. Based on your previous experience or consultation with other researchers, please indicate the likely rate in percentage of accidental deaths or injuries that you anticipate will accompany your survey activities.**

**58. What will happen to an animal (native or feral) that, due to this project, is sick or injured?**

*Please note that the WEC does not generally approve passing sick or injured animals to wildlife carers.*

**59. If an animal needs to be euthanised in an emergency, how will this be done, and by whom? Include options for an after-hours emergency.**

*It is expected that investigators carrying out fauna survey work be equipped with the relevant euthanising agents and would have the necessary training and permits to be self-sufficient. Please refer to the* [*WEC Euthanasia of research animals in the field policy*](http://www.environment.sa.gov.au/files/sharedassets/public/plants_and_animals/wec-euthanasia-of-research-animals-policy-gen.pdf)*.*

**60. Identify any other relevant emergencies that may arise and explain what procedures are in place to deal with those emergencies.**

*For example, how would you check traps if unforeseen events arise such as sick team members, extreme weather or vehicle breakdown occurred?*

Section H – Ethical Issues

**61. Please discuss the ethical issues that the WEC will need to consider when reviewing this proposed survey.**

*Your answer should address the 3Rs: Replacement, Reduction and Refinement.*

*Please state whether or not you have found any improvements for the currently recommended WEC policies that define best practice in fauna survey methods. Report any streamlining or alteration of survey procedures that you are using that improve animal welfare beyond what is specified in the current WEC policy documents relating to field survey activities. (See Clauses 1.18–1.30 of* [*the Code*](https://www.nhmrc.gov.au/_files_nhmrc/publications/attachments/ea28_code_care_use_animals_131209.pdf)*).*

*Your answer should address the 3Rs, Replacement, Reduction & Refinement. (See Clauses 1.18–1.30 of* [*the Code*](https://www.nhmrc.gov.au/about-us/publications/australian-code-care-and-use-animals-scientific-purposes)*).* ***“Not applicable” is not an acceptable response.***

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| **Ethical Issues:***For example, state:* * *the welfare cost to the animal*
* *how the level of pain/discomfort is justified*

*• How this meshes with the cost/benefit* |       |
| **Reduction:***State why you cannot use fewer animals.* |       |
| **Refinement:***Explain what you are doing to reduce the impact on the animals you are using* |       |
| **Replacement:***Consider alternatives. Your response, should include:** *A list of any potential alternatives to animal use*
* *Whether any of these alternatives would be used*
* *Details of literature searches you have undertaken.*

*This answer should explain why animals need to be used at all.* |       |

Section I – New Information or Understanding Sought

*It is the responsibility of the Investigator to explain to the WEC why the project needs to be conducted and what the benefits are. Unnecessary duplication is unacceptable.*

**62. Please explain how your proposal adds in a meaningful way to an existing body of knowledge.**

**63. In what way does this proposal relate to your previous or concurrent work?**

*How does this proposal fit into the broad research strategy/interest of your group.*

**64. Please list your relevant published articles.**

**65. Where do you propose to publish the results and/or make the information available to the wider community?**

**66. Please indicate where your data will be lodged.**

**67. How will you minimize health risks posed to animals captured during the survey?**

*For example, transmission of pathogens or parasites from one animal to another.*

**68. Attachments summary checklist**

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| Relevant Standard Operating Procedures (SOPs) | [ ]  Yes [ ]  No |
| Relevant Publications | [ ]  Yes [ ]  No |
| Other Please detail: | [ ]  Yes [ ]  No |

Part J – Credentials of Participants

**69. Credentials of all those involved in the project**

*This table relates to those who are actively participating in the project. Do not include trainees, observers or people working under the direct supervision.*

*(Add rows if required)*

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|  | **Name**  | **Email address** | **Relationship to Primary Investigator** | **Qualifications** | **Experience** | **Procedures** | **Date of ethics training** |
|  |  | *WEC needs email addresses to send on-line training packages to participants as required* | *For example, employee, co-worker, volunteer, contractor etc* | *Formal qualifications (school, TAFE, university)* | *Detail the experience each participant has in the procedures to be undertaken with the species being used (if no experience, describe how relevant training and supervision will be obtained)* | *In which**procedure(s) is this person involved?* | *Date this person undertook WEC animal welfare user training (online). WEC training must be completed every three years* |
| Primary Investigator: |       |  |  |       |       |       |       |
| Co-investigator |       |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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Section K - Declarations

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**Declaration by the Primary Investigator and Co-investigator**

We hereby declare that, to the best of our knowledge:

* The information contained in this application is complete and accurate.
* This proposal conforms to the Code (8th Edition 2013) and the SA *Animal Welfare Act 1985*.
* We have read Section 2 of the Code which sets down the responsibilities of investigators.
* The Primary Investigator accepts responsibility for the conduct of all procedures detailed in this application and for the supervision of all personnel delegated to perform any such procedures.
* We agree to comply with the procedures described and any conditions imposed by the WEC.
* Sufficient and adequate resources will be available to undertake the proposed study.
* We are satisfied that all assistants are familiar with and will comply with relevant legislative requirements and the Code (8th Edition 2013).
* We are satisfied that all assistants (as named in the table at Question 67) have read this application and accept the responsibilities detailed therein to the extent of their involvement in this project.
* The Co-investigator is willing and able to assume the roles and responsibilities of the Primary Investigator if required to do so.

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|  | **Name** | **Signature** | **Date** |
| Primary Investigator |       |       |       |
| Co-investigator |       |       |       |

**Declaration by the Institutions Nominated Authority**

*This is a person who has the authority to sign documents on behalf of the Department/organisation.*

I hereby declare that:

* I am satisfied that the Primary and Co-investigators have the appropriate qualifications and experience to carry out the work with minimum distress to the animals.
* I believe this work meets legislative requirements and requirements of the Code.
* I have read the application, and I am satisfied that this work is of sufficient scientific merit for my department/organisation to be involved in it and sufficient and adequate resources will be available to undertake the proposed study.

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| **Nominated Authority**  | **Signature** | **Date** |
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Attachment: Relevant Standard Operating Procedures

*Attach as pdf pages or if text, by copy-paste into field below.*

Attachment: Relevant Publications

*Attach as pdf pages or if text, by copy-paste into field below.*

Attachment: Other

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