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## DEPARTMENT OF FORESTRY, FISHERIES AND THE ENVIRONMENT

NO. 3012

3 February 2023

**NATIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT: BIODIVERSITY ACT, 2004  
(ACT NO. 10 OF 2004)****LIST OF TERRESTRIAL SPECIES AND FRESHWATER SPECIES THAT ARE THREATENED OR  
PROTECTED, RESTRICTED ACTIVITIES THAT ARE PROHIBITED, AND RESTRICTED ACTIVITIES  
THAT ARE EXEMPTED**

I, Barbara Dallas Creecy, Minister of Forestry, Fisheries and the Environment, hereby in terms of sections 56(1), 57(2), 57(4) and 58 of the National Environmental Management: Biodiversity Act, 2004 (Act No. 10 of 2004) —

- (a) publish a list of terrestrial species and freshwater species that are threatened or protected;
- (b) prohibit restricted activities;
- (c) exempt persons from restrictions contemplated in section 57(1); and
- (d) repeal the list of species published under Government Notice R.151, in *Government Gazette* 29657 of 23 February 2007, and the amendments published under Government Notice R.1187 in *Government Gazette* 30568 of 14 December 2007

respectively, as set out in the Schedule hereto.



**BARBARA DALLAS CREECY  
MINISTER OF FORESTRY, FISHERIES AND THE ENVIRONMENT**

## SCHEDULE

### 1. Definitions—

In this notice, a word or expression, or any derivative or other grammatical form of such word or expression, to which a meaning has been assigned in the Biodiversity Act, has the same meaning and, unless the context indicates otherwise—

“**Biodiversity Act**” means the National Environmental Management: Biodiversity Act, 2004 (Act No. 10 of 2004), and includes its subordinate legislation issued in terms of a provision thereof;

“**botanical garden**” has the same meaning as having been defined in the TOPS Regulations;

“**conservation purposes**” has the same meaning as having been defined in the TOPS Regulations;

“**CITES**” means the Convention on International Trade in Endangered Species of Wild Fauna and Flora;

“**DNA**” has the same meaning as having been defined in the TOPS Regulations;

“**elephant ivory**” means ivory of *Loxodonta africana*;

“**enforcement purposes**” means the purpose of carrying out a restricted activity is aimed at enforcing the legal requirements of the Biodiversity Act and this notice, and may include the confiscation, possession and movement of specimens by enforcement officials;

“**finished part or product**” means any part of a dead specimen of a listed threatened or protected species that has been changed or transformed from its original form and is impossible of being further changed or transformed, and includes a finished product derived from such dead specimen;

“**listed threatened or protected species**” means a threatened or protected terrestrial species or freshwater species listed in terms of section 56 of the Biodiversity Act;

“**management purposes**” has the same meaning as having been defined in the TOPS Regulations;

“**raw elephant ivory**” has the same meaning as having been defined in the TOPS Regulations;

“**registered**” means registered in terms of the TOPS Regulations;

“**registered game farm**” means a game farm registered in terms of the TOPS Regulations;

“**rhinoceros horn**” has the same meaning as having been defined in the TOPS Regulations;

“**scientific purpose**” has the same meaning as having been defined in the TOPS Regulations;

“**selling or sell**” has the same meaning as having been defined in the TOPS Regulations, and buying shall be construed accordingly

“**TOPS Regulations**” means the regulations pertaining to listed threatened or protected terrestrial species and freshwater species and promulgated in terms of section 97 of the Biodiversity Act;

“**translocation**” has the same meaning as having been defined in the TOPS Regulations;

“veterinary purposes” means for the purpose of—

- (a) diagnosis, treatment, prevention of or advice on a disease, physiological or pathological condition;
- (b) applying a medical procedure, including a surgical or dental operation or procedure;
- (c) administering medicine;
- (d) determining the cause of death of an animal (post mortem); or
- (e) sedation of an animal for the purpose of restraining the animal via the use of an immobilising or tranquilising agent;

“wild specimen” has the same meaning as having been defined in the TOPS Regulations; and

“worked elephant ivory” has the same meaning as having been defined in the TOPS Regulations.

## 2. General exemptions

- (1) The following persons, or categories of persons, are exempt in terms of section 57(4) of the Biodiversity Act, from the restriction contemplated in section 57(1), involving specimens of listed threatened or protected species, applicable to the extent indicated below—
  - (a) Members of the South African Police Service, and members of the South African Revenue Service, Customs division, in relation to the carrying out of restricted activities, such as the acquisition/ receipt, possession, transport and disposal/ give of specimens, necessary for the confiscation and subsequent handling of such specimens, in the execution of their official duties;
  - (b) Any person, in relation to the carrying out of a restricted activity involving a dead specimen of a listed threatened or protected species, or a finished part or product of such specimen, provided that proof of legal acquisition of such dead specimen, or finished part or product can be provided, but excluding—
    - (i) a dead specimen, or finished part or product of such specimen, of the following species—
      - (aa) *Panthera pardus*;
      - (bb) *Panthera leo*;
      - (cc) *Acynonix jubatus*; and
      - (dd) *Lycaon pictus*;
    - (ii) elephant ivory and rhinoceros horn; and
    - (iii) freshwater fish species;
  - (c) Veterinarians, for the—
    - (i) darting of specimens of listed threatened or protected species, subject to the condition that the restricted activity or activities, as the case may be, associated with the darting is carried out in accordance with the requirements of the Biodiversity Act and its regulations; and
    - (ii) having in possession or exercising physical control, and transportation or movement of a specimen of a listed threatened or protected species, for veterinary purposes;
  - (d) Any person in relation to the export or re-export of a specimen of a listed threatened or protected species that is also included in the annexures of CITES, provided that a CITES permit has been issued in terms of section 57(1A) of the Biodiversity Act;
  - (e) Any person in relation to the translocation of a specimen of a listed threatened or protected species, subject to the following conditions—

- (i) such translocation is carried out only from one registered game farm to another registered game farm;
  - (ii) the species of the specimen to be translocated, is included in the registration certificate of both the registered game farm where the specimen is translocated from and the registered game farm where the specimen is to be translocated to;
  - (iii) a basic habitat assessment has been carried out by the issuing authority as part of the process to register the game farm onto which the specimen is to be released, prior to the translocation of such specimen;
  - (iv) the translocation of the specimen is done by a registered wildlife translocator;
  - (v) the registered wildlife translocator contemplated in subparagraph (e)(iv) and the owner of the registered game farm onto which the specimen is released, keep a register of such translocation; and
  - (vi) in the case where such specimen is to be translocated to a registered game farm that falls outside the natural distribution range of the particular species—
    - (aa) an assessment of the risks contemplated in regulation 79(1) of the TOPS Regulations has been conducted, and the information contemplated in regulation 16(3) of the TOPS Regulations has been submitted, for the registered game farm onto which the specimen is to be released, if required by the issuing authority, and for the cost of the owner of such registered game farm; and
    - (bb) the findings of the assessment of risks indicate no risk, or a risk that can be prevented or minimised, in relation to the translocation of such specimen.
- (2) The general exemption contemplated in subparagraph (1)(d) does not apply to a specimen of *Ceratotherium simum* or *Diceros bicornis*, or a specimen of an *Encephalartos* species.

### 3. General explanations—

- (1) The table below contains the following information—
  - (a) Column 1 – scientific and common names of listed threatened or protected species;
  - (b) Column 2 – specific restricted activities relating to specific listed threatened or protected species, prohibited in terms of section 57(2) of the Biodiversity Act; and
  - (c) Column 3 – specific restricted activities relating to specific listed threatened or protected species, exempted in terms of section 57(4) of the Biodiversity Act;
- (2) The contents of the table below must be read alongside any other prohibition published in the *Gazette* in terms of section 57(2) of the Biodiversity Act, or any other exemption published in the *Gazette* in terms of section 57(4) of the Biodiversity Act;
- (3) Any specific restricted activity relating to a specific listed threatened or protected species not included in either Column 2 or 3, or not prohibited or exempted as contemplated in subparagraph (2) above, must be regarded as requiring a permit in terms of section 57(1) of the Biodiversity Act;
- (4) The general exemptions contemplated in Paragraph 2 above must be read alongside the species-specific exemptions in the table below. In the case of conflict between a general exemption and a species-specific exemption, the species-specific exemption shall apply;
- (5) The provisions of this notice must be read alongside with the provisions of the TOPS Regulations;

- (6) If the carrying out of a restricted activity involving a listed threatened or protected species is generally exempt in terms of this notice, but such restricted activity is prohibited in certain circumstances in terms of the TOPS Regulations, such prohibition in terms of the TOPS Regulations remains valid;
- (7) When the nomenclature of a species that is included in this list of threatened or protected species is revised, the listed name of such species will continue to be applicable until this list is updated, and the TOPS Regulations will apply to all specimens that fit the description at the time of listing, even if a new scientific name is assigned to the particular species;
- (8) The provisions of this notice do not apply to the non-indigenous subspecies of a species that is listed as threatened or protected, unless such non-indigenous subspecies is specifically listed as a protected species in terms of section 56(1)(d) of the Biodiversity Act; and
- (9) A person who is exempt in terms of section 57(4) from a permit requirement contemplated in section 57(1) of the Biodiversity Act, is not absolved from obtaining a permit or authorization in terms of any other applicable legislation if so required.

