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CONSERVATION AND MANAGEMENT) (AMENDMENT) ACT, 2007**

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[30th October, 2007]

An
Act

to provide for the protection, preservation, conservation and management of wildlife
in the Province of the Punjab.

Preamble. - WHEREAS it is expedient further to amend the Punjab Wildlife (Protection, Preservation, Conservation, and Management) Act, 1974 (Act II of 1974) for the purpose hereinafter appearing;

It is hereby enacted as follows:-

1. Short title, extent and commencement.- (1) This Act may be cited as the Punjab Wildlife (Protection, Preservation, Conservation and Management) (Amendment) Act, 2007.

(2) It shall come into force at once.

2. Definitions.- In this Act, unless the context otherwise requires, the following words and expressions shall have the meanings hereby respectively assigned to them, that is to say-

- (a) "Board" means the Punjab Wildlife Management Board constituted under section 5;
- (b) "certificate", "licence", "special licence", "permit" or "special permit" mean respectively a certificate, a licence, a special licence, a permit or a special permit granted or issued under this Act;
- "(bb) "Circus" means a collection of wild animal declared as such under section 20"
- (c) "dealer", when used in relation to wild animals, trophies or meat, shall mean any person who, in the course of trade or business carried on by him whether on his own behalf or on behalf of any other person,
 - (i) sells, purchases or barter any wild animal, its meat or trophy;
 - (ii) cuts, carves, polishes, preserves, cleans, mounts or otherwise prepares any such animal, trophy or meat, or manufactures any article therefrom;
- (cc) "endemic" means wildlife species native to Pakistan;"
- (ccc) "exotic" means wildlife species not native to Pakistan;"
- (d) "game animal" means a wild animal specified in the First or the Fourth Schedule;"
- (e) "game reserve" means any area declared as such under section 18;
- (f) "Government" means the Government of the Punjab;

- (g) "hunt" means any act directed immediately to the killing or capturing of a wild animal and shall include taking the nest or egg of a wild animal;
- (h) "meat" means the fat, blood, flesh or any eatable part of wild animal, whether fresh or preserved;
- (i) "national park" means an area declared as such under section 17;
- (j) "offence" means an offence punishable under this Act or any rule made thereunder;
- (k) "officer" means the Chief Wildlife Warden, Director General, Wildlife & Parks, Director Wildlife & Parks, Deputy Director Wildlife, Assistant Director Wildlife, District Wildlife Officer, Wildlife Supervisor, Wildlife Inspector, Head Wildlife Watcher and Wildlife Watcher or any other officer appointed to perform any function under this Act"
- (l) "prescribed" means prescribed by rules;
- (m) "private game reserve" means an area declared as such under section 20;"
 - (mm) "private wildlife breeding farm" means an area declared as such under section 20;"
 - (mmm) "private wildlife park" means an area declared as such under section 20;"
- (n) "protected animal" means a wild animal specified in the Third Schedule;
- (o) "rules" means rules made under this Act;
- (p) "schedule" means schedule appended to this Act;
- (q) "section" means a section of this Act;
- (r) "trophy" means a dead body or any horn, antler, tooth, tusk, bone, claw, hoof, skin, hair, feather, egg shell or other durable part of game animal or protected animal whether or not included in a manufactured or processed article;
- (s) "wild animal" means a wild bird or animal specified in the First, Second, Third and Fourth Schedules;"
- (t) "wildlife" includes organic resources animals, birds, reptiles, vegetation, soil and water;
 - (tt) "Wildlife Breeding Farm" means an area declared as such under section 16-A of this Act;"
 - (ttt) "wildlife park" means an area declared as such under section 18-A;"
 - (tttt) "safari park" means an area declared as such under section 18-A;"
- (u) "wildlife sanctuary" means the area declared as such under section 16;
- (v) "unprotected animal" means a wild bird or wild animal specified in the Fourth Schedule; "and;"
- (w) "zoological garden or zoo" means an area declared as such under section 18-A;"

3. Appointment of Officers.- Government may determine the number and class of officers including honorary officers to be appointed under this Act provided that an honorary officer shall hold office for such period as may be specified unless the appointment is revoked earlier by Government.

4. Powers of an Honorary Officer.- An honorary officer appointed under section 3 shall have such powers of an officer as may be prescribed.

5. Constitution of the Board.- (1) Government shall establish a Board to be called the Punjab Wildlife Management Board.

(2) The Board shall be a body corporate having perpetual succession and a common seal with power to acquire and hold property and shall by the said name use and be used.

- (3) The Board shall consist of
 - (a) Chairman,
 - (b) A Vice Chairman; and
 - (c) Such number of members as may be appointed by Government
- (4) Chief Minister of the Punjab shall be the Chief Wildlife Warden and ex-officio Chairman of the Board.
- (5) Minister-in-Charge of the Punjab Wildlife Department, Government of the Punjab, shall be the ex-officio vice-Chairman of the Board.
- (6) A member shall, unless he sooner resigns or is removed by Government, hold office for such term as may be prescribed.
- (7) Secretary, Forest Department, Government of the Punjab, shall be the ex-officio Secretary of the Board.
- (8) The meetings of the Board shall be held in accordance with such procedure as may be prescribed.

6. Functions of the Board.- The Board shall act in an advisory capacity and its functions shall be-

- (a) To advise about the formulation of policy regarding conservation and development of wildlife and game management in the Province;
- (b) to supervise the progress of development activities in the field of wildlife protection, preservation, conservation and management and to scrutinize the annual progress report submitted in this behalf; and
- (c) to under take such other functions as may be prescribed;

7. Fund.- (1) There shall be a fund to be known as “Board Fund” vested in the Board. The fund shall be raised and administered in such manner as may be prescribed.

(2) All moneys at the credit of the Board shall be kept in such custody as may be prescribed.

(3) The board shall maintain complete and accurate books of accounts in such form as may be prescribed.

(4) The accounts of the Board shall be audited in such manner as may be prescribed.

(5) Copies of the audit report shall be sent to the Board.

(6) The Board shall take necessary steps for rectification of an audit objection.

8. Returns & Statements.- Government may require the Board to furnish Government with any document, return, statement, estimate, information or report regarding any matter under the control of the Secretary of the Board shall comply with every such requisition.

9. Restriction of hunting.- No person shall-

- (i) hunt any wild animal by means of a set gun, drop spear, deadfall, gun trap, explosive, projectile, bomb, grenade, baited hook, net, snare or any other trap, an automatic or a service weapon or ammunition used by Armed Forces of Pakistan, Police Force or any other force, or by means of any drug or chemical substance, likely to anesthetize, paralyze, stupefy or render incapable any wild animal whether partly or totally through a projectile or otherwise;”
- (ii) hunt any protected animal;

- (iii) hunt any game animal except under a permit and in accordance with the provisions of this Act or the rules;
Provided that no person shall hunt any game animal other than bird or hare with a shot gun or with non-magnum rifle or 22 caliber or less;
- (iv) use or have in his possession any net, snare, bhagwa, poison or like injurious substance for the purpose of hunting a game animal;
- (v) use vehicle of any type to pursue any game animal or to drive or stampede game animal for any purpose whatsoever;
- (vi) shoot any game animal except wild boar and vermin from any conveyance or from within two hundred yards of the conveyance;
- (vii) hunt with the help of live decoys or call birds except quail;
- (viii) construct or use, for the purpose of hunting any wild animal, any pitfall, game pit, trench or similar excavation, any fence or enclosure, or use bhagwa or any other similar contrivance except duck blinds;
Provided that it shall not be an offence to use:
 - (a) a motor vehicle or aircraft to drive any wild animal away from an aerodrome or airstrip when such action is necessary to ensure the safety of aircraft using that aerodrome;
 - (b) any one or more of the aforesaid prohibited methods if the officer authorised in this behalf grants a licence with permission to employ such method; or
 - (c) to hunt any unprotected animal;
- (ix) hunt except ducks, wild boars and vermin after sunset and before sunrise; and
- (x) hunt by hiding within two hundred yards of a water hole or salt lick.

10. Prohibition to employ hawks and dogs without special licence.- No person shall use hawks for hawking or dogs for coursing the game animals except under licence issued for the purpose under the Act.

11. Animals found dead or killed or caught unlawfully.- Any wild animal, which is found dead or dying or which has been killed or caught otherwise than in accordance with the provisions of this Act and any meat or trophy thereof shall be the property of the Government.

12. Certificate of lawful possession.- (1) No person shall be in possession of any wild animal unless he be in possession of a certificate of lawful possession granted in respect thereof by the officer authorised in this behalf.

Provided that any person importing any wild animal, trophy or meat of a wild animal of a kind specified in the Second Schedule in accordance with the provisions of this Act or acquiring such animal, trophy or meat in accordance with the terms of a permit issued under this Act shall apply to the authorised officer for such certificate within thirty days from the date of importing or acquiring the animal, trophy or meat.

(2) The officer authorised in this behalf may mark or register the animal, trophy or meat in respect of which a certificate of lawful possession is issued, in the prescribed manner, or he may seize, pending the taking of legal action under this Act, any such animal, trophy or meat which in his opinion has not been legally imported or acquired.

