

The Honourable Kim Chance MLC
Minister for Agriculture and Food, Forestry
Parliament House
PERTH WA 6000

Dear Minister

In accordance with section 6I of the *Financial Management Act 2006*, I have pleasure in submitting for your information and presentation to Parliament the Annual Report of the Agriculture Protection Board for the year ending 30 June 2008.

The report includes:

- A brief background on the board itself;
- An overview of issues and achievements throughout the 2007/2008 year;
- Financial Statements;
- The Boards key performance measures and outputs; and
- A number of appendices containing supplementary information.

On behalf of the Board, I once again take this opportunity to thank you for your ongoing support throughout the past year and both I and my fellow Members look forward to continuing our close working relationship.

Yours sincerely

Chris Richardson
CHAIRMAN, APB

STATEMENT OF COMPLIANCE

In accordance with section 6I of the *Financial Management Act 2006*, we hereby submit for your information and presentation to Parliament, the annual Report of the Agriculture Protection Board for the year ended 30 June 2008.

The Annual Report has been prepared in accordance with the provisions of the *Financial Management Act 2006*.

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OVERVIEW

Executive Summary

The *Biosecurity and Agriculture Management Act 2007* (BAM Act) received the Royal Assent on 12 October 2007. Since that date steady progress has been made in preparation for the full implementation of the BAM Act.

A provision of the Act enabled the establishment of the Western Australian Agriculture Authority (WAAA) and the Biosecurity Council. The remaining sections of the Act, including the biosecurity provisions, will commence operation following enactment of the required subsidiary legislation.

The establishment of the WAAA has enabled the transfer of APB assets (including intellectual property) to the WAAA. The MOU between the Department of Agriculture and Food (DAFWA) and the Agriculture Protection Board (APB) has been revised and more administrative duties have been delegated to the Chief Agriculture Protection Officer (CAPO).

Biosecurity Council

The Biosecurity Council was appointed by the Minister on the 27 February 2008. The APB will continue to operate in tandem with the Biosecurity Council until the sections of the BAM Act that relate to the APB responsibilities are enacted.

APB and Biosecurity Council members have been provided with a copy of the BAM Act and the "Biosecurity Risk Management in WA" which is the document produced from the Biosecurity Review undertaken in partnership with the Department of Fisheries (DoF), the Department of Environment and Conservation (DEC) and Forest Products Commission (FPC) in 2007. It documents the current status of biosecurity in WA and also identifies potential gaps in current risk management strategies and suggests key improvements to address highlighted issues. The Review findings were used as the basis for a joint Cabinet submission (from the four Biosecurity Agencies) is seeking additional funds to ensure that these agencies have the financial capacity to manage the key biosecurity issues facing Western Australia.

Industry Funding Schemes

The proposed new Industry Funding Scheme for grain and hay producers is the first of several suggested overarching industry funding schemes currently being developed by producer representatives, with support from DAFWA.

The new BAM Act provides for modern, flexible, industry-based funding mechanisms to be established for the eradication and containment of serious pests. Under the new legislation, pest-specific schemes, like that presently in place to deal with Skeleton Weed, will be removed and replaced with industry controlled schemes that are much more flexible.

Funds raised under the new arrangements will be able to be used to eradicate/contain potentially any serious pests affecting the sector of the industry concerned and will include provisions for affected producers to be compensated for certain qualifying losses, to ensure incentive for early reporting of new biosecurity threats.

Pastoral ZCAs - Recognised Biosecurity Groups

The five Zone Control Authorities (ZCA) operating in the State's pastoral areas have been actively supported in the process towards becoming Recognised Biosecurity Groups (RBGs). Under the BAM Act there is the opportunity for RBGs to expand on the work of the ZCAs in the rangelands as they will have additional scope to address a broader range of biosecurity threats, by virtue of the more fully encompassing definition of "declared pest" in the *Biosecurity and Agriculture Management Act 2007*.

RBGs will be independent incorporated groups with membership that will comprise private land holders, representatives from local government, mining companies, the Department of Environment and Conservation, and other land managers as appropriate. RBG management committees will be selected from among their fee paying membership, and will oversee the day-to-day business of the RBG according to the guiding rules embodied in a Constitution which the Groups themselves will define.

Agricultural Zone Control Authorities

The fifteen zones covering the agricultural region have been abolished and the agricultural ZCAs ceased to operate with effect from the 30 June 2008. Discussions continue on suitable replacement mechanisms and several regional Natural Resource Management Groups have expressed interest in becoming a RBG.

Operational Matters

The APB Pastoral Conference was held over two days during March 2008 with day one focusing on cross agency issues relevant to the rangelands and pastoral industry and day two provided opportunity for each ZCA to discuss issues of importance to their zone. Several motions were raised at the conference and forwarded on to the Minister for his consideration.

Wild dog management continues to be an emotive issue and it is hoped that implementation of the Rangelands Wild Dog Management Policy, endorsed by the APB, will see an improvement in the coordination of wild dog management in the rangelands. The Bait Production Unit and the Vertebrate Pests Research group have combined their efforts to produce dried meat sausage baits for wild dogs and foxes, significantly reducing the cost of factory produced baits and ensuring the availability of baits for all landholders.

Two significant collaborative research projects were signed off with the Rangeland Natural Resource Management Group. The projects include the DNA study of camels and wild dogs in the rangelands and will lead to information that will assist in the development of targeted long term management strategies for these animal pests.

Reviews have been initiated for three eradication programs currently in progress in WA. They are the starling, skeleton weed and bedstraw eradication programs. The APB and DAFWA have been able to engage national and international expertise to review these important programs. It is intended that all three reviews will be ready to report before the end of 2008.

Operational Structure

Enabling Legislation

The Agriculture Protection Board is established under the *Agriculture Protection Board Act 1950*.

Administered Legislation

The Agriculture Protection Board is responsible for the administration of the following statutes:

- *Agriculture and Related Resources Protection Act, 1976*
- *Plant Pests and Diseases (Eradication Funds) Act, 1974*
- *Argentine Ant Act, 1968*

Responsible Minister

The Honourable Kim Chance MLC, Minister for Agriculture and Food.

Mission

To assist the agricultural industries to be competitive and sustainable by minimising the impact of Declared Plants and Animals.

Members of the Agriculture Protection Board

Section 5 of the *Agriculture Protection Board Act 1950* establishes that the Board be comprised of 12 members in total including the Director General of the Department of Agriculture and Food, appointed ex-officio with no retiring date.

The other eleven (nominee) members of the Board are appointed by the Minister for Agriculture for terms of three years and can be reappointed for further terms. Nominee members are selected under two streams of appointment:

- Six members are appointed on the basis of their wide experience in the rural industry or the protection of rural industry resources, or qualifications relevant to the powers and duties of the APB [Section 5(2) (b)].
- Five members are appointed through nominations received from ZCAs [Section 5(2) (c)].

The Chairman of the Board is appointed by the Minister under Section (3) of the *Agriculture Protection Board Act 1950*, and is selected from those members appointed under the first stream of appointment [Section 5(2) (b)].

During the 2007/08 reporting year, the Board held three “face-to-face” meetings and four teleconferences. In addition to normal Board meetings, members attended numerous industry, District Consultative Group and ZCA advisory meetings.

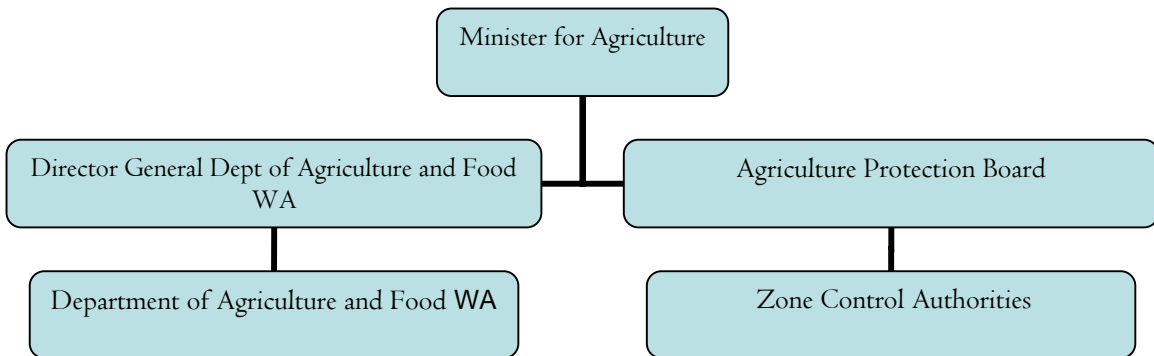
Support staff

Ms Caroline Horsfield continued to be employed through DAFWA to provide administrative support to the Board.