**4. Short title and commencement**

This notice is called the list of terrestrial species and freshwater species that are threatened or protected; restricted activities that are prohibited; and restricted activities that are exempted, 2021, and takes effect on 01 April 2023.

**LIST OF TERRESTRIAL AND FRESHWATER SPECIES THAT ARE THREATENED OR PROTECTED, RESTRICTED ACTIVITIES THAT ARE PROHIBITED, AND RESTRICTED ACTIVITIES THAT ARE EXEMPTED**

INVERTEBRATE SPECIES		
Column 1 Species listed in terms of section 56(1)	Column 2 Restricted activities Prohibited in terms of section 57(2)	Column 3 Restricted activities Exempted in terms of section 57(4)
Scientific Name	Common Name	
<b>CRITICALLY ENDANGERED SPECIES</b>		
<i>Ceratogynus paulseni</i>	Paulsen's Horned Baboon Spider	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Hunting, catching, capturing or killing by any means, method or device whatsoever, including searching, pursuing, driving, lying in wait, luring, alluring, discharging a missile or injuring with intent to hunt, catch, capture or kill except catching, capturing or killing for scientific, conservation or enforcement purposes;</li> <li>Gathering and collecting, except for scientific, conservation or enforcement purposes; or</li> <li>Picking parts of, or cutting, damaging or destroying, except for scientific, conservation or enforcement purposes.</li> </ul>
<i>Colophon barnardi</i>	Barnard's Cape Stag Beetle	
<i>Colophon berrisfordi</i>	Berrisford's Cape Stag Beetle	
<i>Colophon endroedyi</i>	Endrody-Younga's Cape Stag Beetle	
<i>Colophon kawaii</i>	Kawai's Cape Stag Beetle	
<i>Colophon montisatris</i>	Swartberg Cape Stag Beetle	
<i>Colophon oweni</i>	Owen's Cape Stag Beetle	
<i>Colophon thunbergi</i>	Thunberg's Cape Stag Beetle	
<i>Colophon westwoodi</i>	Westwood's Cape Stag Beetle	



INVERTEBRATE SPECIES		
Column 1 Species listed in terms of section 56(1)	Column 2 Restricted activities Prohibited in terms of section 57(2)	Column 3 Restricted activities Exempted in terms of section 57(4)
Scientific Name	Common Name	
<i>Opisthophthalmus ater</i>	Steinkopf Burrowing Scorpion	
<i>Opisthophthalmus fuscipes</i>	Dark-legged Burrowing Scorpion	
<b>ENDANGERED SPECIES</b>		
<i>Colophon cameroni</i>	Cameron's Cape Stag Beetle	
<i>Colophon eastmani</i>	Eastman's Cape Stag Beetle	
<i>Colophon haughtoni</i>	Haughton's Cape Stag Beetle	
<i>Colophon izardi</i>	Izard's Cape Stag Beetle	
<i>Colophon neil</i>	Nel's Cape Stag Beetle	
<i>Colophon primosi</i>	Primos's Cape Stag Beetle	
<i>Colophon whitei</i>	White's Cape Stag Beetle	
<i>Idiothele mira</i>	Blue-footed Baboon Spider	
<i>Oonotus rex</i>	Regal Small Stag Beetle	
<i>Opisthophthalmus chaperi</i>	Chaper's Burrowing Scorpion	

INVERTEBRATE SPECIES		
Column 1 Species listed in terms of section 56(1)	Column 2 Restricted activities Prohibited in terms of section 57(2)	Column 3 Restricted activities Exempted in terms of section 57(4)
Scientific Name	Common Name	
<i>Opisththalmus intermedius</i>	Cape Mountain Burrowing Scorpion	
<i>Opisththalmus lairo</i>	Strandveld Burrowing Scorpion	
VULNERABLE SPECIES		
<i>Oonotus interforis</i>	Inland Small Stag Beetle	
FISH SPECIES		
Column 1 Species listed in terms of section 56(1)	Column 2 Restricted activities Prohibited in terms of section 57 (2)	Column 3 Restricted activities Exempted in terms of section 57(4)
Scientific Name	Common Name	
ENDANGERED SPECIES		
<i>Barbus andrewi</i>	Berg-Breede River Whitefish	The following restricted activities are exempted— <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Angling and release, or catching or capturing and release, of a live specimen, only if such specimen is released alive immediately subsequent to the angling, catching or capturing of such specimen, in the same water where it has been caught; and</li> </ul>
<i>Barbus serra</i>	Sawfin	
<i>Labeo seeberi</i>	Clanwilliam sandfish	
<i>Sardelia bainsii</i>	Eastern Cape rocky	
<i>Serranochromis meridianus</i>	Lowveld largemouth	

FISH SPECIES		
Column 1 Species listed in terms of section 56(1)	Column 2 Restricted activities Prohibited in terms of section 57 (2)	Column 3 Restricted activities Exempted in terms of section 57(d)
	<p>catchments within the natural range of such specimen, by an official of an organ of state responsible for the conservation of biodiversity, for conservation purposes;</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ on private land on which closed water is found, within the natural distribution range of such specimen; and</li> <li>○ by a registered low escape-risk scientific institution;</li> </ul> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Having in possession or exercising physical control over, or selling, excluding by—             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ a registered commercial exhibition facility for educational purposes;</li> <li>○ a registered low escape-risk scientific institution;</li> <li>○ an organ of state responsible for the conservation of biodiversity;</li> <li>○ a registered low escape-risk captive breeding facility, breeding such specimens for conservation or research facility; and</li> <li>○ an owner of private land on which closed water is found, within the natural distribution range of such specimen;</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Receiving of dead specimens by registered low escape-risk scientific institutions for research purposes.</li> </ul>

FISH SPECIES		
Column 1 Species listed in terms of section 56(1)	Column 2 Restricted activities Prohibited in terms of section 57 (2)	Column 3 Restricted activities Exempted in terms of section 57(4)
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Breeding, excluding by a registered low escape-risk captive breeding facility for conservation or research purposes;</li> <li>• Catching or capturing and killing, excluding—                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ by a registered low escape-risk scientific institution for scientific purposes; or</li> <li>○ under exceptional circumstances;</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Donating, or giving as a donation—                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ within the natural distribution range of such specimens, excluding by—                                     <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ a registered commercial exhibition facility for educational purposes;</li> <li>➤ a registered low escape-risk scientific institution;</li> <li>➤ an organ of state responsible for the conservation of biodiversity;</li> <li>➤ a registered low escape-risk captive breeding facility, breeding such specimens for conservation or research facility; and</li> <li>➤ an owner of private land on which closed water is found;</li> </ul> </li> <li>○ outside the natural distribution range</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	

FISH SPECIES		
Column 1 Species listed in terms of section 56(1)	Column 2 Restricted activities Prohibited in terms of section 57 (2)	Column 3 Restricted activities Exempted in terms of section 57(4)
	<p>of such specimens, excluding by—</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ a registered low escape-risk scientific institution to another registered low escape-risk scientific institution; or</li> <li>➤ an organ of state responsible for the conservation of biodiversity to a registered low escape-risk scientific institution;</li> </ul> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Buying, excluding by—               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ the owner of private land on which closed water is found, within the natural distribution range of such specimen; and</li> <li>○ a registered commercial exhibition facility; and</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Importing into the Republic; or exporting or re-exporting from the Republic, excluding importing to; or exporting or re-exporting from a registered low escape-risk scientific institution.</li> </ul> <p>The following restricted activities involving <u>dead specimens</u> are prohibited—</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Conveying, moving or otherwise translocating to; having in possession or exercising physical control over; selling or</li> </ul>	