(3) No person shall counterfeit, change or in any way interfere with any mark or registration of animal, trophy or meat for which a certificate of lawful possession has been issued or alter or in any way change a certificate of lawful possession.

13. Restriction on transfer of animals trophies or meat.- No person shall receive by gift, purchase or otherwise any animal of a kind specified in the Second Schedule unless he receives at the same time a valid Certificate of lawful possession in respect thereof.

14. Restriction on import and export of animals, trophies or meat.- (1) No person shall import or attempt to import into the Punjab any wild animal of endemic or exotic species, or any trophy or meat of a kind specified in Second Schedule except under an import permit granted, under this Act and if such import be from outside Pakistan except through a Customs Post of Entry and subject to any law relating to control on imports, for the time being in force.

(2) No person shall export or attempt to export out of the Punjab any wild animal, trophy or meat specified in Second Schedule except under an export permit granted under this Act and if such export be to any country outside Pakistan except through a Customs Post of Exit and subject to any law relating to control on export for the time being in force.

(3) Nothing in this section shall apply to any wild animal, trophy or meat in transit through the Punjab if such animal, trophy or meat –

- (i) is accompanied by necessary transit customs documents;
- (ii) is entered through a Customs Post of Entry or is scheduled to a customs post of exit; or
- (iii) in case of road transport, is either not unloaded from the conveyance on which it is being carried or does not remain unloaded from such conveyance for more than ninety-six hours, or in case of rail or air transport, it does not leave the precincts or the railway station or airport at which it is landed or trans-shipped.

15. Restriction on dealings in animals, trophies or meat.- (1) No person shall as a profession, trade or business, buy, sell or otherwise deal in wild animals, trophies or meat thereof or process or manufacture goods or articles from such trophies or meat, unless he is in possession of a valid licence, hereinafter called a dealer's licence, to do so, issued by an officer authorized in this behalf.

(2) The officer authorised in this behalf may, on payment of such fees as may be prescribed, grant a dealer's licence to be valid for one year to any person which shall entitle the licensee to deal in any wild animal, trophy or meat thereof, or any class of wild animals, trophies or meat specified in such licence. Such licence shall be renewable in such manner as may be prescribed.

(3) For the purpose of assessment of fees, dealers may be divided into different classes and a different fee may be prescribed for each class.

(4) The holder of the dealer's licence shall maintain such register or record of his dealings in such manner as may be prescribed, and shall produce them for inspection at any reasonable time when called upon to do so.

16. Wildlife Sanctuary.- (1) Government may by notification in the official Gazette, declare any area which is the property of Government or over which Government has proprietary rights to be 'wildlife sanctuary' and may demarcate it in such manner as may be prescribed.

(2) The 'wildlife sanctuary' shall be set aside as undisturbed breeding ground for the protection of wildlife and access thereto for public shall, except in accordance with the rules, be prohibited and no-exploitation of forest therein shall be allowed except for reducing fire hazards, epidemic or insect attacks or other natural calamities.

- (3) No person shall-
- (i) enter or reside;
 - (ii) cultivate any land;
 - (iii) damage or destroy any vegetation;
 - (iv) hunt, kill or capture any wild animal or fire any gun or other firearm within one mile of the boundaries;
 - (v) introduce any exotic species of animal or plant;
 - (vi) introduce any domestic animal or allow it to stray;
 - (vii) cause any fire, or
 - (viii) pollute water in a wildlife sanctuary

Provided that Government may for specific purposes as are deemed expedient, authorize the doing of the afore-mentioned acts (other than those mentioned in clause (iv)).

16-A Wildlife breeding farm.- (1) The Government may, by notification in the official Gazette, declare any area, which is the property of the Government or over which the Government has the proprietary rights, to be a wildlife breeding farm.

- (2) The following acts shall be prohibited in the wildlife breeding farm:-
- (a) hunting, shooting, trapping, killing or capturing of a wild animal;
 - (b) firing or doing any other act which may disturb a wild animal or interfere with the breeding places;
 - (c) felling, tapping, burning or in any manner damaging, destroying, taking, collecting, removing or taking away a plant or tree or leave, fruit or seed therefrom;
 - (d) polluting water flowing in or through the wildlife park;
 - (e) any act of feeding or teasing a wild animal;
 - (f) damaging of any structure;
 - (g) any act of teasing or harassing visitors or otherwise, creating any pandemonium; and
 - (h) any act in violation of any restrictions imposed by Government;

Provided that the Government may, for such purposes as it may deem expedient, authorize the doing of the aforementioned prohibited acts except at paras (d), (e), (g) and (h).”

17. National Park. (1) With a view to the protection and preservation of flora and fauna in the natural state, Government may, by notification in the official Gazette, declare any area which is the property of Government or over which Government has proprietary rights to be a ‘national park’ and may demarcate it in such manner as may be prescribed.

(2) A ‘national park’ shall be accessible to public for recreation; education and research subject to such restrictions as Government may impose.

(3) Provision for access roads to and construction of rest houses, hostels and other buildings in the ‘national park’ alongwith amenities for public may be so made and the forest therein shall be so managed and forest produce obtained as not to impair the object of the establishment of the ‘national park’;

- (4) The following acts shall be prohibited in a ‘national park’:
- (i) hunting, shooting, trapping, killing or capturing of any wild animal in a ‘national park’ or within one and a half mile radius of its boundary;

- (ii) firing any firearm or doing any other act which may disturb any animal or bird or doing any act which interferes with the breeding places;
- (iii) felling, tapping, burning or in any way damaging or destroying, taking, collecting or removing any plant or tree therefrom;
- (iv) clearing or breaking up any land for cultivation, mining or for any other purpose; and
- (v) polluting water flowing in and through the 'national park'

Provided that Government may for specific purposes, as are deemed expedient, authorise the doing of the afore-mentioned prohibited acts.

18. Game reserve.- (1) "The Government may declare any area to be a game reserve.

(2) No hunting and shooting of a wild animal shall be allowed in the game reserve, except under a special permit, which may specify the maximum number of game animal that may be killed or captured, the area and duration for which such permits shall be valid;

Provided that the number of occasions on which hunting and shooting may be allowed shall not exceed two in a year."

18-A Wildlife park, zoological garden or zoo and safari park.- (1) "The Government may, by notification in the official gazette, declare an area which is the property of the Government or over which the Government has proprietary rights, to be a wildlife park to maintain wild animal in captivity and in a state as close to nature as possible, for the purpose of breeding, re-introduction, recreation and public education.

(2) The Government may, by notification in the official gazette, declare an area which is the property of the Government or over which the Government has proprietary rights, to be a zoological garden or zoo to maintain, breed locally extinct, endangered or threatened species of wild animal for the re-introduction, recreation and public education.

(3) The Government may, by notification in the official gazette, declare an enclosed area which is the property of the Government or over which the Government has proprietary rights, to be a safari park in which wild animal shall be kept in the open space for viewing by public from a vehicle driven through.

(4) Wildlife park, safari park or zoological garden or zoo shall be accessible to public for recreation, education and research purposes, subject to such restrictions as the Government may impose.

(5) Provision for access roads to and construction of cafeteria, motel, laboratory, research centre and any other building in the wildlife park, safari park or zoological garden or zoo alongwith amenities for public may be made for the facilitation of achievement of, and the forest vegetation therein shall be so managed and forest produce so obtained as not to impair the objectives of the establishment of such parks or zoological garden or zoo.

(6) The following acts shall be prohibited in the wildlife park, safari park or zoological garden or zoo:-

- (a) hunting, shooting, trapping, killing or capturing of a wild animal;
- (b) firing or doing any other act which may disturb a wild animal or interfere with the breeding place of a wild animal;

- (c) felling, tapping, burning or in any manner damaging, destroying, taking, collecting, removing or taking away any plant or tree or leave, fruit or seed therefrom;
- (d) polluting water flowing in or through the wildlife park, zoological garden or zoo or safari park;
- (e) any act of feeding or teasing a wild animal;
- (f) damaging of any structure;
- (g) any act of teasing or harassing visitors or otherwise, creating any pandemonium; and
- (h) any act in violation of any restrictions imposed by the Government;

Provided that the Government may for such purposes as it may deem expedient authorize the doing of the aforementioned prohibited act except at para (d), (e), (g) and (h).

19. Alteration of boundaries of wildlife sanctuary, national park and game reserve.- Government may, from time to time, by notification in the official Gazette, declare any alteration in the boundaries of wildlife sanctuary, national park, and game reserve established under this Act.