Nominee members of the Agriculture Protection Board:












<i>Member</i>	<i>Expiry date of current term</i>	<i>Stream of appointment</i>
Mr Christopher Richardson (Chair)	December 2008	Sections 5 (2) (b) & 3
Mr Robert Gillam	December 2008	Section 5 (2) (b)
Mr Ron Creagh	December 2008	Section 5 (2) (b)
Ms Maxinne Sclanders	December 2008	Section 5 (2) (b)
Mrs Michelle Allen	December 2008	Section 5 (2) (b)
Mr John O'Brien	December 2008	Section 5 (2) (b)
Mr Keith Wright	December 2008	Section 5 (2) (c)
Mr Michael Blackburn	December 2008	Section 5 (2) (c)
Mr Peter Brown	December 2008	Section 5 (2) (c)
Mr Keith Bridgart	December 2008	Section 5 (2) (c)
Mr Brian Young	December 2008	Section 5 (2) (c)

Organisation Chart





APB BOARD PHOTOS



Board Members

			
Chris Richardson	Michelle Allen	Maxinne Sclanders	Robert Gillam
			
Brian Young	Keith Bridgart	Peter Brown	Michael Blackburn
			
Ron Creagh	John O'Brien	Keith Wright	

Executive

	
Ron Lucas Chief Finance Officer	Caroline Horsfield Administrative Officer

Department of Agriculture and Food

	
Ian Longson Director General Ex-officio member APB	Rob Delane Deputy for Ian Longson Deputy DG/ ED Biosecurity and Research

Desired Outcomes and Services

Broad, high level government goals are supported at agency level by more specific desired outcomes. Agencies deliver services to achieve these desired outcomes, which ultimately contribute to meeting the higher level government goals. The following table illustrates the relationship between agency level desired outcomes and the most appropriate government goal.

Government Goal	Desired Outcome	Service
Ensuring that regional Western Australia is strong and vibrant	Protection of the productive resource base	I. Agriculture Resource Protection

Outcome Based Management Framework

Agency level Government desired outcome: the protection of the productive resource base.

Service I: Agriculture Resource Protection^(a)

Agency level Government desired outcome: the protection for agriculture and related resources through the prevention, eradication and control of specified plant and animal pests.

(a) This output contributes to the protection of our productive resource base through the:

- maintenance of effective barrier quarantine and protection requirements in order to minimise the introduction of new pests and diseases and to maintain market access;
- operation of effective surveillance programs to ensure early detection and diagnosis of incursions and to define the status for market access and to justify quarantine barriers;
- emergency responses to incursions and outbreaks of high priority animal and plant pests and diseases;
- delivery of effective management programs that target specified pests and diseases; and
- Achievement of a high level of awareness of key threats to agricultural industries and increase participation by industry members in the management of risk.

Changes to Outcome Based Management Framework

There have been no changes to agency level government desired outcomes, services and key performance indicators from the previous year.

The agency's Outcome Based Management Framework did not change during 2007-08.

This Annual Report includes coverage of 'free of charge' services delivered on the Board's behalf by Officers of the Department of Agriculture and Food, as well as those delivered by the Department but funded from Trust Funds over which the Board retains full control. Other protection activities falling outside of the Board's statutory responsibility are reported within the Department's own Annual Report. The two documents should therefore be read together for a more complete account of biosecurity activities within Western Australia.

Funding Arrangements

With effect from 1st July 2001, the Hon. Minister agreed to transfer the bulk of the Board's former consolidated fund appropriation to the Department, and directed that the Department provide its Officers to the Board "free-of-charge", to the extent possible, to ensure the Board could continue to discharge its statutory responsibilities. The operating costs of the Board itself have continued to be met from reserves in the APB Trust Fund. The APB Trust Fund is established under the *Agriculture Protection Act 1950* to manage the funds of the APB for the effectual exercise of its duties.

In practice, the Board also administers several other Trust Funds on behalf of specific industry sectors. Balances of the funds may only be used for the purposes described in the authorising legislation, and are not available to meet other Board liabilities and commitments. Under the various Acts, the Board has a statutory responsibility to approve all payments made from these Funds:

Skeleton Weed Eradication Fund - a fund established under the provisions of the *Plant Pests and Diseases (Eradication Funds) Act 1974*, to manage contributions received from grain growers through a compulsory contribution on grain and seed deliveries. These funds are collected to meet expenses directly related to the eradication or prevention of spread of skeleton weed, payment of compensation in accordance with the Act, expenses incurred in the determination of the value of any grain, seed, crop or bag in respect of which compensation is paid under the Act and such contributions to the Resistant Grain Insects Eradication Fund as are authorised under the enabling legislation.

Resistant Grain Insects Eradication Fund - a fund established under the provisions of the *Plant Pests and Diseases (Eradication Funds) Act 1974*, to receive monies collected via the Skeleton Weed Eradication Fund, to be used for the eradication of resistant grain insects.

Declared Plant and Animal Control Fund (DPACF) - a fund established under the Protection Act, to manage monies collected for the purpose of controlling declared plants and animals on, and in relation to, all lands held under pastoral lease. Rates contributed by pastoral lessees are matched by an equal contribution drawn from the State Government's Consolidated Account (CA). All monies are credited to the DPACF and subsequently spent on programs approved by the Board, on the advice of the pastoral ZCAs.

Other non-statutory committees

Other non-statutory committees comprising industry and community stakeholders continued to provide specialist advice to the Board, and leadership for specific activities throughout the year, including:

- The Skeleton Weed Committee (SWC);
- The various Steering Committees included under the 'Guard Plans' such as GrainGuard™, StockGuard, BeeGuard™ and HortGuard™;
- The State Wild Dog Management Advisory Committee (SWDMAC);
- Starling Reference Group (SRG);
- The State Barrier Fence Management Advisory Committee (SBFMAC).

AGENCY PERFORMANCE

The Board continues to deliver declared pest control programs, via by the Department of Agriculture and Food, that focus on reducing the impact of animal and plant pests such as wild dogs, feral donkeys, rainbow lorikeets (*Trichoglossus haematodus*), three-horned bedstraw (*Galium tricornutum*), Bathurst burr (*Xanthium spinosum*), rubber vine (*Cryptostegia grandiflora*), skeleton weed (*Chondrilla juncea*) and prickly acacia (*Acacia nilotica*) on agricultural industries.

The achievements in this financial year over and above the required property inspection and compliance programs included the prevention of the formation of damaging swarms of locusts in the Southern Agriculture Region (35,000 hectares treated), continued eradication of the starling population in the South west Land Division (75% of starling population eradicated, a significant achievement), delivery of skeleton weed services to over 1,000 properties and the development and production of a sausage style dried bait for foxes and wild dogs that has significantly lowered the cost of factory prepared meat baits.

The Board continues to work with producer organisations, key community groups and public authorities to develop improved management and funding systems for regionally important pests.

The Board continues to work with DAFWA on the implementation of the *Biosecurity and Agriculture Management Act 2007*.

Financial Targets: Actual performance compared to budget targets

	Target ⁽¹⁾ \$'000's	Actual \$'000's	Variation ⁽²⁾ \$'000's
Total cost of services (expense limit)	18,761	20,345	1,584 ^(a)
Net Cost of services	12,603	16,565	3,962 ^(b)
Total equity	20,766	7,673	(13,093) ^(c)
Net increase / (decrease) in cash held	(226)	(1,179)	(953) ^(d)
Approved full time equivalent (FTE) staff level ⁽³⁾	N/A	N/A	N/A

(1) As specified in the budget statements for 2007-2008

(2) Further explanations are also contained in Note 38 'Explanatory Statement' to the financial statements.

- (a) The variation is mainly due to Government policy decision to provide additional funding for animal pest control programs of locusts and starlings.
- (b) In addition to the explanation above regarding additional Government funding, the variation was also impacted by a significant reduction in the grain harvest tonnage compared to budget estimate.
- (c) Total Equity decrease is a result of a combination of the transfer of non current assets from the Protection Fund to DAFWA and current asset balances being greater than forecast in the budget estimates.