FISH SPECIES	
Column 1 Species listed in terms of section 56(1)	Column 3 Restricted activities Exempted in terms of section 57(4)
Column 2 Restricted activities Prohibited in terms of section 57 (2)	
	<p>buying, giving or donating; receiving or accepting as a donation; excluding by—</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>o a registered commercial exhibition facility for educational purposes;</li> <li>o a registered scientific institution;</li> <li>o an organ of state responsible for the conservation of biodiversity;</li> <li>o a registered captive breeding facility, authorised to breed such specimens for conservation or research facility; and</li> <li>o an owner of private land on which closed water is found, within the natural distribution range of such specimen.</li> </ul>
VULNERABLE SPECIES	
<p><i>Laboobarbus capensis</i></p>	<p>Clanwilliam yellowfish</p>
	<p>The following restricted activities involving <u>live</u> specimens are prohibited—</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Conveying, moving or otherwise translocating to; and release, excluding— <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>o within the same catchment of such specimen;</li> <li>o in a natural aquatic system outside the natural distribution range of such specimen, or between different catchments within the natural range of such specimen, by an official of an</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
	<p>The following restricted activities are exempted—</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Angling and release, or catching or capturing and release, of a live specimen, only if such specimen is released alive immediately subsequent to the angling, catching or capturing of such specimen, in the same water where it has been caught; and</li> <li>• Receiving of dead specimens by registered low escape-risk scientific</li> </ul>

FISH SPECIES		
Column 1 Species listed in terms of section 56(1)	Column 2 Restricted activities Prohibited in terms of section 57 (2)	Column 3 Restricted activities Exempted in terms of section 57(4)
	<p>organ of state responsible for the conservation of biodiversity, for conservation purposes;</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ on private land on which closed water is found, within the natural distribution range of such specimen; and</li> <li>○ by a registered low escape-risk scientific institution;</li> </ul> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Having in possession or exercising physical control over, or selling, excluding by—                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ a registered commercial exhibition facility for educational purposes;</li> <li>○ a registered low escape-risk scientific institution;</li> <li>○ an organ of state responsible for the conservation of biodiversity;</li> <li>○ a registered low escape-risk captive breeding facility, breeding such specimens for conservation or research facility; and</li> <li>○ an owner of private land on which closed water is found, within the natural distribution range of such specimen;</li> </ul> </li> <li>● Breeding, excluding by a registered low escape-risk captive breeding facility for</li> </ul>	<p>institutions for research purposes.</p>

FISH SPECIES		
Column 1 Species listed in terms of section 56(1)	Column 2 Restricted activities Prohibited in terms of section 57 (2)	Column 3 Restricted activities Exempted in terms of section 57(4)
	<p>conservation or research purposes;</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Catching or capturing and killing, excluding—               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ by a registered low escape-risk scientific institution for scientific purposes; or</li> <li>○ under exceptional circumstances;</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Donating, or giving as a donation—               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ within the natural distribution range of such specimens, excluding by—                   <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ a registered commercial exhibition facility for educational purposes;</li> <li>➤ a registered low escape-risk scientific institution;</li> <li>➤ an organ of state responsible for the conservation of biodiversity;</li> <li>➤ a registered low escape-risk captive breeding facility, breeding such specimens for conservation or research facility; and</li> <li>➤ an owner of private land on which closed water is found;</li> </ul> </li> <li>○ outside the natural distribution range of such specimens, excluding by—                   <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ a registered low escape-risk</li> </ul> </li> </ul> </li> </ul>	



FISH SPECIES		
Column 1 Species listed in terms of section 56(1)	Column 2 Restricted activities Prohibited in terms of section 57 (2)	
Column 3 Restricted activities Exempted in terms of section 57(4)		
	<p>scientific institution to another registered low escape-risk scientific institution; or</p> <p>➤ an organ of state responsible for the conservation of biodiversity to a registered low escape-risk scientific institution;</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Buying, excluding by—               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ the owner of private land on which closed water is found, within the natural distribution range of such specimen; and</li> <li>○ a registered commercial exhibition facility; and</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Importing into the Republic; or exporting or re-exporting from the Republic, excluding importing to; or exporting or re-exporting from a registered low escape-risk scientific institution.</li> </ul> <p>The following restricted activities involving <u>dead specimens</u> are prohibited—</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Conveying, moving or otherwise translocating to; having in possession or exercising physical control over; selling or buying; giving or donating; receiving or accepting as a donation; excluding by—</li> </ul>	

FISH SPECIES	
Column 1 Species listed in terms of section 56(1)	Column 3 Restricted activities Exempted in terms of section 57(4)
<p>Column 2 Restricted activities Prohibited in terms of section 57 (2)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>o a registered commercial exhibition facility for educational purposes;</li> <li>o a registered scientific institution;</li> <li>o an organ of state responsible for the conservation of biodiversity;</li> <li>o a registered captive breeding facility, authorised to breed such specimens for conservation or research facility; and</li> <li>o an owner of private land on which closed water is found, within the natural distribution range of such specimen.</li> </ul>	
PROTECTED SPECIES	
<p><i>Laboobarbus kimberleyensis</i></p> <p>Vaal-Orange largemouth yellowfish</p>	<p>The following restricted activities are exempted—</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Angling and release, or catching or capturing and release, of a live specimen, only if such specimen is released alive immediately subsequent to the angling, catching or capturing of such specimen, in the same water where it has been caught; and</li> <li>• Receiving of dead specimens by registered low escape-risk scientific institutions for research purposes.</li> </ul>
<p>The following restricted activities involving <u>live</u> specimens are prohibited—</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Conveying, moving or otherwise translocating to; and release, excluding—</li> <li>o within the same catchment of such specimen;</li> <li>o in a natural aquatic system outside the natural distribution range of such specimen, or between different catchments within the natural range of such specimen, by an official of an organ of state responsible for the</li> </ul>	

FISH SPECIES		
Column 1 Species listed in terms of section 56(1)	Column 2 Restricted activities Prohibited in terms of section 57 (2)	Column 3 Restricted activities Exempted in terms of section 57(4)
	<p>conservation of biodiversity, for conservation purposes;</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ on private land on which closed water is found, within the natural distribution range of such specimen; and</li> <li>○ by a registered low escape-risk scientific institution;</li> </ul> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Having in possession or exercising physical control over, or selling, excluding by—                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ a registered commercial exhibition facility for educational purposes;</li> <li>○ a registered low escape-risk scientific institution;</li> <li>○ an organ of state responsible for the conservation of biodiversity;</li> <li>○ a registered low escape-risk captive breeding facility, breeding such specimens for conservation or research facility; and</li> <li>○ an owner of private land on which closed water is found, within the natural distribution range of such specimen;</li> </ul> </li> <li>● Breeding, excluding by a registered low escape-risk captive breeding facility for conservation or research purposes;</li> </ul>	

FISH SPECIES		
Column 1 Species listed in terms of section 56(1)	Column 2 Restricted activities Prohibited in terms of section 57 (2)	Column 3 Restricted activities Exempted in terms of section 57(4)
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Catching or capturing and killing, excluding—                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ by a registered low escape-risk scientific institution for scientific purposes; or</li> <li>○ under exceptional circumstances;</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Donating, or giving as a donation—                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ within the natural distribution range of such specimens, excluding by—                                     <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ a registered commercial exhibition facility for educational purposes;</li> <li>➤ a registered low escape-risk scientific institution;</li> <li>➤ an organ of state responsible for the conservation of biodiversity;</li> <li>➤ a registered low escape-risk captive breeding facility, breeding such specimens for conservation or research facility; and</li> <li>➤ an owner of private land on which closed water is found;</li> </ul> </li> <li>○ outside the natural distribution range of such specimens, excluding by—                                     <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ a registered low escape-risk scientific institution to another</li> </ul> </li> </ul> </li> </ul>	

FISH SPECIES		
Column 1 Species listed in terms of section 56(1)	Column 2 Restricted activities Prohibited in terms of section 57 (2)	Column 3 Restricted activities Exempted in terms of section 57(4)
	<p>registered low escape-risk scientific institution; or</p> <p>➤ an organ of state responsible for the conservation of biodiversity to a registered low escape-risk scientific institution;</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Buying, excluding by—               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ the owner of private land on which closed water is found, within the natural distribution range of such specimen; and</li> <li>○ a registered commercial exhibition facility; and</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Importing into the Republic; or exporting or re-exporting from the Republic, excluding importing to; or exporting or re-exporting from a registered low escape-risk scientific institution.</li> </ul> <p>The following restricted activities involving <u>dead specimens</u> are prohibited—</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Conveying, moving or otherwise translocating to; having in possession or exercising physical control over; selling or buying; giving or donating; receiving or accepting as a donation; excluding by—               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ a registered commercial exhibition</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	

FISH SPECIES		
Column 1 Species listed in terms of section 55(1)	Column 2 Restricted activities Prohibited in terms of section 57 (2)	Column 3 Restricted activities Exempted in terms of section 57(4)
	facility for educational purposes; o a registered scientific institution; o an organ of state responsible for the conservation of biodiversity; o a registered captive breeding facility, authorised to breed such specimens for conservation or research facility; and o an owner of private land on which closed water is found, within the natural distribution range of such specimen.	

