

WESTERN CAPE NATURE CONSERVATION BOARD

NATURE CONSERVATION ORDINANCE, 1974
(ORDINANCE 19 OF 1974)

WESTERN CAPE PROVINCE:

HUNTING SEASONS, DAILY BAG LIMITS AND HUNTING BY THE USE OF PROHIBITED HUNTING METHODS

Notice is hereby given in terms of sections 78 and 79 of the Nature Conservation Ordinance, 1974 (Ordinance 19 of 1974), that for the year 2009 the hunting seasons and the daily bag limits are, as set out in the third and fourth columns, respectively, of the Schedule hereto in the areas and in respect of the species of wild animals mentioned in the first and second columns, respectively, of the said Schedule. The operation of section 29 of the said Ordinance is suspended to the extent specified in the fifth column of the said Schedule in the areas and in respect of the species of wild animals and for the periods of the year 2009 indicated opposite any such suspension in the first, second and third columns, respectively, of the said Schedule.

SCHEDULE

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	
Area	Species	Hunting season and/or period during which prohibited hunting methods may be practised	Daily bag limits	Extent to which section 29 is suspended	
(a) Whole Western Cape Province <i>excluding</i> all rural and urban areas situated in the Cape Peninsula.	Blesbok (<i>Damaliscus dorcas phillipsi</i>)	1 January to 31 December	Unlimited		
	Impala (<i>Aepyceros melampus</i>)		Unlimited		
	Gemsbok (<i>Oryx gazella</i>)		Unlimited		
	Springbok (<i>Antidorcas marsupialis</i>)		10		
	Blue Wildebeest (<i>Connochaetes taurinus</i>)		Unlimited		
	Fallow deer (<i>Cervus dama</i>)		Unlimited		
	Nyala (<i>Tragelaphus angasii</i>)		Unlimited		
	Waterbuck (<i>Kobus ellipsiprymnus</i>)		Unlimited		
	Mountain reedbuck (<i>Redunca fulvorufula</i>)		1 June to 31 August		2
	Vervet monkey (<i>Cercopithecus aethiops</i>)		1 January to 31 December		10
	Baboon (<i>Papio ursinus</i>)				
	Rock dassie (<i>Procavia capensis</i>)				
	Bushpig (<i>Potamochoerus porcus</i>)				
	Warthog (<i>Phacochoerus aethiopicus</i>)				
	Hares (<i>Lepus spp.</i>) and Rabbits (<i>Pronolagus spp.</i>) (excluding Riverine rabbit— <i>Bunolagus sp.</i>)	15 September to 15 October	5		
	Common Quail (<i>Coturnix coturnix</i>)	1 January to 31 December	10 each		
	Helmeted Guineafowl (<i>Numida meleagris</i>)				
	Red-knobbed Coot (<i>Fulica cristata</i>)	1 January to 31 December	40 in all		
	Speckled Pigeon (<i>Columba guinea</i>)				
	Red-eyed Dove (<i>Streptopelia semitorquata</i>)				
Laughing Dove (<i>Streptopelia senegalensis</i>)					
Cape Turtle Dove (<i>Streptopelia capicola</i>)	1 January to 31 December	10			
Egyptian Goose (<i>Alopochen aegyptiacus</i>)					
Spur-winged Goose (<i>Plectropterus gambensis</i>)	1 January to 31 December	3			
Yellow-billed Duck (<i>Anas undulata</i>)	1 January to 30 June	10 in all			
Red-billed Teal (<i>Anas erythrorhyncha</i>)					
South African Shelduck (<i>Tadorna cana</i>)					
Cape Teal (<i>Anas capensis</i>)					
Cape Shoveler (<i>Anas smithii</i>)					
Southern Pochard (<i>Netta erythrophthalma</i>)					
(b) Whole Western Cape Province	Grey-winged Francolin (<i>Scleroptila africanus</i>)	1 May to 31 July	6 in all		
	Red-winged Francolin (<i>Scleroptila levaillantii</i>)				
	Cape Spurfowl (<i>Pternistis capensis</i>)				
	Red-necked Spurfowl (<i>Pternistis afer</i>)				
(c) Whole Western Cape Province <i>excluding</i> all the districts of Beaufort West, Mossel Bay, George, Knysna and Uniondale	Grey duiker (<i>Sylvicapra grimmia</i>)	1 June to 31 August	1		

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(d) Only the districts of Mossel Bay, George, Knysna and Uniondale	Grey duiker (<i>Sylvicapra grimmia</i>)	1 June to 31 July	1	
(e) Whole Western Cape Province <i>excluding</i> Riversdale	Bush-buck (<i>Tragelaphus scriptus</i>)	1 June to 31 August	1	
(f) Only the district of Riversdale	Bush-buck (<i>Tragelaphus scriptus</i>)	1 June to 31 July	1	
(g) Whole Western Cape Province <i>excluding</i> the districts of Darling, Piketberg, Clanwilliam, Citrusdal, Porterville, Tulbagh and Wolseley	Grey rhebuck (<i>Pelea capreolus</i>)	1 June to 31 August	1	
(h) Only the districts of Uniondale, Ladismith, Oudtshoorn, Laingsburg, Murraysburg, Beaufort West and Prince Albert	Kudu (<i>Tragelaphus strepsiceros</i>)	1 May to 31 August	1	
(i) Only the districts of Bredasdorp and Swellendam	Kudu (<i>Tragelaphus strepsiceros</i>)	1 January to 31 December	1	
(j) Whole Western Cape Province	Caracal (<i>Felis caracal</i>)	} 1 January to 31 December }	} 10 }	} Paragraph (d) – only cage-traps may be used }
(k) Whole Western Cape Province	Black-backed jackal (<i>Canis mesomelas</i>)			
(l) Only the districts of George, Heidelberg, Knysna, Mossel Bay and Riversdale	African Olive-Pigeon (<i>Columba arquatrix</i>)	1 January to 31 December	12	

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