



**Application to Harm Flying foxes
for Commercial Crop Damage Mitigation**

**Section 120 General Licence
NSW National Parks and Wildlife Act 1974**

Name of applicant (in full): _____

Postal address: _____

Telephone: BH _____ AH _____ Mobile _____

Firearms licence no.: _____ Expiry date _____ Category _____

Additional shooters will need to complete the information provided on page 2 of this application form

Name and address of the property for which the licence is sought if different from above

Area of property (ha): _____ Nearest Police Station: _____

Species of flying-fox for which licence is sought: Grey-headed Black Little Red

Have you previously held a licence to harm flying-foxes in NSW? Yes No

If Yes, provide licence number(s) and the National Parks and Wildlife Service office which issued the licence(s) for the last season you were licensed:

Identify type of crop being damaged: _____

Total area of crop (ha) _____ Estimated area of damage (ha): _____

Have you applied for the NSW Government netting assistance subsidy? Yes No

What % of crop has exclusion netting installed? _____

Please provide details of other crop protection measures being used (e.g. noise, lights) and effectiveness (attach additional sheets as necessary):

Declaration by property owner

I (*name*) _____ being the applicant for this s120 General licence to harm fauna in New South Wales, acknowledge that it is an offence under the *National Parks and Wildlife Regulation 2009* (maximum penalty \$3300) to provide false or misleading information in, or in connection with this application and I state that the information I have provided is true and correct. By signing this application I also acknowledge that I will be required to comply with the conditions of my General licence and any other statutory obligations associated with the proposed control action including the use of firearms on the property (if relevant).

Signature of applicant.....Date.....

Fax.....

The completed application should be delivered to your local National Parks and Wildlife Service office. There is no fee for this licence.

Additional shooters

You can nominate up to five additional persons to assist with shooting on your property. However, only two shooters are permitted to operate on the property on any given night. If you propose to allow other shooters to assist you in shooting flying-foxes on your property, they must **each** provide the following details and sign the declaration statement below.

Only those people who have filled in the required information and signed below will be listed on your licence.

Your must apply to your local NPWS office in writing for any variation to the list of shooters identified below prior to their commencement of work. A shooter variation form is provided on the OEH website.

Under s. 120(5) of the *National Parks and Wildlife Act 1974* any persons authorised under the licence to do the things authorised by the licence are taken to be licence holders for the purpose of the Act and are bound by the licence conditions in the same way as the licensee.

Full Name	Postal Address	Firearms Licence Number	Expiry Date	Firearms Category
1.				
2.				
3.				
4.				
5.				

NO SHOOTING IS TO PROCEED UNTIL THE APPLICANT HAS RECEIVED THEIR LICENCE

Declaration by Shooters (*if persons other than the general licence holder*)

I, the nominated person who will shoot fauna on behalf of the property owner on the aforementioned property acknowledge that it is an offence under the *National Parks and Wildlife Regulation 2009* (maximum penalty \$3300) to provide false or misleading information in, or in connection with this application and I state that the information I have provided is true and correct. By signing this application I also acknowledge that I will be required to comply with the conditions of the aforementioned General licence and any other statutory obligations associated with the use of firearms on the property.

Signature of nominated shooter (1).....**Date**.....

Phone Number.....**Mobile No**.....**Fax No**.....

Signature of nominated shooter (2).....**Date**.....

Phone Number.....**Mobile No**.....**Fax No**.....

Signature of nominated shooter (3).....**Date**.....

Phone Number.....**Mobile No**.....**Fax No**.....

Signature of nominated shooter (4).....**Date**.....

Phone Number.....**Mobile No**.....**Fax No**.....

Signature of nominated shooter (5).....**Date**.....

Phone Number.....**Mobile No**.....**Fax No**.....

Privacy statement

The personal information* that is provided in the attached s. 120 General licence application form is for the purpose of assessing your application and is required by law.

Your personal information will not be used for any other purpose, and subject to the following, will not be disclosed, without your consent. Information provided in the application may be disclosed to NSW Police for the verification of firearm licence details. You have the right to access and correct any of the personal information once we have collected it at any time. The information will be stored securely in our records management system.

Please note live flying foxes should not be handled. Wear protective gloves when handling dead flying foxes. Further information is provided on the OEH website and Department of Primary Industries Standard Operating Procedures for the shooting of flying foxes.

www.environment.nsw.gov.au/resources/wildlifelicences/110877SOP.pdf

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New applicant:	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	
Site inspection undertaken:	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	If No (date proposed).....
Species and number of flying foxes permitted to be harmed:			
Species (Common Name)	Number		
1.			
2.			
3.			
Compliance Assessment Undertaken:	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	
<i>e.g. Did the applicant comply with the conditions of their previous licence or has this new applicant provided all the necessary details.</i>			
<input type="checkbox"/> Application approved <input type="checkbox"/> Application rejected			
Justification.....			
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General Licence posted to property owner:	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	
SoP posted to property owner:	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	
Approved by (<i>delegated officer</i>):.....(Signature)	(Date)	
.....(Print name)	(Position)	