REPTILE SPECIES		
Column 1 Species listed in terms of Section 56(1)	Column 2 Restricted activities Prohibited in terms of Section 57(2)	Column 3 Restricted activities Exempted in terms of Section 57(4)
CRITICALLY ENDANGERED SPECIES		
Scientific Name	Common Name	
<i>Bitis albanica</i>	Albany Adder	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Hunting, catching, capturing or killing by any means, method or device whatsoever, including searching, pursuing, driving, lying in wait, luring, alluring, discharging a missile or injuring with intent to hunt, catch, capture or kill</li> </ul>
<i>Pachydactylus rangei</i>	Namib Web-footed Gecko	
<i>Psammodromus geometricus</i>	Geometric Tortoise	

REPTILE SPECIES		
Column 1 Species listed in terms of Section 56(1)	Column 2 Restricted activities Prohibited in terms of Section 57(2)	Column 3 Restricted activities Exempted in terms of Section 57(4)
	except catching, capturing or killing for scientific, conservation or enforcement purposes.	
<b>VULNERABLE SPECIES</b>		
<i>Bitis armata</i>	Southern Adder	
<i>Bradypodion thamnobates</i>	Natal Midlands Dwarf Chameleon	
<i>Crocodylus niloticus</i>	Nile Crocodile	
<i>Dendroaspis angusticeps</i>	Eastern Green Mamba	
<i>Homopus signatus</i>	Speckled tortoise	
<i>Pachydactylus goodi</i>	Goods Gecko	
<i>Smaug giganteus</i>	Sungazer	
<b>PROTECTED SPECIES</b>		
<i>Bitis atropos</i>	Berg Adder	
<i>Bitis cornuta</i>	Many Horned Adder	
<i>Bitis gabonica</i>	Gaboon Adder	
<i>Bitis rubida</i>	Red Adder	

REPTILE SPECIES		
Column 1 Species listed in terms of Section 56(1)	Column 2 Restricted activities Prohibited in terms of Section 57(2)	Column 3 Restricted activities Exempted in terms of Section 57(4)
<i>Bifis schneideri</i>	Namaqua Dwarf Adder	
<i>Bifis xeropaga</i>	Desert Mountain Adder	
<i>Cordylus imkeae</i>	Rooiberg Girdled Lizard	
<i>Cordylus macropholis</i>	Large-scaled Lizard	
<i>Python natalensis</i>	Southern African Python	
BIRD SPECIES		
Column 1 Species listed in terms of Section 56(1)	Column 2 Restricted activities Prohibited in terms of Section 57(2)	Column 3 Restricted activities Exempted in terms of Section 57(4)
Scientific Name	Common Name	
<i>Bugeranus carunculatus</i>	Wattled Crane	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Hunting, catching, capturing or killing by any means, method or device whatsoever, including searching, pursuing, driving, lying in wait, luring, alluring, discharging a missile or injuring with intent to hunt, catch, capture or kill except catching, capturing or killing for scientific, conservation or enforcement</li> </ul>
<i>Falco fasciinucha</i>	Taita Falcon	
<i>Gypaetus barbatus</i>	Bearded Vulture	
<i>Neophron percnopterus</i>	Egyptian Vulture	
CRITICALLY ENDANGERED SPECIES		



BIRD SPECIES		
Column 1 Species listed in terms of Section 56(1)	Column 2 Restricted activities Prohibited in terms of Section 57(2)	Column 3 Restricted activities Exempted in terms of Section 57(4)
	purposes.	
<b>ENDANGERED SPECIES</b>		
<i>Aegypius occipitalis</i>	White-headed Vulture	
<i>Aquila rapax</i>	Tawny Eagle	
<i>Aegypius tracheliotos</i>	Lappet-faced Vulture	
<i>Balearica regulorum</i>	Grey Crowned Crane	
<i>Buconus leadbeateri</i>	Southern Ground-Hornbill	
<i>Gyps africanus</i>	White-backed Vulture	
<i>Gyps coprotheres</i>	Cape Vulture	
<i>Necrosyrtes monachus</i>	Hooded Vulture	
<i>Neotis ludwigii</i>	Ludwig's Bustard	
<i>Poicephalus robustus</i>	Cape Parrot	
<i>Polemaetus bellicosus</i>	Martial Eagle	
<i>Terathopius ecaudatus</i>	Bateleur	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Hunting, catching, capturing or killing by any means, method or device whatsoever, including searching, pursuing, driving, lying in wait, luring, alluring, discharging a missile or injuring with intent to hunt, catch, capture or kill except catching, capturing or killing for scientific, conservation or enforcement purposes.</li> </ul>	

BIRD SPECIES		Column 3 Restricted activities Exempted in terms of Section 57(4)
Column 1 Species listed in terms of Section 56(1)	Column 2 Restricted activities Prohibited in terms of Section 57(2)	
<b>VULNERABLE SPECIES</b>		
<i>Geronticus calvus</i>	Southern Bald Ibis	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Hunting, catching, capturing or killing by any means, method or device whatsoever, including searching, pursuing, driving, lying in wait, luring, alluring, discharging a missile or injuring with intent to hunt, catch, capture or kill except catching, capturing or killing for scientific, conservation or enforcement purposes.</li> </ul>
<i>Neofelis denhami</i>	Denham's Bustard	
<b>PROTECTED SPECIES</b>		
<i>Anthropoides paradiseus</i>	Blue Crane	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Hunting, catching, capturing or killing by any means, method or device whatsoever, including searching, pursuing, driving, lying in wait, luring, alluring, discharging a missile or injuring with intent to hunt, catch, capture or kill except catching, capturing or killing for scientific, conservation or enforcement purposes.</li> </ul>
<i>Ardeotis kori</i>	Kori Bustard	
<i>Poicephalus fuscicollis suahelicus</i>	Grey-headed Parrot	

MAMMAL SPECIES		Column 3 Restricted activities Exempted in terms of section 57(4)
Column 1 Species listed in terms of section 56(1)	Column 2 Restricted activities Prohibited in terms of section 57(2)	
<b>MAMMAL SPECIES</b>		

CRITICALLY ENDANGERED SPECIES	
Scientific Name	Common Name
<i>Bunolagus monticularis</i>	Riverine Rabbit <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Hunting, catching, capturing or killing by any means, method or device whatsoever, including searching, pursuing, driving, lying in wait, luring, alluring, discharging a missile or injuring with intent to hunt, catch, capture or kill except catching, capturing or killing for scientific, conservation or enforcement purposes.</li> </ul>
ENDANGERED SPECIES	
<i>Diceros bicornis bicornis</i>	South Western Black Rhinoceros <p>Selling or donating of an imported specimen that does not originate from a commercial captive breeding facility registered with the CITES Secretariat.</p>
<i>Hippotragus equinus</i>	Southern Roan Antelope <p>In relation to an extensive wildlife system—</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Having in possession or exercising physical control over specimens, excluding having in possession of specimens in a controlled environment within the extensive wildlife system; or</li> <li>• Causing specimens to multiply.</li> </ul> <p>In relation to a registered game farm—</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Hunting, including searching, pursuing, driving, lying in wait, luring, alluring, discharging a missile or injuring with intent to hunt, subject to the condition that the owner of the property on which a specimen was hunted keeps a register</li> </ul>

MAMMAL SPECIES		Column 3 Restricted activities Exempted in terms of section 57(4)
Column 1 Species listed in terms of section 56(1)	Column 2 Restricted activities Prohibited in terms of section 57(2)	Column 3 Restricted activities Exempted in terms of section 57(4)
Scientific Name	Common Name	Restricted activities Exempted in terms of section 57(4)
<i>Lycaon pictus</i>	African Wild Dog	containing the following information— (i) name and physical address of the hunter; (ii) particulars of the species, and number and sex of specimens hunted; and (iii) date on which the specimens were hunted, • Catching or capturing; • Translocation in accordance with the conditions contemplated in Paragraph 2(1)(e) of this Notice; • Releasing; or • Breeding or in any way causing specimens to multiply.
<i>Nesotragus moschatus zuluensis</i>	Suni	
		In relation to an extensive wildlife system— • Having in possession or exercising physical control over specimens, excluding having in possession of specimens in a controlled environment within the extensive wildlife system; or • Causing specimens to multiply.