- (d) Net decrease in cash held is more than budget estimate due to the combined impact of less than anticipated charges made for the service delivery agreement with DAFWA and a reduction in forecast skeleton weed grower contributions.

(3) Staffing resources are provided through the Department of Agriculture and Food.

Key Performance Indicators: Actual performance compared to budget targets

	Target ⁽¹⁾	Actual	Variation ⁽²⁾
Outcome: Protection of the productive resource base			
Key Effectiveness Indicators:			
Number of inspected properties	7,000	6,228	(772) ^(a)
Number of inspected properties with infestations:	1,000	892	(108)
declared animals	3,000	2,181	(819)
declared plants	4,000	3,073	(927)
total			(b)
Proportion of inspected properties with infestations:			
declared animals	14.3%	14.3%	(0%)
declared plants	42.9%	35%	(7.9%)
total	57.2%	49.3%	(7.9%)
			(b)
Outcome: Protection of the productive resource base			
Key Efficiency Indicators:			
Total cost of property contacts	\$19,756,000	\$16,276,000	(\$3,480,000) ^(c)
Number of property contacts	25,000	26,380	1,380
Cost/property contact for Declared Pest and Diseases	\$790	\$617	(\$173) ^(c)

(1) As specified in the budget statements for 2007-2008

(2) Further explanations as to Key Performance Indicator measurements are contained under the section, disclosures and legal compliance.

(a) The actual result represents a return to more normal property inspection levels in the absence of a new locust outbreak in 2007/08.

(b) The number of inspected properties with infestations decreased on estimate in 07-08 due to the need to redirect inspectors to eradicate and control high risk pests such as starlings, rainbow lorikeets and skeleton weed.

(c) The decrease is due to the absence of a new major outbreak of Australian Plague Locust.

SIGNIFICANT ISSUES AND TRENDS

The enactment of the *Biosecurity and Agricultural Management Act 2007* has enabled the integration of regulations for many border and post border biosecurity activities undertaken by government agencies and the scope of biosecurity has been expanded to manage threats to primary industries other than agriculture, as well as to the environment and public amenity. The new regulations will provide the responsive legislation needed to underpin regulatory efforts in order to prevent the entry, establishment and spread of serious animals and plant pests and diseases in Western Australia.

There is a need to continue to strengthen relationships between public authorities and producer and community organisations.

There is increasing pressure on the State funded biosecurity services to address pest incursions which impact on the environment, economy and lifestyle, such as the prickly acacia, mesquite, European house borer, European starlings, apple scab, European wasps and the three-horned bedstraw. A full assessment of the State's biosecurity system has been completed which identifies existing gaps in biosecurity and proposes necessary additional compliance requirements.

The community is becoming more sensitive to pest and weed management practices involving the use of pesticides. At the same time, there is increasing community pressure for Government to do more about the management of serious environmental pests impacting on the Western Australia's unique biodiversity.

Changes in the global trading environment and technological advancements in the transportation of people and goods have greatly reduced the advantages of Western Australia in relation to the natural geographical protection against the entry of serious pests. There has been a significant increase in the seizure of Quarantine Risk Material at border checkpoints and with increased development and employment opportunities within the State the trend is expected to continue creating more cost pressures for services.

Climatic influences and changing farming practices including no-till cropping may be the cause of more frequent outbreaks of pests such as the Australian Plague Locusts with a notable increase in the frequency of these outbreaks in the South West Land Division over the last ten years.

The demographic composition of rural communities is changing. Mining activity has increased in the pastoral areas and the movement of machinery and equipment has contributed towards the spread of pests and diseases. Increased diversification in pastoral enterprises has altered the focus of pest control and the average size of broad acre cropping and animal grazing enterprises in the South West Land Division is increasing and the number of people responsible for managing significant areas of arable land has reduced. Small landholders in the rural areas continue to increase as a result of new subdivisions near major regional centres and prime production precincts which impacts on the management of biosecurity risks in the State.

Changes in written law

There were no changes in any written law that affected the Agency during the financial year.

Likely developments and forecast results of operations for 2008/09

The APB together with DAFWA will focus on the following initiatives and programs for the 2008/09 financial year:

- A smooth transition in the provision of biosecurity policy and delivery of biosecurity services from the APB and DAFWA to the Biosecurity Council and DAFWA
- The Biosecurity Council, established under the *Biosecurity and Agriculture Management Act 2007*, will in time replace the APB. The Council's work will build on the 2007 State Biosecurity Review and assist in developing a State Biosecurity Strategy in partnership with the DEC, FPC and DoF to manage threats to primary industries, the environment and public amenity. The State Biosecurity Strategy will have appropriate linkages to AusBIOSEC's national Biosecurity framework.
- Activities currently being managed by the APB will continue to be undertaken by DAFWA, with strategic advice provided by the Biosecurity Council following the cessation of APB activities.
- The operations of the APB are expected to cease in 2008/09. Accordingly the Board's outcomes are contained within the DAFWA's Budget Statements through the provision of service free of Charge.

Major Achievements for 2007/08

- A targeted locust control program in the Southern Agricultural Region during the spring of 2007 treated an area of 35,000 hectares to prevent the formation of large damaging swarms. The final area treated was less than predicted due to the early drying of pastures and late hatching of nymphs.
- Researchers have refined the sausage style dried baits for foxes. The success of the sausage style bait will allow the Bait Production Unit (BPU) to produce fox baits for landholders at a significantly lower cost than was previously possible. Similar wild dog baits are now in full production at markedly reduced costs and are being sought after by interstate users.
- Negotiations were initiated with the nursery industry to discuss the trade of weedy plant species, with the possibility of establishing a registry of nursery businesses.
- Leadership and support of community and industry groups in the coordinated management of serious pests, including the provision of services to the value of over \$8 million to assist with serious pest management programs. Currently in place is an extensive range of coordinated and co-funded programs dealing with wild dogs, rabbits, foxes, feral pigs, starlings, rainbow lorikeets, Burdins cockatoos, skeleton weed, bedstraw, Noogoora burr, mesquite, parkinsonia, weedy cactus, feral camels, feral goats, blackberry and other declared pests.
- Ongoing control programs have been successful in reducing the impact of animal and plant pests such as feral donkeys, wild dogs and a range of agricultural and environmental weeds. The Agriculture Protection Board (APB) is continuing to work with producer organisations, key community groups; and public authorities in order to develop improved management and funding arrangements for regionally important pests.
- Biosecurity Officers successfully responded to 24 incursions of exotic animal and plant pests during the year removing the threats and preventing the pest from becoming an established population.

- Eradication of starlings on the south coast continued with 375 starlings removed from the eradication area (an estimated 75% of the starling population removed since the commencement of the enhanced program in 2006-07).

Biosecurity awareness and communications

- DAFWA's Biosecurity Communications group continued to play an important role on behalf of the Board by helping to increase the awareness of producers, landholders and the general public about Declared Plants and Animals.
- During the year, the Pest and Disease Information Service (PaDIS), which was launched in 2004, effectively responded to approximately 11,116 community enquiries on animal and plant pests, diseases and weeds.
- Samples of 1,259 animal and plant pest, weed or disease specimens were identified with nine being referred to the AGWEST Plant Labs for further analysis.
- PaDIS staff detected 14 potential threats through their line of enquiry including Chinese auger beetle, European wasp, downy mildew, Indian ringneck parrots, lettuce aphids, boneseed and exotic borers.
- Approximately 112,700 information sheets were distributed and /or requested via PaDIS.

Bedstraw Eradication Program

- All properties involved in the eradication program were making steady progress towards freedom from infestations of three-horned bedstraw. One property was released from quarantine following three years of clear searches.
- Longstanding weed infestations are more difficult to eradicate and could take up to 10 years. Bedstraw has not moved outside the original infestations and plant numbers in those areas are declining.
- Seed tests on bedstraw seed which set in the 2006 season have shown that the viability of the seed was negligible following herbicide treatment. This result boosted confidence in the belief that there was little if any viable bedstraw seed set on known sites in 2006.