20. Private game reserve, wildlife park and safari park.- (1) “Where the Government is satisfied that-

- (a) an area of land has been dedicated by its owner or owners, for the purposes similar to a game reserve, it may, on the application of the owner or owners, as the case may be, by notification in the official gazette, declare such area to be a private game reserve;
- (b) an area of land has been dedicated by its owner or owners, for the purposes similar to a safari park, it may, on the application of the owner or the owners, as the case may be, by notification in the official Gazette, declare such area to be a private safari park;
- (c) a collection of wild animal has been kept over an area of land dedicated by its owner or owners, for the purposes of breeding, sale, exchange, recreation, education and research, it may, on the application of the owner or the owners, as the case may be, by notification in official gazette, declared such area to be a private wildlife park ;
- (d) a collection of wild animal has been kept over an area of land dedicated by its owner or owners, for the purpose of breeding, sale and exchange, it may, on the application of the owner or the owners, as the case may be, by notification in the official gazette, declared such area to be a private wildlife breeding farm ; and
- (e) a collection of wild animal has been dedicated by its owner or owners, for the purpose of exhibition, display and performance at public places, it may, on the application of the owner or the owners, as the case may be, by notification in official gazette, declared such collection to be a circus.

(2) Hunting and shooting of a wild animal by a person other than the owner shall not be allowed in a private game reserve except with the permission of the owner and in the prescribed manner.

(3) Hunting and shooting of wild animal shall not be allowed in a private wildlife park, private safari park, circus and private wildlife breeding farm.

21. Penalties.- Whoever contravenes or attempts to contravene:-

- (i) Any provision of sections, 9,10,11,12,13, 14,15, 20 and 28 shall be punished with imprisonment for a term, which may extend to two years or with fine which shall not be less than ten thousand rupees nor more than fifteen thousand rupees or with both, alongwith confiscation of the weapon and suspension of licence or permit for a period of five years;
- (ii) Any provision of sections 16, 16-A, 17, 18 and 18-A shall be punished with imprisonment for a term which shall not be less than one year nor more than five years or with fine which shall not be less than twenty thousand rupees nor more than thirty thousand rupees or with both, alongwith confiscation of the weapon, vehicle or any other article used in such contravention; and
- (iii) Any provision of this Act or any rule for the contravention of which no specific penalty is provided shall be punished with imprisonment for a term which may extend to ten months or with fine which may extend to ten thousand rupees or with both.

22. Abetment of an offence.- An abetment of any offence under this Act or the rules made thereunder shall be punishable as the offence.

23. Killing or capturing in self-defence.- (1) Notwithstanding any other provisions of this Act, it shall not be an offence, if-

- (a) Any person kills any wild animal by any means in the immediate defence of his own life or that of any other person;
- (b) The owner of livestock or his employee kills any wild animal that is doing damage to the livestock by any means within a reasonable distance or where that livestock is grazing or where it is enclosed for the night.

Provided that clause (b) shall not apply to any unlawful cultivation in a national park, wildlife sanctuary and a reserved or protected forest or any livestock unlawfully grazing or herded therein.

(2) The killing under sub-section (1) of wild animals specified in the First and Third Schedules shall be reported to the nearest office established for the purposes of this Act.

(3) The meat or trophy of any wild animal killed in self-defence shall be the property of Government and shall be disposed of as directed by the officer authorised in this behalf.

24. Onus of proof.- When in any proceedings taken under this Act or in consequence of anything done under this Act, a question arises as to whether any wild animal, trophy or meat is the property of the Government, such wild animal trophy or meat shall be presumed to be the property of the Government until the contrary is proved.

25. Power to search without warrant.- Any officer authorised by Government in this behalf, may search any person, premises, vessel, vehicle, animal, packages, receptacle or covering so as to satisfy himself whether or not an offence under this Act has been committed.

Provided that no premises shall be searched under this section except under the authority of a warrant issued by the Magistrate having jurisdiction in the area.

26. Power to seizure.- Any officer as authorised by Government in this behalf may seize any animal, dead, or alive, together with any firearm, net, trap, snare, bow,

arrow or any vehicle or vessel or anything whatsoever used or suspected to have been used in the commission of an offence under this Act.

27. Procedure as to perishable property seized under section 26.- Notwithstanding any other provision of this Act, the officer authorised in this behalf may sell any property seized under section 26 which is subject to speedy and natural decay and may subject to the determination of the right thereto, deal with the proceeds in such manner as may be prescribed.

28. Duty to produce permit on demand made by any officer or person authorized in this behalf.- Every person in possession of any wild animal specified in the First and Third Schedules shall produce this Certificate of Lawful possession on demand made by any officer authorised by Government in this behalf.

29. Duty of coupe purchaser, chowkidar, village watchman, etc.- Every coupe purchaser of forest produce, lambardar, canal patwari, public works department daroga, chowkidar, dafadar, village watchman, abdar, zilladar, revenue patwari, qanungo and tehsildar shall be bound, in the absence of reasonable excuse to give to any officer authorised in this behalf by Government, information in respect of any snaring, trapping, netting, unauthorised killing, or any other offence under this act committed within the limits of his jurisdiction as soon as commission of such an offence comes to his knowledge.

30. Procedure when offender not known or cannot be found.- When the offender is not known or cannot be found any officer authorised in this behalf may, if he finds that an offence has been committed, confiscate the property used in the commission of the offence.

31. Power arrest.- (1) Any officer authorised in this behalf may, without orders from a Magistrate and without a warrant, arrest any person against whom a reasonable suspicion exists of his having been concerned in any offence under this Act.

(2) Every officer making an arrest under this section shall, without delay and subject to the provisions of this Act as to release on bond, take or send the person arrested before the Magistrate having jurisdiction in the case or before the officer in charge of the nearest police station.

32. Power to release on bond a person arrested.- Any officer not below the rank of the Wildlife Inspector or of an equivalent rank who has arrested any person under section 31 may release such person on his executing a bound to appear, if and when so required before the Magistrate having jurisdiction in the case or before the officer in charge of the nearest police station.

33. Power to prevent commission of offence.- Every officer or any other person authorised by Government in this behalf shall be competent to prevent by all lawful means the commission of any offence under this Act.

34. Persons who may lodge complaints.- Cognizance of any offence under this Act shall not be taken by any court except on the complaint of the officer or any person authorised by Government in this behalf.

35. Court which is competent to take cognizance of offences.- No court inferior to that of Magistrate of the First Class shall take cognizance of and try an offence under this Act.

36. Power to try offences summarily.- “Any Magistrate of the First Class, specially empowered in this behalf by Government, may try any offence punishable under this Act in a summary manner, as provided in section 262 to 265 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898:

Provided that sub section (2) of section 262 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 shall not apply.”

37. Prosecution of offences under any other law.- Nothing contained in this Act shall be deemed to prevent any person from being prosecuted under any other law for any act of commission which constitutes an offence under this Act or from being liable under any other law to any higher punishment or penalty than that provided by this Act.

38. Power to compound offence.- (1) Government may, by notification in the official Gazette, empower an officer-

(a) To accept from any person against whom reasonable suspicion exists that he has committed any offence under this Act, a sum of money by way of compensation for such offence;

(b) When any property has been seized as liable to confiscation, to release the same on payment of the value thereof, as may be prescribed;”

(2) On the payment of compensation, such sum of money under sub section 1(a) or such value of property under sub-section 1(b) or both, as the case may be, the suspected person if in custody, shall be discharged and the property, if any, seized shall be released and no further proceedings shall be taken against such person or property.

(3) “The sum of money accepted as compensation under clause (a) of sub-section (1) shall, in no case exceed the sum of ten thousand rupees in first instance and be not less than ten thousand in second instance;” and

(4) No officer shall have power to compound a third and subsequent offence under this Act.

39. Government may invest officer with certain powers.- Government may invest any officer or any other person authorised in this behalf with all or any of the following powers, that is to say-

(a) the powers of a Civil Court to compel the attendance of witnesses and the production of documents and material object;

(b) the power to hold an inquiry into offence under this Act and in the course of such inquiry to receive and record evidence; and

(c) the power to prosecute a case before a Magistrate

40. Officers, etc. to be public servants.- The officers or persons authorised under any provisions of this Act to do a certain thing or act in certain manner shall be deemed to be public servants within the meaning of the Pakistan Penal Code (Act XLV of 1860).

41. Protection of action taken under this Act.- No suit prosecution or other legal proceedings shall lie against any officer for anything in good faith done or intended to be done in pursuance of any provision of this Act or the rules made thereunder.

42. Duty of police officer.- Every Police Officer shall, upon request by any officer or person authorised under this Act, assist him in the due discharge of his duties under this Act.

43. Delegation of powers.- Government may, by notification in the official Gazette, delegate all or any of the powers conferred upon it, under the provisions of this Act to any officer subordinate to it.

44. Power to grant exemption.- Notwithstanding anything contained in this Act, Government may, in the interest of any scientific or public purpose, allow, by notification in the official Gazette, hunting and capturing of such wild animals in any specified place by any and specific means.

44-A Power of sale or exchange.- “Notwithstanding anything contained in this Act, the Government may, for scientific management, allow sale or exchange of wild animal, from any wildlife breeding farm, wildlife park, safari park, zoological garden or zoo.”

45. Power to add to or exclude from Schedules.- Government may, by notification in the official Gazette, in respect, to any specified area-

- (i) add to or exclude from the schedule any wild animals, subject to such conditions as it may impose in each case and
- (ii) alter the period during which any wild animal specified in the First Schedule may be hunt.

