



# forestry, fisheries & the environment

Department:  
Forestry, Fisheries and the Environment  
**REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA**

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## **REQUIREMENTS FOR A RECREATIONAL IMPORT PERMIT**

- **Original, completed, signed and dated application form.**
- **A true certified copy of identity document.**

### **PLEASE NOTE:**

- **Copies of supporting documents must be certified as true copies and must not be dated older than 3 months. Failure to provide true certified copies of documents will result in the permit application being delayed or not processed or not issued.**
- **No faxes, copies, and e-mails will be accept**

### **GENERAL INFORMATION**

- The application process may take 7 working days or more subject to proper lodging of the application.
- No permit is required for bait. However, please ensure that you have in your possession either a recreational bait permit (only the daily bag limit can be transported) or a cash slip for bait purchased.
- Applications received via post:- On receipt of the application form, the Customer Service Centre will contact the applicant with a deposit reference number for payment. A cheque for the full amount can also accompany the application. (Cheque/s must be made payable to the Marine Living Resources Fund (MLRF).

The bank deposit slip (proof of payment) reflecting payment of **R505.00** per applicant must be faxed to 021-402 3362 before the permits/s can be processed.

### **Banking details:**

<b>Bank:</b>	<b>FNB</b>
<b>Account Name:</b>	<b>Marine Living Resources Fund – Deposit Account</b>
<b>Account No.</b>	<b>62123256382</b>
<b>Branch:</b>	<b>Corporate Account Service Cape Town</b>
<b>Branch code:</b>	<b>210554</b>
<b>Payment Ref No.</b>	<b>The Department will contact the applicant after application is lodge to issue a reference number, or use your Party number if you know.</b>