MAMMAL SPECIES		Column 3
Column 1	Column 2	Restricted activities
Species listed in terms of section 56(1)	Restricted activities	Exempted in terms of section 57(4)
Scientific Name	Common Name	
VULNERABLE SPECIES		
<i>Acinonyx jubatus</i>	Cheetah	In relation to an extensive wildlife system— <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Having in possession or exercising physical control over specimens, excluding having in possession of specimens in a controlled environment within the extensive wildlife system; or</li> <li>• Causing specimens to multiply.</li> </ul>
<i>Cercopithecus albogularis labiatus</i>	Samango Monkey	Selling or donating of an imported specimen that does not originate from a commercial captive breeding facility registered with the CITES Secretariat.
<i>Diceros bicornis minor</i>	South Central Black Rhinoceros	Selling or donating of an imported specimen that does not originate from a commercial captive breeding facility registered with the CITES Secretariat.
<i>Felis nigripes</i>	Black-footed Cat	In relation to an extensive wildlife system— <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Having in possession or exercising physical control over specimens, excluding having in possession of specimens in a controlled environment within the extensive wildlife system; or</li> <li>• Causing specimens to multiply.</li> </ul>
<i>Hippotragus niger niger</i>	Sable Antelope	In relation to an extensive wildlife system— <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Having in possession or exercising physical control over specimens, excluding having in</li> </ul>

MAMMAL SPECIES		
Column 1 Species listed in terms of section 56(1)	Column 2 Restricted activities Prohibited in terms of section 57(2)	Column 3 Restricted activities Exempted in terms of section 57(4)
Scientific Name	Common Name	
		<p>possession of specimens in a controlled environment within the extensive wildlife system; or</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Causing specimens to multiply.</li> </ul> <p>In relation to a registered game farm—</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Hunting, including searching, pursuing, driving, lying in wait, luring, alluring, discharging a missile or injuring with intent to hunt, subject to the condition that the owner of the property on which a specimen was hunted keeps a register containing the following information—                     <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) name and physical address of the hunter;</li> <li>(ii) particulars of the species, and number and sex of specimens hunted; and</li> <li>(iii) date on which the specimens were hunted,</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Catching or capturing;</li> <li>• Translocation in accordance with the conditions contemplated in Paragraph 2(1)(e) of this Notice;</li> <li>• Releasing; or</li> <li>• Breeding or in any way causing</li> </ul>

MAMMAL SPECIES		Column 3
Column 1	Column 2	Restricted activities Exempted in terms of section 57(4)
Species listed in terms of section 56(1)	Restricted activities Prohibited in terms of section 57(2)	
Scientific Name	Common Name	
<i>Ourebia ourebi</i>	Oribi	specimens to multiply.
<i>Smutsia temminckii</i>	Pangolin	In relation to an extensive wildlife system— <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Having in possession or exercising physical control over specimens, excluding having in possession of specimens in a controlled environment within the extensive wildlife system; or</li> <li>• Causing specimens to multiply.</li> </ul>
<i>Philantomba monticola</i>	Blue Duiker	
PROTECTED SPECIES		
Species listed because of their high conservation value and of national importance		
<i>Ceratotherium simum simum</i>	Southern White Rhinoceros	In relation to an extensive wildlife system— <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Causing specimens to multiply.</li> </ul>
<i>Crocuta crocuta</i>	Spotted Hyaena	In relation to an extensive wildlife system— <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Having in possession or exercising physical control over specimens, excluding having in possession of specimens in a controlled environment within the extensive wildlife system; or</li> <li>• Causing specimens to multiply.</li> </ul>
<i>Diceros bicornis michaeli</i>	Eastern Black Rhinoceros	In relation to an extensive wildlife system— <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Causing specimens to multiply.</li> </ul>

MAMMAL SPECIES		Column 3 Restricted activities Exempted in terms of section 57(4)	
Column 1 Species listed in terms of section 56(1)	Column 2 Restricted activities Prohibited in terms of section 57(2)		
Scientific Name	Common Name		
<i>Hyaena brunnea</i>	Brown Hyaena	In relation to an extensive wildlife system— <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Having in possession or exercising physical control over specimens, excluding having in possession of specimens in a controlled environment within the extensive wildlife system; or</li> <li>• Causing specimens to multiply.</li> </ul>	
<i>Leptailurus serval</i>	Serval		
<i>Loxodonta Africana</i>	African Elephant		
<i>Orycteropus afer</i>	Aardvark		
<i>Otocyon megalotis</i>	Bat-eared Fox		
<i>Panthera leo</i>	Lion		
<i>Vulpes chama</i>	Cape Fox		
<i>Panthera pardus</i>	Leopard		
			Selling or donating of an imported specimen that does not originate from a commercial captive breeding facility registered with the CITES Secretariat.
PROTECTED SPECIES			
Species listed to ensure that they are managed in an ecologically sustainable manner			
		In respect of any facility— <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Conveying, moving or otherwise translocating a specimen that is a hybrid;</li> </ul>	
<i>Connochaetes grou</i>	Black Wildebeest		
<i>Connochaetes taurinus taurinus</i>	Blue Wildebeest	Any restricted activity, in relation to any facility, are exempt, <u>excluding</u> — <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Hunting of a specimen of <i>Damaliscus</i></li> </ul>	



MAMMAL SPECIES		Column 3 Restricted activities Exempted in terms of section 57(4)
Column 1 Species listed in terms of section 56(1)	Column 2 Restricted activities Prohibited in terms of section 57(2)	
Scientific Name	Common Name	
<i>Damaliscus lunatus lunatus</i>	Tsessebe	<p>or</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Conveying, moving or otherwise translocating a specimen to a property where specimens of another species with which it is likely to hybridize, occur, if no measures have been implemented to prevent hybridization.</li> </ul>
<i>Damaliscus pygargus phillipsi</i>	Blesbok	
<i>Damaliscus pygargus pygargus</i>	Bontebok	<p>pygargus, and a specimen of <i>Equus zebra zebra</i>;</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Keeping a specimen of the listed species, if kept on the same property as specimens of another species with which it is likely to hybridize; or</li> <li>Possessing or exercising physical control over an imported specimen or the off-spring of such imported specimen.</li> </ul>
<i>Equus zebra hartmannae</i>	Hartmann's Mountain Zebra	
<i>Equus quegga burchellii</i>	Plains zebra	
<i>Equus zebra zebra</i>	Cape Mountain Zebra	