46. Power to make rules.- (1) Government may make rules for the purposes of carrying into effect the provisions of this Act.

(2) In particular without prejudice to the generality of the foregoing powers, such rules may provide for-

- (a) the functions and powers of the Board;
- (b) the powers and duties of the officers and other persons specially authorised to perform functions under this Act;
- (c) the form in which the terms and conditions on which a licence, special licence, a permit or a special permit may be granted;
- (d) the fees to be charged for any licence or permit or special licence or special permit;
- (e) in the case of any species of wild animals the number and the sex that may be killed under special permit;
- (f) reward to persons who render help in detection of offences under this Act;
- (g) the authorities by whom the conditions on which, and the manner in which licences may be issued;
- (h) the management of wildlife sanctuaries, national parks and game reserves;
- (i) tenure of office, resignation and terms and conditions of Members of the Board;
- (j) the recruitment, tenure of office, terms and conditions of service of the Officers and servants of the Board; and other persons;
- (k) the delegation of administrative and financial powers to Members, Secretary, Officers and servants of the Board; and other persons; and
- (l) any other matter required under any of the provisions of this Act to be prescribed.

47. Dissolution of the Board.- Government may by notification in the official gazette, declare that the Board shall be dissolved on such date and with such consequences as may be specified in the notification.

48. Repeal and validation.- (1)The following enactment in their application to the Province of the Punjab shall be deemed to have been repealed from the date the Punjab Ordinances Temporary Enactment Act, 1973, in so far as it enacted the provisions of the Punjab wildlife (Protection, Preservation, Conservation and Management) Ordinance, 1972 expired:

- (a) The Elephant Preservation Act, 1879 (Act No.VI of 1879);
- (b) The Wild Bird and Animal Protection Act, 1912 (Act VIII of 1912); and
- (c) The West Pakistan Wildlife Protection Ordinance, 1959 (West Pakistan Ordinance LVI of 1959).

(2) Everything done, action taken or order made under the Punjab Wildlife (Protection, Preservation, Conservation and Management) Ordinance, 1972 and its provisions as enacted by the Punjab Ordinances Temporary Enactment Act, 1973 on or after 25th October, 1972 and before the commencement of this Act shall be deemed to have been validly done, taken or make.

49. Repeal of Punjab Ordinance No. XX of 1973.- The Punjab Wildlife (Protection, Preservation, Conservation and Management) Ordinance, 1973 (Punjab Ordinance No.XX of 1973), is hereby repealed.

FIRST SCHEDULE

See Section 2(d)

PART - 1

Wild birds and animals which may be hunted on an ordinary shooting licence.

A – BIRDS

Name of species	Bag limit or number allowed per gun	Time and season when hunting permitted
Category one		
1. All the ducks within the family anatidae, including the tree ducks, diving ducks, surface feeding ducks except those ducks listed under the Third Schedule as protected or listed hereunder in the First Schedule.	Not more than ten ducks of all species per day.	1st October to 31 st March on Saturday & Sunday
2. Cotton Teal, (<i>Nettapus coromandelianus</i>)	Not more than two per day	Ditto
Category two		
3. Lesser white fronted goose (<i>Anser albifrons</i>)	Three only per day	1st October to 1 st March
Category Three		
Snipes, Plovers, Waders and allied Waterfowl		1st October to 1 st March
4. Fantail Snipe (<i>Capella gallinage</i>)	Eight only per day	Ditto
5. Jack Snipe, (<i>Capella minima</i>)	-do-	Ditto
6. Purple moor hen, (<i>Porphyrio porphyrio</i>)	Two only per day	Ditto
7. Moor hen, (<i>Gallinu chloropus</i>)	Four only per day	Ditto
8. Coot, (<i>Fulica atra</i>)	Twelve only per day	Ditto
9. Red wattled lapwing (<i>Vanellus indicus</i>)	Two only per day	Ditto
10. White Tailed Lapwing, (<i>Vanelus leucurus</i>)	Two only per day	Ditto
11. Grey plover or black bellied plover	Two only per day	Ditto

12.	<i>(Pluvialis squalarola)</i> Curlew (<i>Numenius arquat</i>)	-do-	Ditto
13.	Black tailed godwit (<i>Limosa limosa</i>)	Six only per day of all species of waders listed below	Ditto
14.	Wood Sandpiper (<i>Tringa glareola</i>)	-do-	1st October to 1 st March
15.	Green Shank (<i>Tringa nebularia</i>)	-do-	-do-
16.	Marsh Sandpiper (<i>Tringa stagnatilis</i>)	-do-	-do-
17.	Common redshank (<i>Tringa tetanus</i>)	Six only per day	-do-
18.	Dunlin, (<i>Calidris alpina</i>)	-do-	-do-
19.	Curlew sandpiper, (<i>Calidris ferruginea</i>)	-do-	-do-

Category Four

Pheasianids

20.	See See (<i>Ammoperdix griseogularis</i>)	Not more than five per day	15 th November to 15 February on Sunday only
21.	Black partridge (<i>Francolinus francolinus</i>)	Not more than six per day	-do-
22.	Grey partridge (<i>Francolinus pondicerianus</i>)	-do-	-do-
23.	Common quail, (<i>Conturnix coturnix</i>)	Fifty only per day	15 th August to 15 th April
24.	Black Breasted or Rain Quail (<i>Coturnix coromandelica</i>)	Not more than six per day	1 st August to 30 th September

Category Five

Pigeons and doves

25.	Blue rock pigeon, <i>Columba livia</i>	Ten only per day	1 st October to 1 st March
26.	Common ring dove, (<i>Streptopelia decaocto</i>)	Six only per day	-do-
27.	Rufous turtle dove, (<i>Streptopelia orientalis</i>)	Ten only per day	-do-
28.	Little brown dove or Senegal dove, (<i>Streptopelia senegalensis</i>)	Six only per day	1 st October to 1 st March
29.	Long tailed persian dove (<i>Streptopelia turtur arenicola</i>)	-do-	1 st October to 1 st March

30.	Turtle dove (<i>Streptopelia turtur auritus</i>)	-do-	-do
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Category Six

Sandgrouse, Bustards and Stone curlews

31.	Imperial sandgrouse (<i>Pterocles orientalis</i>)	Eight only per day	1 st October to 1 st March
32.	Stone Curlew (<i>Burhinus oedicephalus indicus</i>)	Eight only per day	1 st November to 1 st March
33.	Jerdon's courser (<i>Cursorius bitorquatus</i>)	Two only per day	-do-
33(i)	Psittacidae (<i>Parakeets</i>) (excluding Rose Ringed Parakeet)	Three birds per day except Alexandrine Parakeet	1 st August to 31 st January
33 (ii)	Cuculidae (<i>Cuckoos</i>)	Three birds per day	1 st August to 31 st January

Category Seven

Birds of Prey

34	Hawks	Three birds per day	1 st November to 1 st March
35	Buzzards	-do-	-do-
36	Harriers	-do-	-do-
37	Falcons	-do-	1 st September to 31 st December
38	Lugger Falcon	-do-	15 th June to 15 th December
38 (i)	Strigidae (<i>Owls</i>)	-do-	1 st August to 31 st January

Category Eight

39.	House Sparrow (<i>Passor domesticus</i>)	No limit	1 st August to end of February
40.	Estrilidae (<i>Munias</i>) (excluded)	-	-
41	Plocidae (<i>Bayas, Weaver bird</i>) (excluded)	-	-
42	Sturnidae (<i>Mynas</i>)	Three birds per day	1 st August to 31 st January
43	Motacillidae (<i>Wagtails</i>)	-do-	-do-
44	Timaliidae (<i>Babblers</i>)	-do-	-do-
45	Sylviidae (<i>Warblers</i>)	-do-	-do-
46	Pycnonotidae (<i>Bulbuls</i>)	-do-	-do-
47	Phipiduridae (<i>Fly catchers</i>)	-do-	-do-

48	Alaudidae (<i>Larks</i>)	-do-	-do-
49	Turdidae (<i>Robin, Chats, Starts</i>)	-do-	-do-

B: Mammals

1.	Cape hare (<i>Lepus capensis</i>)	Three hares per day	1 st September to 1 st March
2.	Desert hare (<i>Lepus nigricollis dayanus</i>)	-do-	-do-

Part-II

Wild animals for the hunting of which a special permit is required.
(See clause (III) of Section 9)

Sr. No.	Name of species	Season when hunting is permitted	Localities where hunting is permitted
1.	Possession / shooting / capturing of all kind of peafowls / pheasants (endemic & exotic)	i. 1st October – 31st January ii. Possession under Rule 3(5)(b) iii. Shooting / capturing under Rule 3 (2) (c)	i. Specified in Special Permit ii. Certificate of lawful possession

SECOND SCHEDULE

See Section 12(2)

Animals, trophies or meat for the possession, transfer or captive management in private sector or export of which certificate of Lawful possession is required.

