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Department of
Conservation
Te Papa Atawhai

Wildlife Act Authority

Variation

Application form 9a

This application form is to vary part thereof a current Authorisation (called the Authority) involving any animal protected under the Wildlife Act 1953 (which does not include marine mammals)





Using this application form

! Application checklist

Completing the application



Save – You can save this application form to your digital device and edit or fill it in your own time.



Fill – You can fill this application digitally using Microsoft word.



Print – You can print this application form and fill it manually, or you can fill it digitally, then print it.



Submit – This application form can be submitted by email or by post.



Email – Email your complete application and all the required labelled attachments to:
permissions@doc.govt.nz



Post – Post your complete application and all the required labelled attachments to:
Permissions Team
Private Bag 3072
Hamilton 3240

Have you included labelled attachments as required for your activities (including maps, testimonials, and consultations)?

Have you read the section regarding liability of the applicant for payment of fees?

Have you signed your application (digitally or manually)?

Navigation



Hints – Use the links through the hints column on the right hand side of the application form



Scroll – Simply use your mouse or keyboard arrows to scroll through the document page-by-page.

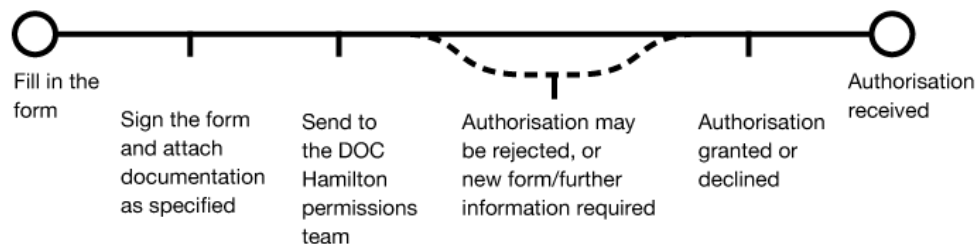


Before you start

You will need to attach evidence of your current Wildlife Act Authorisation.

! Please take processing time into consideration when submitting your application.

Application Process



! An application is deemed complete when all information requested has been received.

! Any amendments requested after lodgement may require a new variation application to be completed resulting in a delay of processing of your application.

Processing Timeframes

Applications are categorised by their complexity. This will affect how long the application will take to process, and therefore how much it will cost. More information on how long your application will take to process and what your processing fee is likely to be is available on the [DOC website](#).

! Please see also the [fees](#) section.

Consultation

Consultation is required on most applications. In general iwi have 20 working days to respond to DOC once we make a formal request. If there are considerable iwi values to consider they may request a further 20 working days to respond. If no response is received from iwi within the specified period DOC will continue to process your application, as we may be able to locate relevant information about their interests from other sources.

! For more information please see the Engagement with Māori page on the DOC website



Contact

For pre-application meetings, contact AskPermissions@doc.govt.nz

If you are ready to submit your application, email your completed form to permissions@doc.govt.nz

Or post to

Statutory Process Team

Private Bag 3072

Hamilton 3240





Section A | Authority holder details

Full name of Authorised holder

! Please provide evidence of your Current Authorisation

Authorisation number

! Please update your address details if they have changed.

Postal address

Street address (if different from postal)

! You must provide a New Zealand address for service.

Phone

Website

Contact person

Role

Phone

Mobile

Email





Section B | Variation description details

1. Variation activity description.

Please provide a brief summary paragraph (100 words or less) here:

Would you like to change or add Authorised Personnel for your Current Authority?

Yes No, go to next question.

Please provide full name of the personnel.

! Attach a copy of your proposal to this form and label it Attachment B1.

! See Pre-application advice [for more information.](#)

2. Are you requesting to vary the term?

Yes, provide details in 2.1 No, go to next question.

2.1. Reason for the term request?

3. Are you requesting to vary the location?

Yes, provide details in 3.1 No, go to next section.

3.1. Location/s

State the location/s in which the activity will be carried out and why this site is the best option. For specific sites, please include a map (and GPS co-ordinates if available). Attach map and label it attachment B.3.1

! Use DOCgis to view Conservation Land.



Section C | Access to Restricted Lands

Special permission is required to enter some public conservation lands that have particularly high levels of protection. If you wish to enter land of any status listed below to carry out the proposed activity, please select the status and state the full name of the land to which permission for access is sought.

Nature Reserve (s20 Reserves Act 1977)

Name of land to be accessed

Scientific Reserve (s21 Reserves Act 1977)

Name of land to be accessed

Government Purpose (s22 Reserves Act 1977)

Name of land to be accessed

Specially Protected Area in a National Park (s13 National Parks Act 1980)

Name of land to be accessed

State why?

Wildlife Sanctuary (s9 Wildlife Act 1953)

Name of land to be accessed

Wildlife Refuge (s14 Wildlife Act 1953)

Name of land to be accessed

Wildlife Management Reserve (s14 Wildlife Act 1953)

Name of land to be accessed

! **Wildlife Act**
Authorisations apply to private land and public conservation land. If the location is private land, you will also need the consent of the land owner.

! If proposing to undertake your activity in a National Park, your activity must be essential for management, research, interpretation or educational purposes. Please state why?



Section D | Consultation

Many applications require consultation with Tāngata whenua (local Māori), and other interested parties. Please attach proof and details of all consultation, including with hapū or iwi, to this application and label as attachment E.

Please attach any additional written expert views, advice or opinions you have obtained concerning your proposal to support the application and label them attachment E.