PLANTS (EXCLUDING CYCADS & MEDICINAL PLANTS)	
Column 1 Species listed in terms of section 55(1)	Column 2 Restricted activities Prohibited in terms of section 57(2)
Scientific Name	Common Name
<b>CRITICALLY ENDANGERED SPECIES</b>	
<i>Cheiridopsis peculiaris</i>	The following restricted activities involving <u>wild</u> specimens or specimens of wild origin, <u>excluding</u> seeds and flowers, are prohibited, <u>except</u> for scientific, conservation or enforcement purposes—
<i>Conophytum herreanthus</i> subsp. <i>herreanthus</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Gathering, collecting or plucking;</li> <li>• Picking parts of, or cutting, chopping off, uprooting, damaging or destroying;</li> <li>• Exporting or re-exporting from the Republic;</li> <li>• Conveying, moving or otherwise translocating;</li> <li>• Having in possession or exercising physical control over; or</li> <li>• Selling or otherwise trading in, buying, receiving, giving, donating or accepting as a gift, or in any way acquiring or disposing of.</li> </ul>
<i>Cyclopla longifolia</i>	
<i>Erica verticillata</i>	
<i>Euphorbia groenewaldii</i>	
<i>Gasteria armstrongii</i>	
<i>Gibbaeum album</i>	
<i>Gibbaeum nebrownii</i>	
<i>Haworthia parksiana</i>	
<i>Haworthiopsis woolleyi</i>	
<i>Lachenalia viridiflora</i>	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• All restricted activities involving artificially propagated specimens of the following species, except having in possession or exercising physical control over, and growing, breeding or in any other way propagating—                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ <i>Euphorbia groenewaldii</i>;</li> <li>○ <i>Gibbaeum album</i>;</li> <li>○ <i>Gibbaeum nebrownii</i>;</li> <li>○ <i>Haworthiopsis woolleyi</i>; or</li> <li>○ <i>Pleiospilos simulans</i>; or</li> </ul> </li> <li>• For the remainder of the species listed as Critically Endangered all restricted activities involving artificially propagated specimens, except growing, breeding or in any other way propagating.</li> </ul>
	Column 3 Restricted activities Exempted in terms of section 57(4)

PLANTS (EXCLUDING CYCADS & MEDICINAL PLANTS)		Column 3 Restricted activities Exempted in terms of section 57(4)
Column 1 Species listed in terms of section 56(1)	Column 2 Restricted activities Prohibited in terms of section 57(2)	
Scientific Name	Common Name	
<i>Pleiospilos similans</i>		
<i>Tanquana himarii</i>		
<b>ENDANGERED SPECIES</b>		
<i>Aloe peglerae</i>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>All restricted activities involving artificially propagated specimens, except growing, breeding or in any other way propagating.</li> </ul>
<i>Alcidendron pillansii</i>		<p>The following restricted activities involving <u>wild specimens or specimens of wild origin, excluding seeds and flowers, are prohibited, except for scientific, conservation or enforcement purposes—</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Gathering, collecting or plucking;</li> <li>Picking parts of, or cutting, chopping off, uprooting, damaging or destroying;</li> <li>Exporting or re-exporting from the Republic;</li> <li>Conveying, moving or otherwise translocating;</li> <li>Having in possession or exercising physical control over; or</li> <li>Selling or otherwise trading in, buying, receiving, giving, donating or accepting as a gift, or in any way acquiring or disposing of.</li> </ul>
<i>Brunsvigia radula</i>		
<i>Cyclopia plicata</i>		
<i>Erica irregularis</i>		
<i>Euphorbia obesa</i>		
<i>Euphorbia perangusta</i>		
<i>Euphorbia susannae</i>		
<i>Haemanthus canaliculatus</i>		
<i>Haemanthus graniticus</i>		

PLANTS (EXCLUDING CYCADS & MEDICINAL PLANTS)		
Column 1 Species listed in terms of section 56(1)	Column 2 Restricted activities Prohibited in terms of section 57(2)	Column 3 Restricted activities Exempted in terms of section 57(4)
Scientific Name	Common Name	
<i>Haemanthus nortieri</i>		
<i>Haemanthus pumilio</i>		
<i>Haworthiopsis bruynsii</i>		
<i>Ixia viridiflora</i>		
<i>Leucadendron elimense</i> subsp. <i>elimense</i>		
<i>Leucadendron laxum</i>		
<i>Leucospermum formosum</i>		
<i>Leucospermum grandiflorum</i>		
<i>Lithops dorotheae</i>		
<i>Mimetes capitulatus</i>		
<i>Pelargonium ellaphieae</i>		
<i>Protea pudens</i>		
<i>Scoletium strictum</i>		

PLANTS (EXCLUDING CYCADS & MEDICINAL PLANTS)		Column 3 Restricted activities Exempted in terms of section 57(4)
Column 1 Species listed in terms of section 56(1)	Column 2 Restricted activities Prohibited in terms of section 57(2)	
Scientific Name	Common Name	
<i>Tulista kingiana</i>		
<i>Tulista marginata</i>		
<i>Vachellia ebutisiorum</i>		
<b>VULNERABLE SPECIES</b>		
<i>Aloe brevifolia</i>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>All restricted activities involving artificially propagated specimens, except growing, breeding or in any other way propagating.</li> </ul>
<i>Alouedron dichotomum</i>		<p>The following restricted activities involving <u>wild</u> specimens or specimens of wild origin, excluding seeds and flowers, are prohibited, except for scientific, conservation or enforcement purposes—</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Gathering, collecting or plucking;</li> <li>Picking parts of, or cutting, chopping off, uprooting, damaging or destroying;</li> <li>Exporting or re-exporting from the Republic;</li> <li>Conveying, moving or otherwise translocating;</li> <li>Having in possession or exercising physical control over; or</li> <li>Selling or otherwise trading in, buying, receiving, giving, donating or accepting</li> </ul>
<i>Bonatea lamprophylla</i>		
<i>Brachystelma incanum</i>		
<i>Brunsvigia herrei</i>		
<i>Conophytum bachelorum</i>		
<i>Conophytum ratum</i>		
<i>Cotyledon tomentosa</i> subsp. <i>ladismithiensis</i>		

PLANTS (EXCLUDING CYCADS & MEDICINAL PLANTS)		
Column 1 Species listed in terms of section 56(1)	Column 2 Restricted activities Prohibited in terms of section 57(2)	Column 3 Restricted activities Exempted in terms of section 57(4)
Scientific Name	Common Name	
<i>Cyrtanthus carneus</i>		
<i>Diaphanathe millarii</i>		
<i>Disa longicornu</i>		
<i>Disa lugens</i>		
<i>Euphorbia fasciculata</i>		
<i>Euphorbia pseudoglobosa</i>		
<i>Haworthia floribunda</i>		
<i>Haworthia lockwoodii</i>		
<i>Haworthia truncata</i>		
<i>Leucadendron discolor</i>		
<i>Leucadendron linifolium</i>		
<i>Mimetes hirtus</i>		
<i>Orothamnus zeyheri</i>		

as a gift, or in any way acquiring or disposing of.

PLANTS (EXCLUDING CYCADS & MEDICINAL PLANTS)	
Column 1 Species listed in terms of section 56(1)	Column 3 Restricted activities Exempted in terms of section 57(4)
Scientific Name	Common Name
<i>Paranomus longicaulis</i>	
<i>Pleiospilos botusii</i>	
<i>Strelitzia juncea</i>	
<i>Zantedeschia jucunda</i>	
<i>Zantedeschia pentlandii</i>	
PROTECTED SPECIES	
<i>Aloe krapohliliana</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>All restricted activities involving artificially propagated specimens, except growing, breeding or in any other way propagating.</li> </ul>
<i>Aloe longistyla</i>	
<i>Aloe thraskii</i>	
<i>Cyclopia genistooides</i>	
<i>Cyclopia intermedia</i>	
<i>Cyclopia maculata</i>	
<i>Cyclopia subternata</i>	
<i>Cyclopia subternata</i>	

PLANTS (EXCLUDING CYCADS & MEDICINAL PLANTS)		
Column 1 Species listed in terms of section 56(1)	Column 2 Restricted activities Prohibited in terms of section 57(2)	Column 3 Restricted activities Exempted in terms of section 57(4)
Scientific Name	Common Name	
<i>Cyrtanthus herrei</i>		
<i>Disa uniflora</i>		
<i>Euphorbia meloformis</i>		
<i>Haworthia blackburniae</i>		
<i>Leucospermum truncatum</i>		
<i>Pachypodium bispinosum</i>		
<i>Pachypodium succulentum</i>		
<i>Sceletium tortuosum</i>		



