

**MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT, FORESTRY AND TOURISM****Directorate Scientific Services**

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**APPLICATION FOR REGISTRATION AS A GAME DEALER**

Please read instructions overleaf to ensure that all necessary documentation is attached in order to avoid delays.

 First registration Annual renewal**Details of applicant:**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Company: \_\_\_\_\_

Postal Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Residential Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Tel / Cell: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Location of business premises/premises at which the animals are to be kept:

  

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**Please supply the list of persons responsible for activities:**

Name	Initials	ID number	Responsibilities

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Please complete and attach the documents required in a legible manner and in **English** only.  
Applications will **NOT BE PROCESSED UNLESS ALL INFORMATION IS PROVIDED**. Permit office staff  
will not contact applicants to provide information- it will be kept until **all** information is submitted.

*Please read instructions carefully before submitting application to avoid delays*<sup>1</sup>

#### NSTRUCTIONS

1. Please ensure that all supporting documentation is included with application:
  - 1.1 First applications must be accompanied by proof of registration with the Ministry of Trade and Industry; documentation and references that confirm the applicants previous experience in the capture, care and transport of game and wild animals; documentation that confirms that the applicant possesses sufficient capital and capture equipment to conduct the mentioned business; a copy of the proposed register.
  - 1.2 Applications for renewal must provide a copy of the previous years' register.

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#### **The Nature Conservation Ordinance 4 of 1975 states that:**

Capturing, transport and keeping of game for commercial purposes  
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- (1) Subject to the provisions of sections 40(1) ( b ) and 40(2) no person shall capture, transport or keep game or any other wild animal for commercial purposes unless he is licensed as a game dealer: Provided that the provisions of this subsection shall by no means prohibit any person who has captured or is keeping game or any other wild animal for commercial purposes in terms of the provisions of section 40(1) ( b ) or 40(2), from transporting such game for commercial purposes.
- (2) Application for a game dealer's licence shall be made in the form set out in Schedule 7.
- (3) A game dealer's licence shall be granted by the Minister, and shall be issued in the form set out in Schedule 8.
- (4) A game dealer's licence-
  - (a) shall be valid for the period from the first day of April in any year or, if it is issued after that day, from the day of issue, up to and including the thirty-first day of March following that day: Provided that a game dealer's licence which was issued for the calendar year 1975 in terms of an ordinance repealed by section 90, shall remain valid up to and including the thirty-first day of March, 1976;
  - (b) may be renewed annually; and
  - (c) shall not be transferable.
- (5) An amount of one hundred rand shall be payable at the issue of every new game dealer's licence and at any renewal of a game dealer's licence.
- (6) Every licensed game dealer shall keep a register in the form and in the manner prescribed by regulation, of all game and other wild animals which he captures, buys, sells, breeds, exchanges or barter and disposes of, and which dies.

#### **The regulations furthermore state that:**

86. No application for a game dealer's licence shall be considered unless -
  - (a) the applicant proves to the satisfaction of the Minister that he is a *bona fide* game dealer or intends to become one;
  - (b) the applicant, in the opinion of the Minister, possesses sufficient capital, knowledge and experience in connection with the capture, transport, care and keeping of game and other wild animals.

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*FOR OFFICE USE ONLY*

Recommendations

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Conditions

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Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_