Bait Production Unit

- The Bait Production Unit (BPU) has changed its operations from the labour intensive dried meat bait production to sausage bait production from August 2007. The factory is now set up with a new flaker, mincer/mixer, conveyor and sausage filler. A new fork lift truck and walkie stacker has also been purchased.
- In the 2007/08 year approximately 1.07 million sausage baits were produced, most were wild dog baits and the remainder fox baits. Procurement of an on-site drying facility is progressing and once installed will allow the BPU to dry sausage baits on-site and enable year round production
- APB/DAFWA have previously entered into an agreement with DEC to develop a whole of Government approach to the manufacture and research of effective poison bait products to guarantee supply and prevent market failure for the supply of registered bait products.

- A formal in-principle agreement has been reached between these agencies (subject to funds availability) to establish a new bait manufacturing, distribution and bait research facility at a Greenfields site, probably at Harvey.

Production & issue of bait products – 2007/08

	Units Produced				Units Issued			
	04/05	05/06	06/07	07/08	04/05	05/06	06/07	07/08
One-shot Oats (pks)	2,580	1,722	2156	1432	-	2,145	2171	1517
I080 Ready to Use (pk)	492	672	600	928	456	760	524	696
I080 Conc Red (btl)	3,230	3,303	3156	2708	3,695	2,702	3722	2694
I080 Conc Black (btl)	166	273	115	172	232	253	146	162
I080 Rhodamine Oats 6.0g (100 btl)	-	258	1048	375	360	302	1040	348
I080 Rhodamine Oats 4.5g (100 btl)	376	108	0	117	12	72	42	14
I080 Rhodamine Oats (12 btl)	375	501	154	199	358	391	222	145
DMB (200 pk)	619,925	477,375	352175	0	610,600	456,600	387200	0
DMB (10 pk)	111,100	88,450	60900	0	111,500	90,300	60300	0
Strychnine 25gm	-	203	341	82	157	203	341	82
Wild Dog Sausage baits				843,000				843,000
Fox Sausage baits (200pk)				178800				171200
Fox Sausage baits (10pk)				47200				45400
alphachloralose	114	90	128	43	114	90	128	43

Aerial baiting statistics

	Hours Flown			Baits Dropped			Ground Baits Produced		
	05/06	06/07	07/08	05/06	06/07	07/08	05/06	06/07	07/08
Kimberley	95	81	72.6	125,181	55,791	89,075	24,900	29,098	31,425
Pilbara	88	63	79.8	163,914	100,920	114,880	22,586	54,810	29,120
Gascoyne	66	49	41	100,000	68,168	59,980	26,000	11,700	147,000
Meekatharra	51	68	70	68,447	91,008	63,742	46,434	113,004	137,481
Goldfields	0	132	362	0	200,375	411,369	189,100	273,750	179,500
Esperance	6	5	20	5,700	5,000	18,000	1,000	3,000	7,000
Eastern Wheatbelt	n/a	5	14	n/a	3537	10,000	n/a	n/a	na
TOTAL	306	403	659.4	463,242	524,799	767,046	309,020	485,362	531,526

Feral Donkey Control Statistics

	01/02	02/03	03/04	04/05	05/06	06/07	07/08
Donkeys destroyed	9,327	6,746	5,780	8269	9277	6117	5318
Hours flown	861	6	580	725	905	613	657
Cost \$	692,000	498,000	510,950	542,328	687,790	470,298	605,016
Donkeys per hour	10.8	9.7	10.0	11.4	10.3	10	8.1
Cost per donkey	74	74	88	66	74	77	114
Cost per Hour	803	713	881	748	760	767	921
Radio Collars Fitted	457	414	470	488	475	490	346

The Kimberley/Pilbara donkey eradication project progressed well with 44 stations now declared to be donkey free.

State Barrier Fence

New mobile mapping technology in the form of a personal digital assistant (PDA) will improve maintenance along the 1170 kilometre State Barrier Fence. The PDA has a built in Global Position System (GPS) receiver and is loaded with software that includes customised maps of the fence, neighbouring properties, roads and reserves.

The GPS enables staff to determine the exact location of repairs and replacements made to the fence and to record other inspection data and animal activity. The new technology will assist in the overall management of the State Barrier Fence and identify resource priorities such as maintenance or upgrades for emu activity.



Starling Eradication Program

Starlings are a threat to both agriculture and the environment. They are known to destroy horticultural crops, spread disease, compete with native birds, dominate nesting hollows and damage roost trees.

The State Government committed \$4.9 million of additional funding over the next two years to progress the starling eradication program. This will enable continuation of the excellent results to date in determining the extent of the starling incursion in the Munghlinup area and the continuation of the eradication program.

The Department of Environment and Conservation (DEC) has provided a commitment of \$150,000 of resources to the starling program from the Biodiversity Conservation Initiative (BCI) budget. This is reduced from the 2006/07 contribution, however, is commensurate with the total reduction in the BCI funding available to DEC.

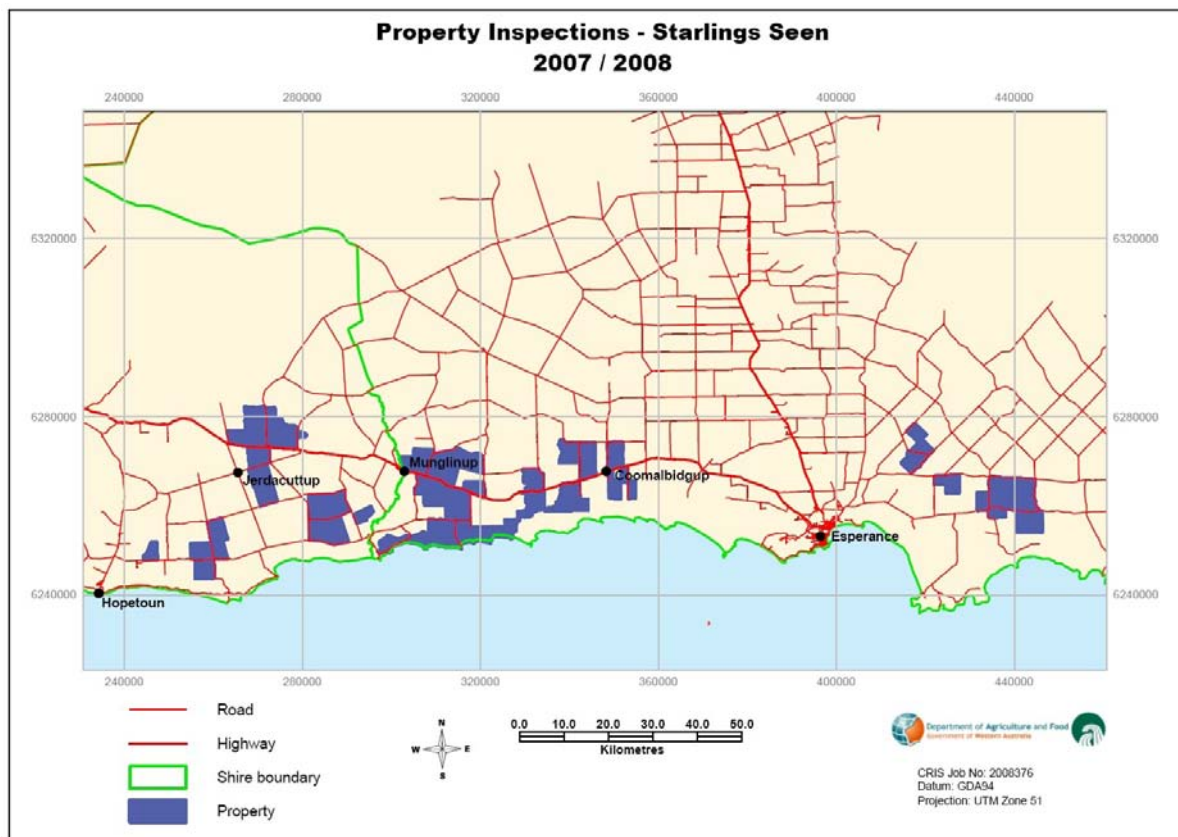
New purpose built aviaries have been erected at the DAFWA Esperance office. The new aviaries are designed to meet the specialised requirements for starlings kept in aviaries and the design also takes into account animal welfare considerations and international and Australian recommended maximum stocking densities for starlings kept in aviaries.

The complex has five separate flight aviaries with the capacity to hold the large number of birds required for the control program. It also includes a large preparation/ laboratory area, a store/fodder room and a complex system of double doors to ensure no bird escapes.



Almost 3500 starlings have been eradicated from the south coast since they were first detected in 1971 and another 60,000 prevented from coming into WA.