1. Any live Game Animal
2. Any Trophy or Meat derived from a Game Animal
3. Trophy of any animal in the Third Schedule and of any animal protected in any other Province of Pakistan.
4.
 - i. Black buck (*Antelope cervicapra*)
 - ii. Chinkara (*Gazella bennettii*)
 - iii. Hog deer (*Axis porcinus*)
 - iv. Spotted deer (*Axis axis*)
 - v. Nilgai (*Boselaphus tragocamelus*)
 - vi. Punjab Urrial (*Ovis vignei*)

THIRD SCHEDULE

See Section 2(n) and 9 (ii)

Wild Birds and Animals Protected throughout the year.

A – Birds

Category One

The following ducks:

1. Lesser whistling teal (*Dendrocygna javanica*)
2. Greater whistling teal (*Dendrocygna bicolor*)
3. Ruddy shelduck (*Tadorna ferruginea*)
4. Common shelduck (*Tadorna tadorna*)
5. Marbled teal (*Marmaronetta angustirostris*)
6. Falcated teal (*Anas falcata*)
7. Baikal Teal (*Anas formosa*)
8. Spot billed duck (*Anas poecilorhyncha*)
9. Golden eyed duck (*Bucephala clangula*)
10. Long tailed duck (*Clangula hyemalis*)
11. Smew (*Mergus albellus*)
12. Goosander (*Mergus merganser*)
13. Red breasted merganser (*Mergus serrator*)
14. Red crested pochard (*Netta rufina*)
15. White headed or Stiff tailed duck (*Oxyura leucocephala*)
16. Nukhta or Comb duck (*Sarkidiornis melanotos*)

Category two

Swans

17. All Swans of the genus *Cygnus* including Bewick's swan (*Cygnus columbianus bewickii*), Whooper swan (*Cygnus cygnus*) and Mute swan (*Cygnus olor*).

Category Three

Geese

18. Grey lag Goose (*Anser anser*) and Bar-headed goose (*Anser indicus*)

Category Four

Cranes, bustards, coursers and quails

19. All members of *Gruidae* family including Demoiselle crane (*Anthropoides virgo*), Common crane (*Grus grus*) and Siberian crane (*Grus leucogeranus*)
20. Houbara bustard or Mequeen's bustard (*Chlamydotis undulata macqueenii*)
21. Great Indian bustard (*Choriotis nigriceps*)
22. Little bustard (*Otis tetrax*)
23. Little bustard quail (*Turnix sylvatica*)
24. Button quail (*Turnix tanki*)

Category Five

Pelicans

25. All pelicans of the genus *Pelecanus* including Dalmatian pelican (*Pelecanus crispus*), Rosy pelican (*Pelecanus onocrotalus*) and Spot billed pelican (*Pelecanus philippensis*)

Category Six

Egrets and herons

26. All Egrets, Herons, Night herons and Bitterns of the family *Ardeidae* including Purple heron (*Ardea purpurea*) Chestnut bittern (*Ixobrychus cinnamomeus*) and Common Bittern (*Botaurus stellaris*), Cattle egret (*Bubulcus ibis*) and Large egret (*Egretta alba*)

Category Seven

Storks

27. All storks of the family *Ciconiidae* including White stork (*Ciconia ciconia*), White necked stork (*Ciconia episcopus*), Black stork (*Ciconia nigra*) Black necked stork (*Ephippiorhynchus asiaticus*) and Painted stork (*Mycteria leucocephala*).

Category Eight

Ibises and spoonbills

28. All ibises and Spoonbills including the glossy ibis (*Plegadis falcinellus*), white ibis (*Threskiornis melanocephalus*) and spoonbill (*Platalea leucorodia*)

Category nine

Flamingoes

29. Lesser flamingo (*Phoeniconaias minor*) and Greater flamingo (*Phoeniconaias roseus*)

Category Ten

Pheasianids

30. All hill pheasants including the Cheer (*Catreus wallichii*) Impeyan or Monal (*Lophophorus impeyanus*). Kaleej (*Lophura leucomelana*), Koklas (*Pucrasia macrolopha*) and western horned tragopan (*Tragopan melanocephalus*)
31. Chukor partridge (*Alectoris chukar*)

Category Eleven

Plovers, Stone curlews, Waders, Water birds and Gallinules

32. Water rail (*Rallus aquaticus*)
33. White breasted water hen (*Amaurornis phoenicurus*)
34. Water cock (*Gallicrex cinerea*)
35. Pheasant tailed Jacana (*Hydrophasianus chirurgus*)
36. Sociable lapwing (*Vanellus gregarius*)
37. Yellow wattled lapwing (*vanellus malabaricus*)
38. Green plover or **Peewit** (*Vanellus vanellus*)
39. Solitary snipe (*Gallinago solitaria*)
40. Painted snipe (*Rostratula benghalensis*)
41. Wood cock (*Scolopax rusticola*)
42. Avocet (*Recurvirostra avosetta*)
43. Great stone plover (*Esacus recurvirostris*)
44. Indian courser (*Cursorius coromandelicus*)
45. Cream coloured courser (*Cursorius cursor*)

Category Twelve

Sandgrouse, Pigeon and Doves

46. Large pintail sandgrouse (*Pterocles alchata*)
47. Coronetted sandgrouse (*Pterocles coronatus*)
48. Indian sandgrouse (*Pterocles exustus*)
49. Houbara Bustard or Mcqueens Bustard (*Chalmydotis undulata*) for areas of Tehsil Kot Adu of Muzzaffargarh District, Tehsil Chaubara, Layyah and Karor Lal Easan of Layyah District, Jhang and Shorkot Tehsils of Jhang District Khushab and Nurpor Tehsils of Khushab District and Mankera, Bhakkar and Kalur Kot Tehsils of Bhakkar District.
50. Close barred or Painted sandgrouse (*Pterocles indicus*)
51. Spotted sandgrouse (*Pterocles senegallus*)
52. Wood pigeon (*Columba palumbus*)
53. Green pigeon (*Treron Phoenicoptera*)
54. Spotted Dove (*Streptopelia chinensis*)
55. Red turtle dove (*Streptopelia tranquebarica*)

Category Thirteen

Birds of Prey

56. Eagles, Vultures and Kites

Category Fourteen

57. Rosy starling (*Sturnus roseus*) and Common starling (*Sturnus vulgaris*)

B: MAMMALS

Category One

Carnivores

58. Black Bear (*Selenarctos thibetanus*)
59. Leopard or Panther (*Panthera pardus*)
60. Snow leopard (*Panthera uncia*)
61. Leopard cat (*Felis benghalensis*)
62. Caracal (*Felis caracal*)
63. Desert cat (*Felis libyca*)
64. Jungle cat (*Felis chaus*)
65. Fishing cat (*Felis viverrina*)
66. Himalayan palm civet (*Paguma larvata*)
67. Small Indian civet (*Viverricula indica*)
68. Yellow throated marten (*Martes flavigula*)
69. Ratel or honey badger (*Mellivora capensis*)
70. Smooth coated otter (*Lutra perspicillata*)
71. Striped hyaena (*Hyaena hyaena*)
72. Hill fox (*Vulpes vulpes griffithi*)
73. Indian wolf (*Canis lupus pallipes*)
74. Wolf (*Canis lupus*)
75. Small Indian mongoose (*Herpestes auropunctatus*)
76. Common Indian mongoose (*Herpestes mungo*)
77. Ruddy mongoose (*Herpestes smithi*)

Category Two

Ungulates

78. Barking Deer (*Muntiacus muntjak*)
79. Goral (*Naemorhedus goral*)

Category Three

Other mammals

80. Indian fruit bat (*Pteropus giganteus*)
81. Rhesus monkey (*Maccaca mulatta*)
82. Scaly anteater or Indian pangolin (*Manis crassicaudatus*)
83. Flying squirrel (*Petaurista petaurista*)
84. Indus dolphin (*Platanista minor*)

C: REPTILES

85. All monitor lizards of the genus *Varanus* and Spiny tailed lizards of the genus *Uromastix*
86. All Snakes of the family *Colubridae* containing non-poisonous and beneficial snakes and the genus *Python*
87. All Crocodiles including Mugger, *Corcodilus palustris* and the fish eating crocodile or gavial *Gavialis gangeticus*
88. All Species of Order *Chelonia*

FOURTH SCHEDULE

SCHEDULE OF WILD BIRDS AND ANIMALS WHICH ARE NOT PROTECTED

See Section 2(v)

<u>Sr.No.</u>	<u>Scientific Name</u>	<u>English Name</u>	<u>Vernacular Name</u>
1.	<i>Corvus levaillantit</i>	Himalayan jungle crow	Kowa, Kawwa, kan, pahari kowa
2.	<i>Corvus splendens</i>	House crow	Kan, kowa, desi kan
3.	<i>Psittacula krameri</i>	Rose ringed parakeet	Parrot
4.	<i>Caprimulgus indicus unwini</i>	Himalayan night jar	Chippak, chappa, dab chiri, dabbak, andha chirya
5.	<i>Caprimulgus macrurus</i>	Long tailed night jar	Chapks
6.	<i>Caprimulgus indicus</i>	Indian jungle night jar	Kapoo
7.	<i>Lynocornis cerviniceps</i>	Great eared night jar	Sandhya muznaki
8.	Family: Viduiidae	Munias	Lal munias
9.	Family: Ploecinae	Weaver birds	Baya bija etc.
10.	<i>Hystrix indica</i>	Indian porcupine	Suai-sa kundewalli
11.	<i>Mus (whole family)</i>	Rats and Mice	Chuha, Chuhi
12.	<i>Sus scrofa cristatus</i>	Wild boar	Suhar, barla, janwar, khanzeer