! If you are unsure of any consultation requirements for your proposal, please see the [Engagement with Māori](#) page or contact your local DOC office to discuss what is required.



Section E | Fees

Processing fees

Section 60B of the Conservation Act contains the statutory provisions regarding processing fees.

The Department recovers all direct and indirect costs to process applications regardless of whether the application is approved or declined. If at any stage an application is withdrawn, the Department will invoice the applicant for the costs incurred by the Department up to that point.

You may be required to pay a processing fee for this application regardless of whether your application is granted or not. Particularly complex applications may incur further costs – you will be sent an estimate of costs in this situation. We will contact you to advise if the fee is more than the estimated standard cost.

You may also request an estimate of the processing fees for your application at any point. If you request an estimate, the Department may require you to pay the reasonable costs of the estimate prior to it being prepared. The Department will not process your application until the estimate has been provided to you. Estimates are not binding.

The Department will invoice your processing fees after your application has been considered. If your application is large or complex, the Department may undertake billing at intervals periodically during processing until a decision is made.

The Department may obtain further information either from the applicant or from any other relevant source in order to process the application. The applicant will be advised of any information obtained from other sources. The cost of obtaining such information will be charged to and recovered from the applicant. The applicant will be informed as soon as practicable from receipt of the application if further information is required before this application form can be fully processed by the Department.

Additional fees

You may also be required to pay additional fees. These may include:

- Annual management fee to cover administration time; and/or
- Monitoring fee to cover the cost of monitoring the effects of your activity.

Paying fees

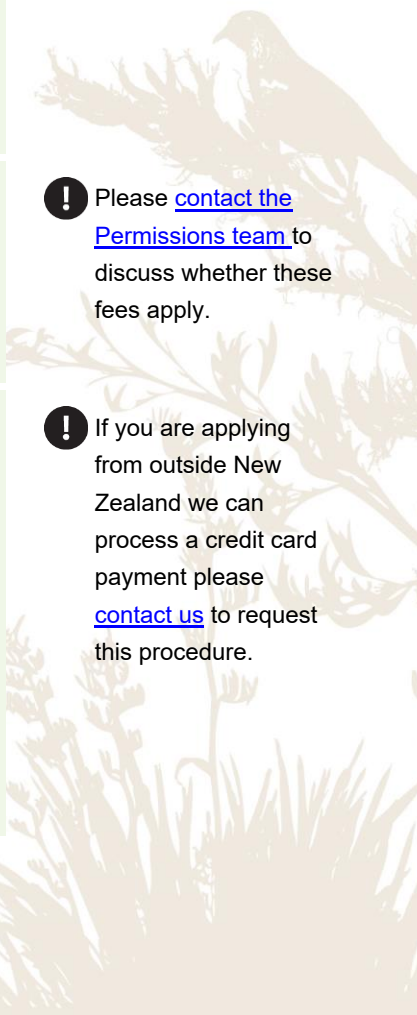
The Department will ordinarily invoice the applicant for processing fees after a decision has been made on the application, but in some cases interim invoices will be issued.

If you have a purchase order/number from an organisation registered with the Department (required for all Councils) please supply below.

! Applicants are required to pay the processing fees within 28 days of receiving an invoice. The Director-General is entitled to recover any unpaid fees as a debt.

! Please [contact the Permissions team](#) to discuss whether these fees apply.

! If you are applying from outside New Zealand we can process a credit card payment please [contact us](#) to request this procedure.





Section E (continued) | Fees

Terms and conditions: Account with the Department of Conservation

Have you held an account with the Department before? Yes No

If **yes**, under what name?

Terms and conditions: Account with the Department of Conservation

1. I/We agree that the Department of Conservation can provide my details to the Department's Credit Checking Agency to enable it to conduct a full credit check.
2. I/We agree that any change which affects the trading address, legal entity, structure of management or control of the applicant's company (as detailed in this application) will be notified in writing to the Department of Conservation within 7 days of that change becoming effective.
3. I/We agree to notify the Department of Conservation of any disputed charges within 14 days of the date of the invoice.
4. I/We agree to fully pay the Department of Conservation for any invoice received on or before the due date.
5. I/We agree to pay all costs incurred (including interest, legal costs and debt recovery fees) to recover any money owing on this account.
6. I/We agree that the credit account provided by the Department of Conservation may be withdrawn by the Department of Conservation, if any terms and conditions of the credit account are not met.
7. I/We agree that the Department of Conservation can provide my details to the Department's Debt Collection Agency in the event of non-payment of payable fees.





Section F | Declaration

I certify that the information provided on this application form and all attached additional forms and information is to the best of my knowledge true and correct.

Signature (applicant)

Date (dd/mm/yyyy)

! An Authorisation may be varied or revoked if the information given in this application contains inaccuracies.

This application is made pursuant to Section/s 41(1)(g), 53; 54; 55; and/or 56 of the Wildlife Act 1953 [and (where applicable) Section/s 22; 49; 50; 51; 57; and/or 59 of the Reserves Act 1977; and/or Section/s 5; 13; 14(3) of the National Parks Act 1980; and/or 38 of the Conservation Act].

Applicants should familiarise themselves with the relevant provisions of the Wildlife Act 1953, the Conservation Act 1987, the Reserves Act 1977 and the National Parks Act 1980 relating to authorisations.

The purpose of collecting this information is to enable the Department to process your application. The Department will not use this information for any reason not related to that purpose.

Applicants should be aware that provisions of the Official Information Act may require that some or all information in this application be publicly released.