Surveillance teams recorded at least 300 starlings still in the target area in scattered populations. Radio tracking technology has been used to locate one population of approximately 100 birds in the Condingup area. The following map identifies where starlings have been spotted and where control activities will be targeted.



Six indigenous biosecurity officers continued with surveillance in the coastal reserve area as well providing some assistance on farmland. Dr Susan Campbell joined the Vertebrate Pest Research Section in June and will play a critical role in the starling research and management program. Three officers continued with surveillance and trapping activities across the Nullarbor from Coorabie in South Australia to Mundrabilla.

Summary of surveillance and activities 2007/08

Location	Surveillance /action	Flocks sighted
Munglinup (Coomalbidgup – Mason Bay)	Surveillance in September observed starlings preparing for breeding. Surveillance in December saw starlings on their second clutch of eggs. The property that previously denied access was now assisting with the program. and had	Very few birds were trapped in the Masons Bay area and very few birds sighted. Trapping of these juveniles birds commenced through November 2007. up to eighty birds were spotted and are now being targeted for control work.
Jerdacuttup	Surveillance west of Bedford Harbour reported very few birds and all known starlings removed west of Bedford Harbour.	Approximately 30 - 40 birds have been observed in the Jerdacuttup North area.
Condingup	January surveillance and aerial tracking. Aerial tracking continued during winter to locate roosting sites.	Two flocks of up to 100 starlings. Lure traps caught 45 birds and a further five birds were caught in a cannon net in late April.
Eucla	Surveillance and trapping	51 traps in use

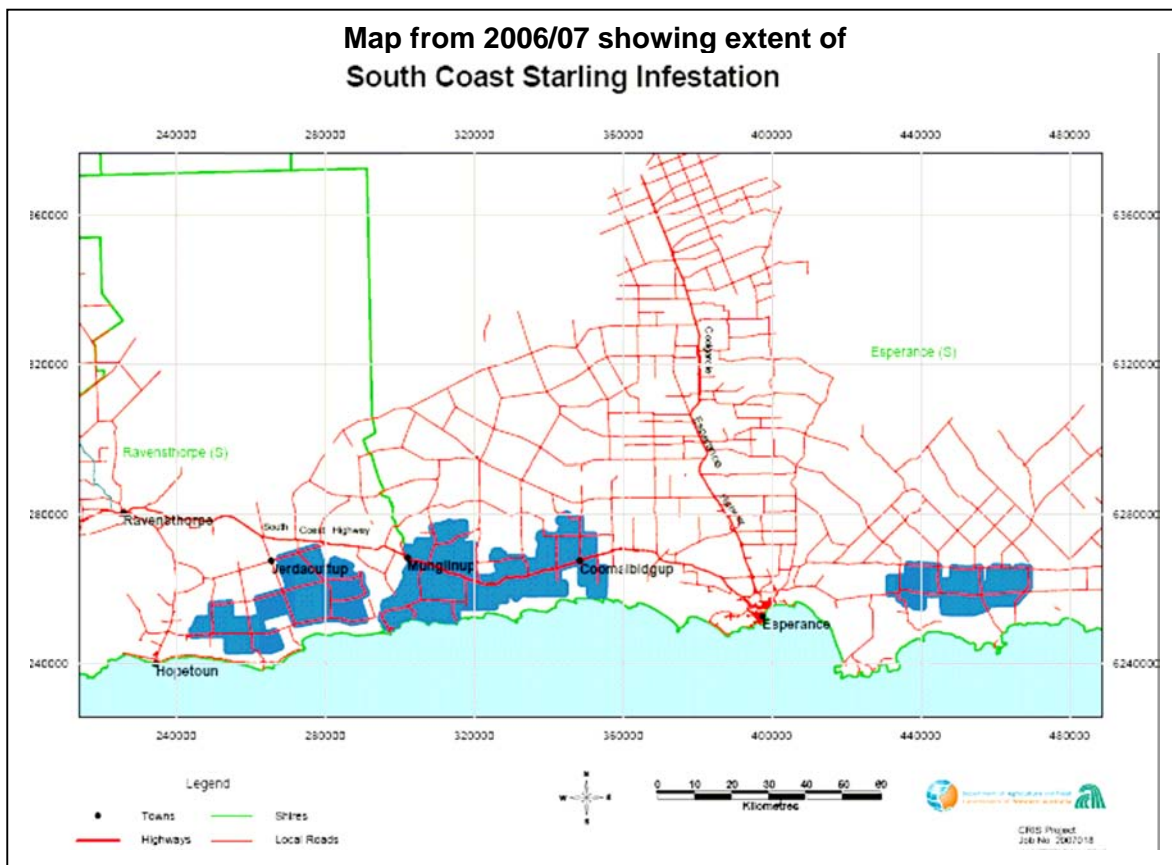
Trapping results – 1/7/07 - 30/06/08

Area	# Traps in use	# caught
Munglinup	85	160
Condingup	20	55
Eucla	29	30
Nullarbor SA	22	27

Starlings destroyed since 2000

	00/01	01/02	02/03	03/04	04/05	05/06	06/07	07/08
Esperance (incl. Condingup, Coomalbidgup, Munglinup, Jerdacuttup and Mason Bay)	30	182	235	330	199	453	629	375
Eucla	30	28	7	6	21	25	93	67
South Australia	1,387	2,327	257	2,164	3,006	684	552	693

The initial focus of the enhanced Starling eradication program in 2006/07 was surveillance in order to establish the full extent of the infestation. Teams of 5 DAFWA staff and Department of Environment and Conservation (DEC) staff worked on rotating rosters during the peak season for spotting starlings and the map below shows the results of their surveillance.



Skeleton Weed Program

There has been a marked decrease in the density of skeleton weed over many areas in the central wheatbelt and no new large findings reported. Diligent searching by farmers has enabled DAFWA to target their search in a wider arc around known infestations. Most infestations found consisted of a small number of plants (less than 50) continuing the trend from last season. The finding of infestations of over 1,000 plants was very limited compared to 4-5 years ago.

Again the greatest increase in new properties was recorded in shires (except Narembeen) that have fewer infested properties. This trend is likely to continue with the further development of Local Action Groups and greater landholder awareness in these shires and targeted surveillance by Department staff.

The entering of GPS data into a State wide data base is also leading to a better tracking and conformation of work that is contracted out for spraying of infested sites. As this data builds up it is becoming a most valuable tool for management purposes.

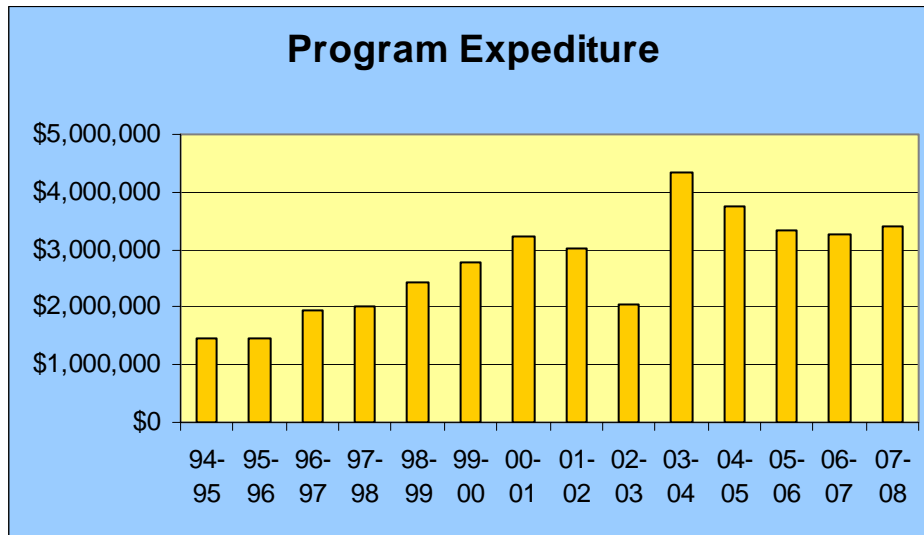
Landholders searched more than 338,000 hectares during the 2007/08 summer on 880 properties, while DAFWA staff searched a further 88,900 ha on 340 properties as part of active surveillance of 'clean' properties and checks on recently released paddocks. The area searched by landholders increased on the area searched in the previous summer as more surveillance searching was reported by landholders.