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Column 1 Species listed in terms of Section 56(1)	Column 2 Restricted activities. Prohibited in terms of Section 57(2)	Column 3 Restricted activities Exempted in terms of Section 57(4)
Scientific Name	Common Name	
<i>Encephalartos aemulans</i>		<p>The following restricted activities involving artificially propagated specimens—</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Gathering, collecting or plucking;</li> <li>• Picking parts of, or cutting, chopping off, uprooting, damaging or destroying;</li> <li>• Selling, giving, donating or in any way disposing of a seedling with a stem diameter of 15 cm or less by a registered nursery, of the following species—               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ <i>E. aemulans</i>;</li> <li>○ <i>E. dyerianus</i>;</li> <li>○ <i>E. middeldburgensis</i>; or</li> <li>○ <i>E. nubimontanus</i>;</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Selling, donating or in any way disposing of seedlings with a stem diameter of 7 cm or less by a registered nursery, of the following species:               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ <i>E. cupidus</i>; or</li> <li>○ <i>E. cerinus</i>;</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Buying, receiving as a gift or donation, or in any way acquiring, a seedling with a stem diameter of 15 cm or less, or 7</li> </ul>
<i>Encephalartos brevifoliolatus</i>		
<i>Encephalartos cerinus</i>		
<i>Encephalartos cupidus</i>		
<i>Encephalartos dolomiticus</i>		
<i>Encephalartos dyerianus</i>		
<i>Encephalartos heenanii</i>		
<i>Encephalartos hirsutus</i>		
<i>Encephalartos inopinus</i>		
<i>Encephalartos laevifolius</i>		
<i>Encephalartos latifrons</i>		
<i>Encephalartos middeldburgensis</i>		

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Column 1 Species listed in terms of Section 56(1)	Column 2 Restricted activities Prohibited in terms of Section 57(2)
Scientific Name	Common Name
<i>Encephalartos msinganus</i>	
<i>Encephalartos nubimontanus</i>	
<i>Encephalartos woodii</i>	

cm or less in the case of *E. cupidus* and *E. cerrinus*, and possession and transport of such seedling, subject to the following conditions—

- The seedlings may be purchased, received or acquired only from a registered nursery or a person who is lawfully selling the specimens;
- Proof of purchase or acquisition must be retained;
- Size (stem diameter and height of the stem) must be indicated on the proof of purchase or acquisition;
- Number of selling permit (where applicable) must be indicated on the proof of purchase; and
- A possession permit must be obtained when the seedling reaches the size of an adult plant; or
- Buying, receiving as a gift or donation, or in any way acquiring of an adult specimen, and transport and possession of such adult specimen, subject to the following conditions—
  - Adult specimens may only be

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Scientific Name	Common Name
	<p>purchased from a registered nursery;</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Proof of purchase must be retained;</li> <li>○ Size of the specimen (stem diameter and height of the stem) must be indicated on the proof of purchase;</li> <li>○ Number of the selling permit must be indicated on the proof of purchase; and</li> <li>○ A possession permit to be applied for within 30 days of purchase.</li> </ul>
<b>ENDANGERED SPECIES</b>	
<i>Encephalartos arenarius</i>	<p>The following restricted activities involving artificially propagated specimens—</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Gathering, collecting or plucking;</li> <li>● Picking parts of, or cutting, chopping off, uprooting, damaging or destroying;</li> <li>● Conveying, moving or otherwise translocating of seedlings with a stem diameter of 15 cm or less, subject to proof of legal acquisition;</li> <li>● Selling, giving, donating or in any way disposing of a seedling of <i>E. lebomboensis</i> with a stem diameter of</li> </ul>
<i>Encephalartos eugene-maraisii</i>	
<i>Encephalartos horridus</i>	
<i>Encephalartos lebomboensis</i>	

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Column 1 Species listed in terms of Section 56(1)	Column 2 Restricted activities Prohibited in terms of Section 57(2)	Column 3 Restricted activities Exempted in terms of Section 57(4)
Scientific Name	Common Name	
		<p>15 cm or less, by a registered nursery;</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Buying, receiving as a gift or donation, or in any way acquiring, a seedling with a stem diameter of 15 cm or less, and possession and transport of such seedling, subject to the following conditions— <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ The seedlings may be purchased, received or acquired only from a registered nursery or a person who is lawfully selling the specimens;</li> <li>○ Proof of purchase or acquisition must be retained;</li> <li>○ Size (stem diameter and height of the stem) must be indicated on the proof of purchase or acquisition;</li> <li>○ Number of selling permit (where applicable) must be indicated on the proof of purchase; and</li> <li>○ A possession permit must be obtained when the seedling reaches the size of an adult plant; or</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Buying, receiving as a gift or donation, or in any way acquiring of an adult specimen, and transport and</li> </ul>

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Scientific Name	Common Name	
		<p>possession of such adult specimen, subject to the following conditions—</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Adult specimens may only be purchased from a registered nursery;</li> <li>○ Proof of purchase must be retained;</li> <li>○ Size of the specimen (stem diameter and height of the stem) must be indicated on the proof of purchase;</li> <li>○ Number of the selling permit must be indicated on the proof of purchase; and</li> <li>○ A possession permit to be applied for within 30 days of purchase.</li> </ul>
<b>VULNERABLE SPECIES</b>		
<i>Encephalartos altensteinii</i>		<p>The following restricted activities involving artificially propagated specimens—</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Gathering, collecting or plucking;</li> <li>● Picking parts of, or cutting, chopping off, uprooting, damaging or destroying;</li> <li>● Conveying, moving or otherwise translocating of seedlings with a stem</li> </ul>
<i>Encephalartos gheellinckii</i>		
<i>Encephalartos humilis</i>		
<i>Encephalartos ngoyanus</i>		

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Scientific Name	Common Name	
<i>Encephalartos paucidentatus</i>		diameter of 15 cm or less, or 7 cm or less in the case of <i>E. humilis</i> and <i>E. ngoyanus</i> , subject to proof of legal acquisition;
<i>Encephalartos princeps</i>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Selling, giving, donating or in any way disposing of a seedling with a stem diameter of 15 cm or less of <i>E. senficosus</i> by a registered nursery;</li> <li>• Buying, receiving as a gift or donation, or in any way acquiring, a seedling with a stem diameter of 15 cm or less, or 7 cm or less in the case of <i>E. humilis</i> and <i>E. ngoyanus</i>, and transport and possession of such seedling, subject to the following conditions—                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ The seedling may be purchased, received or acquired only from a registered nursery or a person who is lawfully selling the specimens;</li> <li>○ Proof of purchase or acquisition must be retained;</li> <li>○ Size (stem diameter and height of the stem) must be indicated on the proof of purchase or acquisition;</li> <li>○ Number of selling permit (where applicable) must be indicated on</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
<i>Encephalartos senficosus</i>		
<i>Encephalartos trispinosus</i>		

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Column 1 Species listed in terms of Section 56(1)	Column 2 Restricted activities Prohibited in terms of Section 57(2)	Column 3 Restricted activities Exempted in terms of Section 57(4)
Scientific Name	Common Name	
		<p>the proof of purchase; and</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ A possession permit must be obtained when the seedling reaches the size of an adult plant; or</li> <li>• Buying, receiving as a gift or donation, or in any way acquiring of an adult specimen, and transport and possession of such adult specimen, subject to the following conditions—               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Adult specimens may only be purchased from a registered nursery;</li> <li>○ Proof of purchase must be retained;</li> <li>○ Size of the specimen (stem diameter and height of the stem) must be indicated on the proof of purchase;</li> <li>○ Number of the selling permit must be indicated on the proof of purchase; and</li> <li>○ A possession permit to be applied for within 30 days of purchase.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

CYCADS		Column 3
Column 1	Column 2	Restricted activities Exempted in terms of Section 57(4)
Species listed in terms of Section 56(1)	Restricted activities Prohibited in terms of Section 57(2)	
Scientific Name	Common Name	
PROTECTED SPECIES		
<i>Encephalartos caffer</i>		<p>The following restricted activities involving artificially propagated specimens—</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Gathering, collecting or plucking;</li> <li>• Picking parts of, or cutting, chopping off, uprooting, damaging or destroying;</li> <li>• Conveying, moving or otherwise translocating seedlings with a stem diameter of 15cm or less, or 7 cm or less in the case of <i>E. caffer</i>;</li> <li>• Selling, giving, donating or otherwise disposing of a seedling with a stem diameter of 15 cm or less, or 7 cm or less in the case of <i>E. caffer</i>, by a registered nursery;</li> <li>• Buying, or receiving as a gift or donation, or in any other way acquiring, a specimen of any size, provided that a</li> </ul>
<i>Encephalartos cycadifolius</i>		
<i>Encephalartos ferox</i>		
<i>Encephalartos friderici-guilielmi</i>		
<i>Encephalartos lanatus</i>		
<i>Encephalartos lehmannii</i>		
<i>Encephalartos longifolius</i>		
<i>Encephalartos natalensis</i>		
<i>Encephalartos transvenosus</i>		