BY ORDER OF THE
SPEAKER
PROVINCIAL ASSEMBLY OF THE PUNJAB

SH. MUHAMMAD ASADULLAH
Secretary
Provincial Assembly of the Punjab

THE PUNJAB WILDLIFE (PROTECTION, PRESERVATION, CONSERVATION AND MANAGEMENT) RULES, 1974

NOTIFICATION

The 16th September 1974

No.SO.FT(EXT)XII-6/73. In exercise of powers conferred by section 46 of the Punjab Wildlife (Protection, Preservation, conservation and Management) (Amendment) Act, 2007 (Punjab Act. No.II of 1974), the Government of the Punjab is pleased to make the following rules:

1. (i) These rules may be called the Punjab Wildlife (Protection, Preservation, Conservation and Management) Rules, 1974.
(ii) They shall come into force at once.
2. (i) In these rules unless the context otherwise requires, the following expressions shall have the meanings hereby respectively assigned to them, that is to say:
 - (a) "Form" Means a form appended to these rules;
 - (b) "Act" means the Punjab Wildlife (Protection, Preservation, Conservation and Management) (Amendment) Act, 2007; and
 - (c) "Year" means a calendar year ending 31st December
 (ii) All other expressions used in these rules shall have the meaning respectively assigned to them in the Act.
3. (i) Subject to the conditions specified in the Act or these rules the permits, especial permits, licences or special licences as the case may be specified in the Table below shall be issued in accordance with the provisions thereof:

Sr. No.	Nature of permit or licence	Provision under which issued	Form of permit or licence	Issuing authority	Duration and extent	Fee
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|-----|---|---------------------------|---|---|----------------------|---|
| 1. | A licence for hunting, shooting and netting | | | | | |
| (a) | By shooting | Clause (iii) of Section 9 | A | Director General, Wildlife & Parks, Pb.
Deputy Director Wildlife,
Assistant Director Wildlife,
Honorary Divisional & District Game Warden &
Distt. Wildlife Officer | One year
Province | Rs.2000/- for citizens of Pakistan and
Rs.10000/- for Foreigners |
| (b) | Netting licence | Clause (iii) of | B | Director General, | One year | Rs.10000/- |

	for Quails	Section 9		Wildlife & Parks, Pb. Deputy Director Wildlife, Assistant Director Wildlife, Honorary Divisional & District Game Warden & Distt. Wildlife Officer	Province	
(c)	Netting of Hawks and Falcons	Clause (iii) of Section 9	B	Director General, Wildlife & Parks, Pb. and Respective Deputy Director Wildlife	One year Province for Hawks & one year District for Falcons	For Hawks Rs.25000/- For Falcons Rs.25000/-
(d)	Netting of Luggar Falcon	Clause (iii) of Section 9	B	Director General, Wildlife & Parks, Pb. Respective Deputy Director Wildlife	One year District	Rs.2500/-
2(a)	A special permit for shooting of Urrial, Nilgai, Black buck, Hog deer and Chinkara etc.	-do-	C	Director General, Wildlife & Parks, Pb.	7 days for specified areas	i. Gun shooting licence fee US \$ 500. ii. Special permit for trophy hunting fee : a) Minimum for Urrial US \$ 12000 (horns not less than 55 cm) b) Nilgai, Hog deer, Black buck and Chinkara etc As per fixed price with horns / antlers specified in Special Permit
(b)	A special permit for capturing of hare	-do-	C	Director General, Wildlife & Parks, Pb. & Deputy Director Wildlife	-do-	Rs.1000/-
(c)	A special permit for capturing / shooting of Peafowls and Pheasants	-do-	C	Director General, Wildlife & Parks, Pb.	-do-	i) Fee for Special Permit Rs.5000/- ii) Price for Birds according to species Rs.500/-
3.	Licence to use any prohibited method	Clause (iii)(b) of Section 9	D	Board or any person authorised by the Board	7 days Province	
4.	Special licence for possession of and hunting with Hawks or Falcons					
(a)	i) Baz or Jurra	Section 10	E	Director General, Wildlife & Parks, Pb.	One year province	Rs.10000/-

				Deputy Director Wildlife, Assistant Director Wildlife		
	ii) Basha	-do-	-do-	-do-	-do-	Rs.5000/-
	iii) Shikra	-do-	-do-	-do-	-do-	Rs.200/-
	iv) Falcons	-do-	-do-	-do-	-do-	Rs.2500/-
	v) Luggar Falcon	-do-	-do-	-do-	-do-	Rs.300/-
b)	A special licence for possession of and coursing with Grey Hounds	Section 10	E	Director General, Wildlife & Parks, Pb. Deputy Director Wildlife, Assistant Director Wildlife and Honorary Divisional Game Wardens and District Wildlife officer	One year Province	Rs.500/-
(c)	Possession licence for gun dog	Section 10	E	Director General, Wildlife & Parks, Pb. Deputy Director Wildlife, Assistant Director Wildlife & Distt. Wildlife Officer	One year Province	Rs.500/-
5.	Certificate of lawful possession					
(a)	Live birds and animals excluding peafowl, common quail and rain quail	Section 12	F	Director General, Wildlife & Parks, Pb. Deputy Director Wildlife, Assistant Director Wildlife, District Wildlife Officer, Honorary Divisional & District Game Warden	Five years Province	Rs.500/- per bird and Rs.2000/- per animal per annum Provided that no fee shall be charged from professionals for keeping/ performing bears & monkeys
(b)	All kind of peafowls and pheasants (endemic & exotic excluding the species mentioned in III Schedule	-do-	-do-	Director General, Wildlife & Parks, Pb. Respective Deputy Director Wildlife	One year Province	Rs.200/- per bird
(c)	Trophies	Section 12	F	Director General, Wildlife & Parks, Pb., Deputy Director Wildlife, Assistant Director Wildlife & Honorary Divisional Game Warden	So long as the trophy remains in the possession of licensee Province	Rs.100/- per bird and Rs.500/- per animal Urinal US \$ 500
(d)	i. Black buck	-do-	F	Director General, Wildlife & Parks, Pb., Deputy Director Wildlife	One year Province	Rs.2000/-
	ii. Chinkara	-do-	-do-	-do-	-do-	-do-

	iii. Spotted deer	-do-	-do-	-do-	-do-	-do-
	iv. Hog deer					
	iv. Nilgai	-do-	-do-	-do-	-do-	-do-
	v. Punjab Urial	-do-	-do-	-do-	-do-	-do-
6.	A permit to import any wild animal of exotic or endemic species or meat or trophy of a kind specified in sub-section (I) of Section 14	Section 14 Sub-section (1)	G	Director General, Wildlife & Parks, Pb.	(Period 7 days commencing with issue date)	All species of pigeon Rs.50/- per bird
					-do-	All species of Sparrow (endemic & exotic) Rs.10/- per bird
					-do-	All species of Munias & Finches (endemic & exotic) Rs.100/- per bird
					-do-	All species of parakeet & Love birds (endemic & exotic) Rs.100/- per bird
					-do-	All species of pheasants (endemic & exotic) Rs.500/- per bird
					-do-	All species of peafowls (endemic & exotic) Rs.1000/- per bird
					-do-	All species of partridges (endemic & exotic) Rs.500/- per bird
					-do-	All species of ducks (endemic & exotic) Rs.100/- per bird
					-do-	All species of Doves Rs.100/- per bird

						-do-	All species of Mynas (endemic & exotic) Rs.100/- per bird
						-do-	All species of prey birds except falcons Rs.1000/- per bird
						-do-	Falcons Rs.20000/- per bird
						-do-	All other bird species Rs.5000/- per bird
						-do-	All species of Deer Rs.5000/- per animal
						-do-	All species of Antelopes Rs.5000/- per animal
						-do-	Urial Rs.5000/- per animal
						-do-	Goral Rs.5000/- per animal
						-do-	All species of wild cats Rs.2 000/- per animal
						-do-	All species of Big cats Rs.10000/- per animal
						-do-	All other mammal / reptile species Rs.20000/- per animal
7.	A permit to export any wild animal of exotic or endemic species or trophy or meat or trophy of a kind specified in sub-section (2) of Section 14	Section 14 Sub-section (2)	H	Director General, Wildlife & Parks, Pb.	(Period 7 days commencing with issue date)		All species of pigeon Rs.50/- per bird
						-do-	All species of Sparrow (endemic & exotic) Rs.10/- per bird