Landholders reported 53 new skeleton weed infested properties, while DAFWA staff reported 10 new infested properties, resulting in a total of 63 new infested properties (Table 1). DAFWA staff worked to remove properties from the infested list and skeleton weed was eradicated on 61 properties in 2007/08 making the total number of infested properties 772 at the end of June 2008.

Over 1,635 ha were marked and treated during the 2007/08 summer and again during winter 2008 to ensure effective control. This is the lowest area infested with skeleton weed since 2001. Approximately 92,000 plants were recorded which represents a 50% reduction on plant numbers found in 2001/02.

The cost of the 2007/08 Program was less than the budgeted \$3.7 million. Savings were made on staff costs through the use of seasonal labour and prices paid for chemical were favourable. DAFWA contributed \$100,000 in cash in addition to the \$425,000 contributed in other in-kind support for the Program during the year in the form of staff overhead costs and financial and operational management.

Figure I: Program Expenditure



The total cost of the 2007/08 operations of the Skeleton Weed Program was \$3.396 million with approximately \$2.228 million allocated to landholder support, in the form of search assistance, funding of Local Action Groups and winter herbicide treatments (Table 2).

Table 2: Budget Summary 2007/08

Revenue	
SWETF closing balance at 30 June 2007	\$3,338,128
Contributions collected at 30 cents per tonne on 7.55 million tonnes	\$2,265,400
DAFWA cash commitment	\$100,000
Other income including interest	\$268,450
Revenue total	\$5,971,978
Expenditure	
Program support activities	
Landholder audit and compliance	\$408,000
Education and awareness	\$235,000
Targeted surveillance searching (Inc metro area)	\$300,000
Response to new finds	\$90,000
Field research	\$135,000
Program support total	\$1,168,000
Direct landholder support	
Winter spraying contracts	\$45,000
Local group support	\$320,000
Provision for landholder searching subsidies	\$1,456,000
Infested property support activities	\$230,000
Tordon™ supply	\$177,000

Landholder support total	\$2,228,000
Program expenditure 2007/08	\$3,396,000
Estimated fund balance at 30 June 2008	\$2,575,978

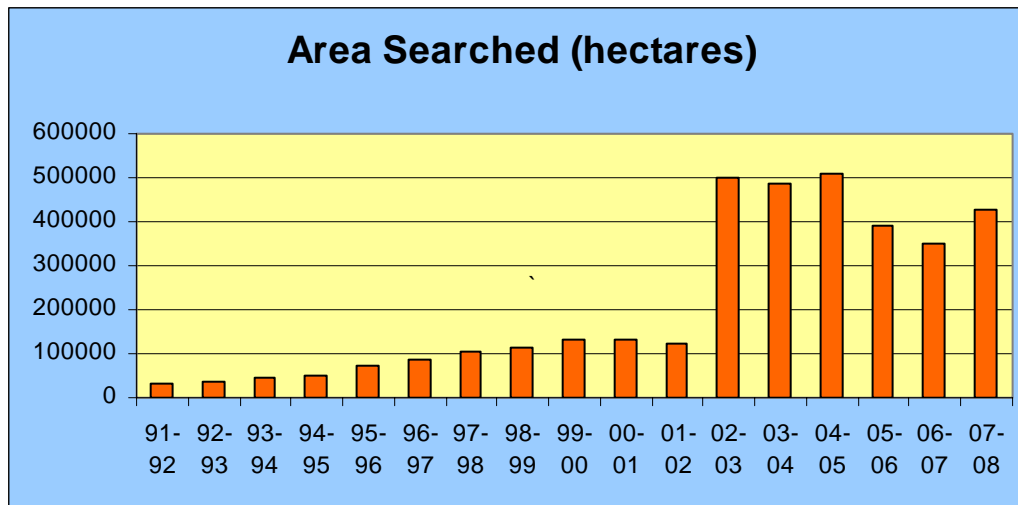
Area searched

The total area searched in 2007/08, at nearly 427,000 ha, was much higher than for the previous two seasons but lower than the peak area searched in 2004/05 (see Figure 2).

An increase in both the reporting of surveillance searching by affected landholders and DAFWA staff contributed to the increased area. During 2007/08 we were successful in having more landholders providing surveillance searching records. As the program requires searching all paddocks adjoining code I paddocks, it is important to have these search results reported by affected landholders.

Of the area searched approximately one third (35.5%) was found to contain skeleton weed infestations.

Figure 2: Area Searched



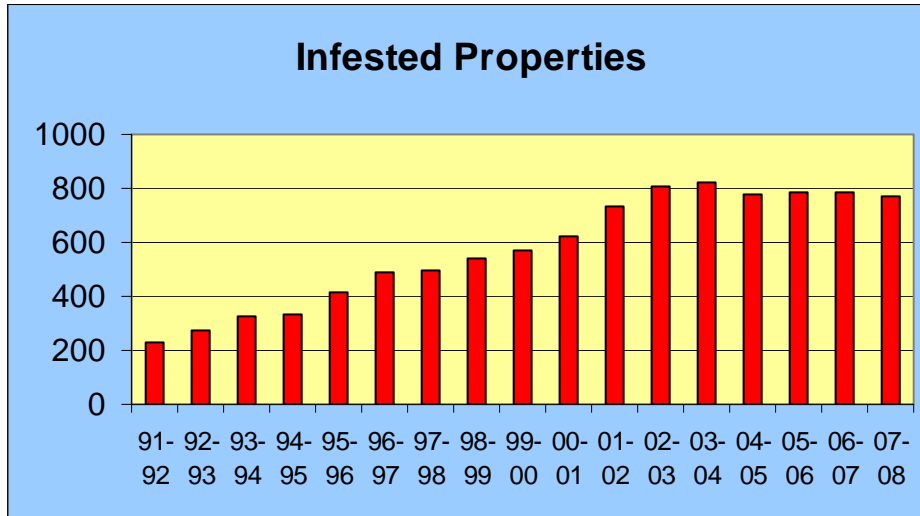
Infested properties

There are currently 772 properties known to be infested with skeleton weed in the WA agricultural area, a net increase of 2 on the known infested properties at the start of the 2007/08 Program (Table 2). A total of 53 new infested properties reported by landholders, with a further 10 found from DAFWA surveillance was balanced by 61 properties removed from the infested list after clear audits.

The total number of infested properties has again remained relatively stable, when allowances are made for reductions due to property amalgamations. Modelling by the DAFWA in 2002 showed this trend would occur in response to marked increases in search area. If the area searched can be increased and maintained at around 500,000 hectares then the number of infested properties will begin to fall over time as the number removed exceed the number added to the infested list.

Most new infested properties recorded smaller infested areas, with the majority consisting of single plant finds.

Figure 3: Number of Infested Properties

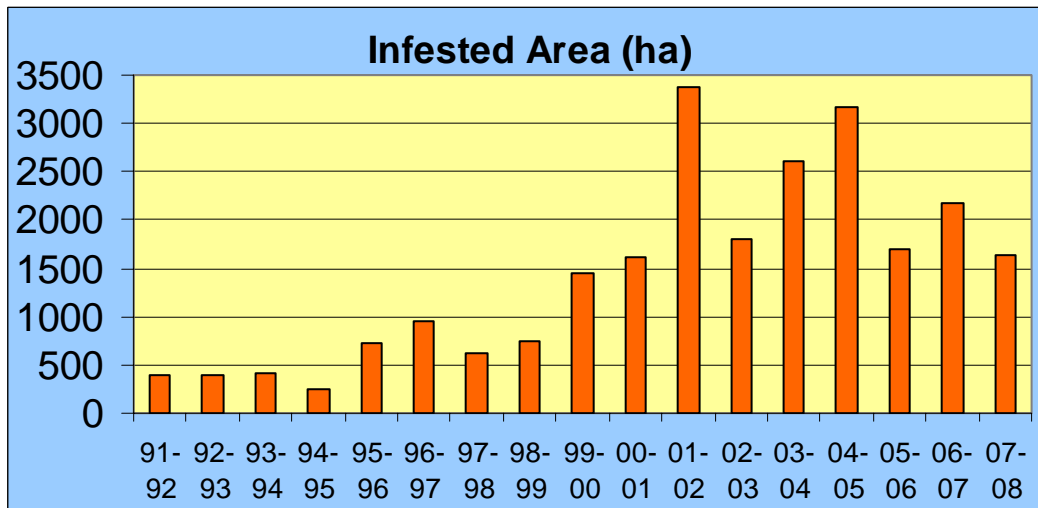


Infested Area

In years when control of broadleaf agricultural weeds is good, skeleton weed is less prominent during the following summer. Conversely, the level of skeleton weed infestations found is normally higher after wet summers when survival of new plants is much greater as was the case in 2006.