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Column 1 Species listed in terms of Section 56(1)	Column 2 Restricted activities Prohibited in terms of Section 57(2)	Column 3 Restricted activities Exempted in terms of Section 57(4)
Scientific Name	Common Name	
		<p>person may only buy, or receive such specimen as a donation, from a person who may legally sell or donate such specimen;</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Importing into the Republic;</li> <li>• Having in possession or exercising physical control over seedlings with a stem diameter of 15cm or less, or 7 cm or less in the case of <i>E. caffra</i>, or</li> <li>• Transport and possession of an adult plant purchased from a registered nursery, subject to the following condition— <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Proof of purchase must be retained;</li> <li>○ Size of the specimen (stem diameter and height of the stem) must be indicated on the proof of purchase;</li> <li>○ Number of the selling permit must be indicated on the proof of purchase; and</li> <li>○ A possession permit to be applied for within 30 days of purchase;</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

MEDICINAL PLANTS		Column 3
Column 1	Column 2	Restricted activities
Species listed in terms of section 56(1)	Restricted activities	Exempted in terms of section 57(4)
Scientific Name	Common Name	
CRITICALLY ENDANGERED SPECIES		
<i>Adenium swazicum</i>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>All restricted activities for artificially propagated specimens of medicinal plant species, i.e. including growing, breeding or in any other way propagating.</li> </ul>
<i>Brackenridgea zanguebarica</i>		
<i>Dioscorea strydomiana</i>		
<i>Siphonochilus aethiopicus</i>		
		<p>The following activities involving <u>wild</u> specimens or specimens of wild origin, excluding seeds and flowers <u>except</u> for scientific, conservation or enforcement purposes—</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Gathering, collecting or plucking;</li> <li>Picking parts of, or cutting, chopping off, uprooting, damaging or destroying;</li> <li>Exporting or re-exporting from the Republic;</li> <li>Conveying, moving or otherwise translocating;</li> <li>Having in possession or exercising physical control over; or</li> <li>Selling or otherwise trading in, buying, receiving, giving, donating or accepting as a gift, or in any way acquiring or disposing of.</li> </ul>

MEDICINAL PLANTS		Column 3
Column 1	Column 2	Restricted activities
Species listed in terms of section 56(1)	Restricted activities	Exempted in terms of section 57(4)
Scientific Name	Common Name	
<b>ENDANGERED SPECIES</b>		
<i>Adenia wilmsii</i>		<p>The following restricted activities involving wild / wild-sourced specimens—</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Buying, receiving, giving, donating, accepting as a gift;</li> <li>• Importing into the Republic;</li> <li>• Conveying, moving or otherwise translocating; or</li> <li>• Having in possession or exercising physical control over.</li> <li>• All restricted activities for artificially propagated specimens of medicinal plant species including growing, breeding or in any other way propagating.</li> </ul>
<i>Albizia suluensis</i>		
<i>Begonia dregei</i>		
<i>Begonia homonyma</i>		
<i>Cassipourea flanaganii</i>		
<i>Mondia whitei</i>		
<i>Warburgia salutaris</i>		
<b>VULNERABLE SPECIES</b>		
<i>Aleidea macowanii</i>		<p>The following restricted activities involving wild / wild-sourced specimens—</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Buying, receiving, giving, donating, accepting as a gift;</li> <li>• Importing into the Republic;</li> <li>• Conveying, moving or otherwise translocating;</li> <li>• Having in possession or exercising</li> </ul>
<i>Aloe pruinosa</i>		
<i>Anemone bracteata</i>		
<i>Bowiea volubilis</i> subsp. <i>volubilis</i>		

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Column 1 Species listed in terms of section 56(1)	Column 2 Restricted activities Prohibited in terms of section 57(2)	Column 3 Restricted activities Exempted in terms of section 57(4)
Scientific Name	Common Name	
<i>Brunsvigia josephinae</i>		physical control over; or • All restricted activities for artificially propagated specimens of medicinal plant species including growing, breeding or in any other way propagating.
<i>Clivia gardenii</i>		
<i>Clivia miniata</i>		
<i>Clivia nobilis</i>		
<i>Clivia robusta</i>		
<i>Crinum moorei</i>		
<i>Cryptocarya myrtifolia</i>		
<i>Dioscorea sylvatica</i>		
<i>Gasteria croucheri</i>		
<i>Haemanthus deformis</i>		
<i>Haworthiopsis attenuata</i>		
<i>Haworthiopsis koelmaniorum</i>		

MEDICINAL PLANTS		Column 3 Restricted activities Exempted in terms of section 57(4)
Column 1 Species listed in terms of section 56(1)	Column 2 Restricted activities Prohibited in terms of section 57(2)	
Scientific Name	Common Name	
<i>Haworthiopsis limifolia</i>		
<i>Orbea woodii</i>		
<i>Prunus africana</i>		
<i>Schlechterina mitostemmatoides</i>		
<i>Stangeria eriopus</i>		
PROTECTED SPECIES		
<i>Anemone farninii</i>		The following restricted activities involving wild / wild-sourced specimens— <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Buying, receiving, giving, donating, accepting as a gift;</li> <li>• Importing into the Republic;</li> <li>• Conveying, moving or otherwise translocating; or</li> <li>• Having in possession or exercising physical control over.</li> <li>• All restricted activities for artificially propagated specimens of medicinal plant species including growing, breeding or in any other way</li> </ul>
<i>Cilvia caulescens</i>		
<i>Drimia delegoensis</i>		
<i>Drimia sanguinea</i>		

MEDICINAL PLANTS		Column 3 Restricted activities Exempted in terms of section 57(4)
Column 1 Species listed in terms of section 56(1)	Column 2 Restricted activities Prohibited in terms of section 57(2)	
Scientific Name	Common Name	
<i>Encephalartos villosus</i>		<p>propagating.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>All restricted activities for artificially propagated specimens of medicinal plant species including growing, breeding or in any other way propagating.</li> </ul>
	<p>The following restricted activities, in accordance with Notice No. 371, published in the Gazette No. 35344, on 14 May 2012—</p> <p>Involving wild specimens—</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Collecting, plucking, uprooting, destroying;</li> <li>Exporting from the Republic;</li> <li>Selling or otherwise trading in, buying;</li> <li>Receiving, giving, donating, accepting as a gift, or in any way acquiring or disposing of;</li> <li>Importing into the Republic;</li> <li>Conveying, moving or otherwise translocating; or</li> <li>Having in possession or exercising physical control over, except where permits have been issued, prior to the publication of this notice, for plants that form part of legally obtained parental stock).</li> </ul>	
<i>Erythrophloeum lasianthum</i>		The following restricted activities involving wild / wild-sourced specimens—

MEDICINAL PLANTS		
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Scientific Name	Common Name	
<i>Euphorbia bupleurifolia</i>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Buying, receiving, giving, donating, accepting as a gift;</li> <li>• Importing into the Republic;</li> <li>• Conveying, moving or otherwise translocating;</li> <li>• Having in possession or exercising physical control over, or</li> <li>• All restricted activities for artificially propagated specimens of medicinal plant species including growing, breeding or in any other way propagating.</li> </ul>
<i>Gasteria batesiana</i>		
<i>Harpagophytum procumbens</i>		
<i>Merwillia plumbea</i>		
<i>Pelargonium reniforme</i> subsp. <i>reniforme</i>		
<i>Pelargonium sidoides</i>		
<i>Synaptolepis oliveriana</i>		
<i>Vanilla roscheri</i>		

SPECIES INCLUDED IN APPENDIX I OF CITES		
Column 1 Species listed in terms of Section 56(1)	Column 2 Restricted activities Prohibited in terms of Section 57(2)	Column 3 Restricted activities Exempted in terms of Section 57(4)
<b>PROTECTED SPECIES TO WHICH REGULATION 76 OF THE TOPS REGULATIONS RELATES</b>		
Any indigenous or non-indigenous species included in Appendix I of CITES, which is not already listed above.	Selling or donating of an imported specimen that does not originate from a commercial captive breeding facility registered with the CITES Secretariat.	<p>All restricted activities that require a permit in terms of section 57(1), except the following—</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Having in possession or exercising physical control over an imported specimen, or the off-spring of such imported specimen; or</li> <li>• Selling or donating of an imported specimen that originates from a commercial captive breeding facility registered with the CITES Secretariat.</li> </ul>