- do- All species of Munias & Finches (endemic & exotic)
Rs.100/- per bird
- do- All species of parakeet & Love birds (endemic & exotic)
Rs.100/- per bird
- do- All species of pheasants (endemic & exotic)
Rs.500/- per bird
- do- All species of peafowls (endemic & exotic)
Rs.1000/- per bird
- do- All species of partridges (endemic & exotic)
Rs.500/- per bird
- do- All species of ducks (endemic & exotic)
Rs.100/- per bird
- do- All species of Doves
Rs.100/- per bird
- do- All species of Mynas (endemic & exotic)
Rs.100/- per bird
- do- All species of prey birds except falcons
Rs.1000/- per bird
- do- Falcons
Rs.20000/- per bird
- do- All other bird species
Rs.5000/- per bird

					-do-	All species of Deer Rs.5000/- per animal
					-do-	All species of Antelopes Rs.5000/- per animal
					-do-	Urial Rs.5000/- per animal
					-do-	Goral Rs.5000/- per animal
					-do-	All species of wild cats Rs.2 000/- per animal
					-do-	All species of Big cats Rs.10000/- per animal
					-do-	All other mammal / reptile species Rs.20000/- per animal
8.	A dealer's licence to deal in wild animals, trophies or meat thereof and to manufacture goods or articles from such trophies or meat					
(a)	Licence for dealing in quails	Section 15	I	Director General, Wildlife & Parks, Pb. Deputy Director Wildlife, Assistant Director Wildlife	One year Province	Rs.25000/-
(b)	Licence for dealing in trophies	-do-	-do-	-do-	-do-	Rs.5000/-
(c)	Licence for dealing in Hawks	-do-	-do-	-do-	-do-	Rs.5000/-
(d)	Licence for dealing in Falcons	-do-	-do-	Director General, Wildlife & Parks, Pb. & Deputy Director Wildlife	-do-	Rs.60000/-

(e)	Licence for dealing in Luggar Falcon	-do-	-do-	Director General, Wildlife & Parks, Pb. Deputy Director Wildlife, Assistant Director Wildlife Board	-do-	Rs.10000/-
9.	Special permit to do any act prohibited under sub-section 3 of Section 16	Proviso to sub-section 3 of Section 16	J		To be fixed by the issuing authority	To be fixed by the Board
10.	Special permit to do any act prohibited under sub-section 4 of Section 17	Proviso to sub-section 4 of Section 17	K	-do-	-do-	-do-
11.	Special permit for hawking, coursing or shooting in a Game Reserve	Section 18	L	Director General, Wildlife & Parks, Pb.	7 days in a specified Game Reserve	Rs.2000/- per gun per day Rs.2000/- per hawk per day Rs.1000/- per dog per day
12.	Special permit for netting of Falcons in a game Reserve	Section 18	-do-	Director General, Wildlife & Parks, Punjab	7-days in a specified Game Reserve	Rs.100/- per helper per day
13.	Registration of sports club for organizing coursing competition.	Rule 6 (I)	Not prescribed	Director General, Wildlife & Parks, Pb.	Once for all	Rs.1000/-
14	Registration of CBOs / NGOs for Conservation of wildlife in specific area and accord permission to organize trophy hunting	Rule 6 (v)	-do-	Director General, Wildlife & Parks, Pb	For one calendar year for specific area	Rs.10000/-

(ii) Every licence issued under these rules other than a licence or permit of the nature mentioned at serial Nos. 2, 3, 6, 7, 9, 10 and 11 of the table given in sub-rule I, shall be valid upto 31st December of the year for which it is issued or the date of expiry of the arms licence whichever is earlier.

(iii) The fee for the renewal of any licence issued under these rules shall be that which is prescribed in these rules for the issue of the licence.

(iv) Every permit, special licence or certificate as the case may be, issued under Sections 9, 10, 12, 14 and 15 shall have pasted therein, a recent photograph (passport size) of the holder thereof duly attested by the issuing authority.

(v) If a licence or permit, or certificate issued under the Act is lost or accidentally destroyed, the authority which had issued the same may issue a duplicate thereof after charging a fee of twenty five rupees: provided a fresh copy may be issued to a person in lieu of a licence

which is worn out and has become unserviceable after charging a fee of rupee one.

- (vi) Notwithstanding anything contained in sub-rule (i) above the Chairman / Secretary of the Board shall have the power to issue free licence or permits for hunting or shooting to the Heads of States, members of Diplomatic Corps and other VIPs.
4. the authority issuing licences, permits, special permits or certificates shall maintain a register in form 'M' and all licences, permits, special permits or certificates issued or renewed by them shall be entered therein as soon as they are issued or renewed.
5. (i) A shooting licence may be granted only to such persons as are entitled to carry or possess shot guns and rifles under the Pakistan Arms act, 1965 or are exempted from the operation of the Act.
- (ii) A retainer shall not be entitled to shoot any game animal unless he is in possession of a valid shooting licence, under these rules, in his own name.
- (iii) No party engaged in the shooting of partridges shall consist of more than 3 licences and the number of beaters shall not exceed 10.
- (iv) A special permit issued under these rules shall not entitle the holder thereof to hunt any female or young one of any game animal.
- (v) A special licence issued for possession of and hunting with Hawks or Falcons shall not entitle the holder thereof to hunt any variety of ducks
- (vi) The applicant shall declare the source of wild animals specified in the second schedule under Serial No.4 before the possession licence issuing authority". A period of one year would be given as Grace from the date of issuance of this Notification.
6. (i) For coursing competitions organized by sports clubs registered by the Director General, Wildlife & parks hares may be captured under a special permit to be obtained from the Director General, Wildlife & Parks.
- (ii) The fee to register the sports clubs will be Rupees one thousand (Rs.1000/-).
- (iii) The number of hares that may be captured under a permit shall not exceed fifty.
- (iv) While coursing, not more than two grey hounds shall be slipped from leash after a hare.
- (v) Registration of CBOs / NGOs for Conservation of Wildlife in specific area and accord permission to organize trophy hunting.
7. The holder of netting licence will not employ more than one gear and two persons to assist him in his job and will not be authorised to keep more than 40 alive decoys or apply Tape Recorder as Call Bird.
8. The holder of a dealer's licence shall maintain a register on Form 'N' and shall produce on demand made by any officer authorised in this behalf. He shall not

purchase any wild animal except from a person holding a valid netting licence under the rules.

9. No person shall possess, cook or serve in any public place, hotel, café, restaurant, boarding house or any other catering place any bird or animal mentioned in the First Schedule except during the periods specified in respect of these birds or animals in the third column of the schedule.
10. No person shall carry a firearm or take with him a sporting dog within a National Park, Wildlife Sanctuary or Game Reserve unless a right of way through such park, sanctuary or reserve exists or a permit for such purpose is obtained from the Honorary District Game Warden or Director General, Wildlife & parks or Deputy Director Wildlife or Assistant Director Wildlife.
11. All trophies of wild animals will be numbered and registered in the office of the Director General, Wildlife & Parks. A disc bearing registration number will be issued to the licence which will be attached with the trophy.
12. The following persons are authorised to require the production of a certificate under Section 28 to lodge complaint under Section 34.
 - (i) All Civil servants in grades 16 and above
 - (ii) All Magistrates
 - (iii) All Wildlife Supervisors, all Wildlife Inspectors, all Head Wildlife Watchers, Wildlife Watchers and CBOs / NGOs and Volunteer Wildlife Watchers registered under Rule 6 (v) for particular community managed / conservation areas.
 - (iv) All Honorary game Wardens
13. An officer not below the rank of a Wildlife Inspector may arrest any person under Section 31 of the Act.
14. An officer not below the rank of Assistant Director Wildlife and Honorary District Game Warden may accept compensation under Section 38 of the Act.
15.
 - (i) Director General, Wildlife & Parks, Deputy Director Wildlife, Assistant Director Wildlife, District Wildlife Officer, Supervisor, Wildlife Inspector, Head Wildlife Watchers and Wildlife Watchers are authorised to exercise the powers of seizure under Section 26 of the Act.
 - (ii) The property seized under Section 26 may as soon as possible be produced before the nearest Magistrate competent to try an offence under the Act.
 - (iii) The officer authorised under Section 26 seizing any property which is subject to speedy and natural decay may sell it by auction and the money so recovered shall be deposited into the Government Treasury.
16. Director General, Wildlife & Parks, Deputy Director Wildlife, Assistant Director Wildlife, District Wildlife Officer, Supervisor, Wildlife Inspector, Head Wildlife Watchers and Wildlife Watchers are authorised to confiscate

the property under Section 30 of the Act and to sell it by auction and the money so received will be treated as revenue of the Government.