For 2007/08, the area known to be infested with skeleton weed decreased to 1,635 ha, from 2,170 ha in 2006/07 (Figure 3). The estimated number of skeleton weed plants found during the search was just over 92,000 which is a 50% reduction on the number found in 2001. Of the 1,440 infested paddocks over 77% had 50 plants or less with only 10 paddocks (1.4%) having in excess of 1,000 plants. This compares to 42 (4.5%) paddocks in 2001-02.

Figure 4: Area Infested with Skeleton Weed



A significant increase in the number of infested sites within the Perth metropolitan area was recorded during 2007/08, mainly from targeted surveillance in known areas. Of the 60 infested

sites found 50% were new infestations with the majority in the southern suburbs of Henderson, Bibra Lake and Freemantle. Another large find in excess of 1,000 plants was found on Gngangara Road in Landsdale.

All infested sites are treated with Tordon granules and responsible managers are expected to carry out surveillance and treat plants where they are found and provide a report to DAFWA by 30 April each year. In some situations (e.g. Water Corporation at Woodman Point), DAFWA staff undertake the surveillance and treatment and seek reimbursement from the company involved.

Research

The Skeleton Weed Program continues to fund field research to determine the best management options for control of skeleton weed infestations. The work shows that skeleton weed can be controlled, without affecting yields, while eradication is being achieved. Failure to control skeleton weed infestations could result in very significant yield losses.

Management of the existing skeleton weed trial sites over summer was undertaken by Brad Rayner and Andrew Reeves and all sites are being managed according to the skeleton weed protocol. A large infestation found at Newdegate has been assessed by the Weed Research Group as suitable for trial purposes: This site was set up in 2007 to conduct continuous cropping rotation trials with differing number of crop and non crop years in a four year rotation. The whole site was sown to barley in 2007.

The trials at Geraldton repeating the Lake Varley work, to assess crop tolerance to herbicides used for skeleton weed control, was sown to wheat and lupins. The impact of picloram applied in 2005 on wheat yield had been reduced in 2007, but lupin yields were still depressed.

The site at Geranium in South Australia was sown to barley in June and results to date reinforce that the later Lontrel® is applied in a cropping situation, the bigger the reduction in numbers of skeleton weed plants. No treatments will be applied during 2008 and the area is likely to be sown to lupins. It is proposed to undertake plant counts in January 2009 after harvest to see what residual impact the herbicide treatments have had on skeleton weed populations.

Local action groups (LAGs)

Six LAGs throughout the grain growing areas of the State were active during the 2007/08 program. These groups received a total of \$260,500 during the season to assist with the implementation of local strategies to facilitate the Program in their area.

In the three heavily infested areas (Yilgarn, Narembeen and Lakes), full time LAG coordinators have assisted with coordinating and implementing skeleton weed activities on a local level including the application of herbicide in winter, their assistance to landholders has been invaluable.

The LAGs in general have been successful in developing localised strategies and providing support for affected growers, helping them to meet their obligations. Their continued activity will be an important part of the skeleton weed control strategy into the future. It is hoped to get the currently in-active LAGs in Bruce Rock and Merredin functional during 2008/09.



Auditor General

INDEPENDENT AUDIT OPINION

To the Parliament of Western Australia

THE AGRICULTURE PROTECTION BOARD OF WESTERN AUSTRALIA FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND KEY PERFORMANCE INDICATORS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2008

I have audited the accounts, financial statements, controls and key performance indicators of The Agriculture Protection Board of Western Australia.

The financial statements comprise the Balance Sheet as at 30 June 2008, and the Income Statement, Statement of Changes in Equity, Cash Flow Statement for the year then ended, a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory Notes.

The key performance indicators consist of key indicators of effectiveness and efficiency.

Board's responsibility for the Financial Statements and Key Performance Indicators

The Board is responsible for keeping proper accounts, and the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards (including the Australian Accounting Interpretations) and the Treasurer's Instructions, and the key performance indicators. This responsibility includes establishing and maintaining internal controls relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements and key performance indicators that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error; selecting and applying appropriate accounting policies; making accounting estimates that are reasonable in the circumstances; and complying with the Financial Management Act 2006 and other relevant written law.

Summary of my Role

As required by the Auditor General Act 2006, my responsibility is to express an opinion on the financial statements, controls and key performance indicators based on my audit. This was done by testing selected samples of the audit evidence. I believe that the audit evidence I have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for my audit opinion. Further information on my audit approach is provided in my audit practice statement. Refer "<http://www.audit.wa.gov.au/pubs/Audit-Practice-Statement.pdf>".

An audit does not guarantee that every amount and disclosure in the financial statements and key performance indicators is error free. The term "reasonable assurance" recognises that an audit does not examine all evidence and every transaction. However, my audit procedures should identify errors or omissions significant enough to adversely affect the decisions of users of the financial statements and key performance indicators.

**The Agriculture Protection Board of Western Australia
Financial Statements and Key Performance Indicators for the year ended 30 June 2008**

Audit Opinion

In my opinion,

- (i) the financial statements are based on proper accounts and present fairly the financial position of The Agriculture Protection Board of Western Australia at 30 June 2008 and its financial performance and cash flows for the year ended on that date. They are in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards (including the Australian Accounting Interpretations) and the Treasurer's Instructions;
- (ii) the controls exercised by the Board provide reasonable assurance that the receipt, expenditure and investment of money, the acquisition and disposal of property, and the incurring of liabilities have been in accordance with legislative provisions; and
- (iii) the key performance indicators of the Board are relevant and appropriate to help users assess the Board's performance and fairly represent the indicated performance for the year ended 30 June 2008.



COLIN MURPHY
AUDITOR GENERAL
12 September 2008

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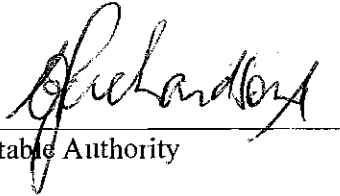
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**CERTIFICATION OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2008**

The accompanying financial statements of The Agriculture Protection Board of Western Australia have been prepared in compliance with the provisions of the Financial Management Act 2006 from proper accounts and records to present fairly the financial transactions for the financial year ending 30 June 2008 and the financial position as at 30 June 2008.

At the date of signing we are not aware of any circumstances which would render any particulars included in the financial statements misleading or inaccurate.

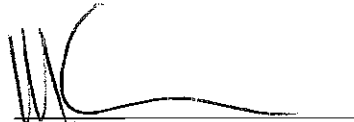
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Chairman of Accountable Authority



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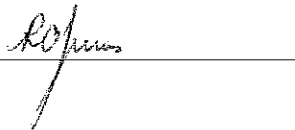
M SCLANDERS
Member of Accountable Authority



Date:

24/07/08

R LUCAS
Chief Finance Officer



Date:

24/7/08



The Agriculture Protection Board
of Western Australia
Financial Statements
2007/2008



THE AGRICULTURE PROTECTION BOARD OF WESTERN AUSTRALIA
Income Statement
for the year ended 30 June 2008

	Note	2008	2007
		\$	\$
COST OF SERVICES			
Expenses			
Department of Agriculture and Food Contracted Services	4	20,143,179	26,147,047
Depreciation expense	5	41,348	508,135
Employee Benefits Expense	6	160,602	168,950
Cost of sales	11	-	677,913
Capital User Charge	7	-	1,136,000
Loss on disposal of non-current assets	12	-	26,507
Total cost of services		<u>20,345,129</u>	<u>28,664,552</u>
Income			
Revenue			
Users Fee and Charges	9	3,222,604	2,971,804
Grants, subsidies and industry recoupments from other sources	10	183,785	134,134
Sales	11	-	607,886
Interest		207,647	246,536
Other revenue	13	158,539	247,633
Total revenue		<u>3,772,575</u>	<u>4,207,993</u>
Gains			
Gain on disposal of non-current assets	12	7,067	-
Total Gains		<u>7,067</u>	<u>-</u>
Total income other than income from State Government		<u>3,779,642</u>	<u>4,207,993</u>
NET COST OF SERVICES		<u>16,565,487</u>	<u>24,456,559</u>
INCOME FROM STATE GOVERNMENT			
Service Appropriations	14	1,330,000	2,892,000
Resources received free of charge	8	14,478,994	20,597,000
Total income from State Government		<u>15,808,994</u>	<u>23,489,000</u>
SURPLUS/(DEFICIT) FOR THE YEAR	38	<u>(756,493)</u>	<u>(967,559)</u>

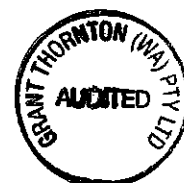
The Income Statement should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.