17. The authority next above to the person lodging complaint under the Act may withdraw the case from the court or compound the offence.
 - (i) The authority next above the authority issuing licences, special permits, can cancel the same on the receipt of complaint against the licensee.
18. (i) The Chairman or Secretary of the Board shall have the power of granting rewards in Wildlife offences out of sums accepted as compensation not exceeding $\frac{3}{4}$ th of the amount realized.
 - (ii) The Director General, Wildlife & Parks, Punjab shall have the power of granting rewards in Wildlife Offences out of sums accepted as compensation not exceeding $\frac{1}{2}$ of the amount realized up to maximum of Rs.25,000/- at a time with a maximum limit of Rs.5,000/- per person in each case.
 - (iii) The Deputy Director, Wildlife shall have the power of granting rewards in Wildlife Offences out of compensation not exceeding $\frac{1}{3}$ rd of the amount realized upto maximum of Rs.10,000/- at a time with a maximum limit of Rs.5,000/- per person in each case.
19. Director General, Wildlife & Parks, Deputy Director Wildlife, Assistant Director Wildlife, District Wildlife Officer, Supervisor, Wildlife Inspector, Head Wildlife Watchers and all Honorary Game Wardens are authorised to make search without warrants under Section 25 of the Act.
20. Fees payable under these rules shall be paid in cash or through Treasury Challans.
 - (i) Director General, Wildlife & Parks, Punjab in exercise of his powers can revoke registration of CBOs / NGOs or any member / members without assigning any reason.
21. The Punjab (Protection, Preservation, Conservation and Management) Rules, 1973 issued, vide Notification dated 12th January 1974 are hereby repealed.

By order of the Governor of the Punjab

M.I.R. KHAN
Secretary to Government of the Punjab,
Forestry and Wildlife Department

The Punjab Wildlife Management Board

FORM 'A'

LICENCE UNDER CLAUSE (III) SECTION 9 (SEE ITEM I(a) OF THE TABLE
BELOW RULE 3(1))

Serial No. _____

Date of issue _____

In consideration of the sum of Rs. _____ received from Mr. _____ whose photograph duly attested by the undersigned is pasted herein, this permit valid upto 31st December, _____ is issued to him. The permit holder is entitled to hunt by shooting in the manner and to the extent provided in the rules.

Signature and designation of the
Authority issuing the permit

The Punjab Wildlife Management Board

FORM 'B'

NETTING LICENCE SEE RULES 3(1) ITEM NO.1(b)

Serial No. _____

Date of issue _____

In consideration of the sum of Rs. _____ received from Mr. _____ whose photograph duly attested by the undersigned is pasted on page opposite, this licence is hereby issued to him and is valid upto _____. The licence holder is authorized to capture quails / hawks / falcons.

2. The licence is issued under the provisions of the Punjab Wildlife (Protection, Preservation, Conservation and Management) (Amendment) Act, 2007 and the rules framed there-under.

Signature and designation of the
Authority issuing the licence

RENEWAL OF LICENCE

Period	Signature and designation of the Renewing Authority	Date of renewal
----- ----- Upto	----- ----- -----	----- ----- -----

Signature and designation
of the Authority issuing the
licence

The Punjab Wildlife Management Board

FORM 'C'

SPECIAL PERMIT FOR SHOOTING OF URIAL / NILGAI / CHINKARA/BLACK
BUCK & CAPTURING OF HARE / PEAFOWL

Serial No. _____

Date of issue _____

In consideration of the sum of Rs.____ received from Mr._____ this permit,
valid upto _____ issued to him. The permit holder is entitled to shoot / capture

This permit is issued under the provisions of the Punjab Wildlife (Protection,
Preservation, Conservation and Management) (Amendment) Act, 2007 and the rules
framed there-under.

Signature and designation of the
Authority issuing the permit

The Punjab Wildlife Management Board

FORM 'D'

LICENCE TO USE ANY PROHIBITED METHOD UNDER CLAUSE VIII (b) OF
SECTION 9

Serial No. _____

Date of issue _____

In consideration of the sum of Rs. _____ received from Mr. _____ the permit
has been issued by the undersigned, valid upto _____. The licence holder is entitled
to _____.

Signature and designation of the
Authority issuing the permit

The Punjab Wildlife Management Board

FORM E

LICENCE FOR POSSESSION OF AND HUNTING WITH HAWKS / DOGS UNDER SECTION 10

Serial No. _____

Date of issue _____

In consideration of the sum of Rs.____ received from Mr._____ whose photograph duly attested by the undersigned is pasted herein, this special licence valid upto 31st December,____ is issued to him, the licence holder shall be entitled to hunt with _____ in the manner and to the extent provided in these rules.

Signature and designation of the
Authority issuing the licence

RENEWAL OF LICENCE

Period	Signature and designation of the Renewing Authority	Date of renewal
----- ----- Upto Upto ----- -----		

Signature and designation of the
Authority issuing the licence

The Punjab Wildlife Management Board

FORM 'F'

CERTIFICATE OF LAWFUL POSSESSION UNDER SECTION 12

Serial No. _____

Date of issue _____

In consideration of the sum of Rs. _____ received from Mr. _____ whose photograph duly attested by the undersigned is pasted herein, this Certificate is issued to him. Certificate holder is entitled to possess _____. This is valid upto 31st December, _____.

Signature and designation of the
Authority issuing the licence

The Punjab Wildlife Management Board

FORM 'G'

PERMIT TO IMPORT ANY WILD ANIMAL OF EXOTIC OR ENDEMIC SPECIES, A TROPHY OR MEAT OF A KIND SPECIFIED IN SUB-SECTION (1) OF SECTION 14

Serial No. _____

Date of issue _____

In consideration of the sum of Rs. _____ received from Mr. _____ whose photograph duly attested by the undersigned is pasted herein, this permit valid upto _____ is issued to him. The permit holder shall, subject to the provisions of sub-section (1) of Section 14, be entitled to import _____.

Signature and designation of the
Authority issuing the permit

The Punjab Wildlife Management Board

FORM 'H'

PERMIT TO EXPORT ANY WILD ANIMAL OF EXOTIC OR ENDEMIC SPECIES, A TROPHY OR MEAT OF A KIND SPECIFIED IN SUB-SECTION (2) OF SECTION 14

Serial No. _____

Date of issue _____

In consideration of the sum of Rs. _____ received from Mr. _____ whose photograph duly attested by the undersigned is pasted herein, this permit valid upto _____ is issued to him. The permit holder shall subject to the provisions of sub-section (2) of section 14 be entitled to export _____.

Signature and designation of the
Authority issuing the permit

The Punjab Wildlife Management Board

FORM 'I'

DEALER'S LICENCE UNDER SECTION 15

Serial No. _____

Date of issue _____

In consideration of the sum of Rs. _____ received from Mr. _____ whose photograph duly attested by the undersigned is pasted herein, this licence valid upto 31st December _____ is issued to him. The licence holder shall be entitled to buy, sell or otherwise deal with _____ under the provisions of the rules.

Signature and designation of the
Authority issuing the licence

The Punjab Wildlife Management Board

FORM 'J'

SPECIAL PERMIT TO DO ANY ACT PROHIBITED UNDER
SUB-SECTION 3 OF SECTION 16

Serial No. _____

Date of issue _____

In consideration of the sum of Rs. _____ received from Department of _____
Government of _____ (statutory organization or local authority / Mr. _____
whose photograph duly attested by the undersigned is pasted herein, this permit valid
upto _____ is issued to the said department / Statuary body / local authority /
person. The permit holder shall be entitled to do _____.

Signature and designation of the
Authority issuing the permit

The Punjab Wildlife Management Board

FORM 'K'

SPECIAL PERMIT TO DO ANY ACT PROHIBITED UNDER
SUB-SECTION 4 OF SECTION 17

Serial No. _____

Date of issue _____

In consideration of the sum of Rs.____ received from Mr._____ whose photograph duly attested by the undersigned is pasted herein, this permit valid upto _____ is issued to the said department / statutory body, local authority / person. The permit holder shall be entitled to do _____.

Signature and designation of the
Authority issuing the permit

The Punjab Wildlife Management Board

FORM 'L'

SPECIAL PERMIT FOR HUNTING IN GAME RESERVE UNDER
SECTION 18

Serial No. _____

Date of issue _____

In consideration of the sum of Rs.____ received from Mr._____ whose photograph duly attested by the undersigned is pasted herein, this permit valid for _____ is issued to him. The permit holder is entitled to hunt in _____ Game Reserve by shooting / hawking / coursing on Sunday only under provisions of the rules.

Signature and designation of the
Authority issuing the permit

The Punjab Wildlife Management Board

FORM 'M'

REGISTER OF PERMITS ISSUED OR RENEWED UNDER THE PUNJB
WILDLIFE (PROTECTION, PRESERVATION, CONSERVATION AND
MANAGEMENT) (AMENDMENT ACT, 2007

Date of issue or renewal	Name of applicant and his father's name	Address in full	No. and date of licence the West Pakistan Arms Ordinance 1965	No. of shooting permit	Type of permit	Fee realized	Signature of authority issuing or renewing the permit
1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	6.	7.	8.

The Punjab Wildlife Management Board

FORM 'N'

REGISTER TO BE USED BY THE LICENCED DEALER UNDER THE RULES

Serial No.	Name of Species	Date of purchase	Number purchased	From whom purchased with his licence No.	Number sold	To whom sold	Remarks
1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	6.	7.	8.