THE AGRICULTURE PROTECTION BOARD OF WESTERN AUSTRALIA
Balance Sheet
as at 30 June 2008

	Note	2008	2007
		\$	\$
ASSETS			
Current Assets			
Cash and cash equivalents	15	612,233	1,034,365
Restricted cash and cash equivalents	16	3,795,268	4,552,254
Inventories	21	-	648,933
Receivables	17	166,647	210,553
Other current assets	18	48,202	55,591
Non-current assets classified as held for sale	19	-	-
Total Current Assets		<u>4,622,350</u>	<u>6,501,696</u>
Non-Current Assets			
Amounts receivable for services	20	3,012,436	2,754,436
Property, plant and equipment	22	122,168	5,652,575
Total Non-Current Assets		<u>3,134,604</u>	<u>8,407,011</u>
TOTAL ASSETS		<u>7,756,954</u>	<u>14,908,707</u>
LIABILITIES			
Current Liabilities			
Payables	24	84,059	332,308
Other current liabilities	25	-	4,046
Total Current Liabilities		<u>84,059</u>	<u>336,354</u>
TOTAL LIABILITIES		<u>84,059</u>	<u>336,354</u>
NET ASSETS		<u>7,672,895</u>	<u>14,572,353</u>
EQUITY			
Reserves	26	12,500	10,158,772
Accumulated surplus		7,660,395	4,413,581
TOTAL EQUITY		<u>7,672,895</u>	<u>14,572,353</u>

The Balance Sheet should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.



THE AGRICULTURE PROTECTION BOARD OF WESTERN AUSTRALIA
Statement of Changes in Equity
for the year ended 30 June 2008

	Note	2008	2007
		\$	\$
Balance of equity at start of year	26	<u>14,572,353</u>	<u>21,818,620</u>
CONTRIBUTED EQUITY			
Distributions to owners (a)		(6,145,034)	(8,099,958)
Transfer from accumulated surplus		649,034	8,099,958
Transfer from Asset Revaluation Reserve		5,496,000	
Balance at end of year		<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
RESERVES			
Asset Revaluation Reserve			
Balance at start of year		<u>10,158,772</u>	<u>8,337,522</u>
Gains/(losses) from asset revaluation			
- Land		-	1,819,250
- State Barrier Fence		-	-
- Buildings		2,069	2,000
Less Transfer to Contributed Equity		(5,496,000)	
Less Transfer to Accumulated Surplus		(4,652,341)	
Balance at end of year		<u>12,500</u>	<u>10,158,772</u>
ACCUMULATED SURPLUS			
Balance at start of year		<u>4,413,581</u>	<u>13,481,098</u>
Transfer to contributed equity		(649,034)	(8,099,958)
(Deficit)/surplus for the year		(756,493)	(967,559)
Transfer from Asset Revaluation Reserve		4,652,341	
Balance at end of year		<u>7,660,395</u>	<u>4,413,581</u>
Balance of equity at end of year		<u>7,672,895</u>	<u>14,572,353</u>
Total Income and Expense for the year (b)		(754,424)	853,691

The Statement of Changes in Equity should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

- (a) The Board in 2007 approved the transfer of assets, with the exception of Declared Plants and Animals Control Fund and Skeleton Weed Eradication Fund assets, to the Department of Agriculture and Food at no cost to the Board. UIG 1038 requires that where the transferee accounts for a transfer as a contribution by owner, the transferor must account for the transfer as a distribution to owners. Consequently, non-discretionary (non-reciprocal) transfers of net assets to other State Government Agencies are distributions to owners and are debited directly to equity.
- (b) The aggregate net amount distributable to each category of equity is: deficit \$756,492 plus gains from asset revaluation of \$2,069 (2007: deficit \$967,559 plus gain from asset revaluation of \$1,821,250)



THE AGRICULTURE PROTECTION BOARD OF WESTERN AUSTRALIA
Cash Flow Statement
for the year ended 30 June 2008

	Note	2008	2007
		\$	\$
CASH FLOWS FROM STATE GOVERNMENT			
Service appropriations		1,072,000	2,634,000
Net cash provided by State Government		<u>1,072,000</u>	<u>2,634,000</u>
Utilised as follows:			
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES			
Payments			
Department of Agriculture and Food Contracted Services		(5,932,477)	(6,071,767)
Employees and board members benefits		(160,602)	(168,950)
Capital User Charge		-	(1,136,000)
		<u>(6,093,079)</u>	<u>(7,376,717)</u>
Receipts			
User fees & charges			
- Revenues from services		235,462	1,363,594
- Revenues from rates and levies		3,179,050	2,535,031
Grants, subsidies and industry recoups from other sources		218,885	160,000
Interest received		215,036	237,511
		<u>3,848,433</u>	<u>4,296,136</u>
Net cash used in operating activities	27	<u>(2,244,646)</u>	<u>(3,080,581)</u>
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES			
Purchase of non-current physical assets		(6,473)	(29,890)
Proceeds from sale of non-current assets		-	12,078
Net cash (used in)/provided by investing activities		<u>(6,473)</u>	<u>(17,812)</u>
Net increase/(decrease) in cash and cash equivalents		<u>(1,179,119)</u>	<u>(464,393)</u>
Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of period		5,586,620	6,051,013
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT THE END OF PERIOD	27	<u><u>4,407,501</u></u>	<u><u>5,586,620</u></u>

The Cash Flow Statement should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.



1 **Australian equivalents to International Financial Reporting Standards**

General

The Authority's financial statements for the year ended 30 June 2008 have been prepared in accordance with Australian equivalents to International Financial Reporting Standards (AIFRS), which comprise a Framework for the Preparation and Presentation of Financial Statements (the Framework) and Australian Accounting Standards (including the Australian Accounting Interpretations)

In preparing these financial statements the Authority has adopted, where relevant to its operations, new and revised Standards and Interpretations from their operative dates as issued by the AASB and formerly the Urgent Issues Group (UIG).

Early adoption of standards

The Authority cannot early adopt an Australian Accounting Standard or Australian Accounting Interpretation unless specifically permitted by TI 1101 'Application of Australian Accounting Standards and Other Pronouncements'. No Standards and Interpretations that have been issued or amended but are not yet effective have been early adopted by the Authority for the annual reporting period ended 30 June 2008

2 **Summary of significant Accounting Policies**

(a) General Statement

The financial statements constitute a general purpose financial report which has been prepared in accordance with the Australian Accounting Standards, the Framework, Statements of Accounting Concepts and other authoritative pronouncements of the Australian Accounting Standards Board as applied by the Treasurer's instructions. Several of these are modified by the Treasurer's instructions to vary application, disclosure, format and wording.

The Financial Management Act and the Treasurer's instructions are legislative provisions governing the preparation of financial statements and take precedence over the Accounting Standards, the Framework, Statements of Accounting Concepts and other authoritative pronouncements of the Australian Accounting Standards Board.

Where modification is required and has a material or significant financial effect upon the reported results, details of that modification and the resulting financial effect are disclosed in the notes to the financial statements.

(b) Basis of Preparation

The financial statements have been prepared on the accrual basis of accounting using the historical cost convention, modified by the revaluation of land, buildings and infrastructure which have been measured at fair value.

The accounting policies adopted in the preparation of the financial statements have been consistently applied throughout all periods presented unless otherwise stated.

The financial statements are presented in Australian dollars and all values are rounded to the nearest dollar except for note 37 and note 38 explanations where the values have been rounded to the nearest thousand dollars.

(c) Principles of Consolidation of Trust Accounts

The trust funds controlled by the Board are consolidated. The trust funds are the Agriculture Protection Board Trust Fund (APB), the Declared Plants and Animals Control Fund (DPA), the Agriculture Protection Board Research Grants Account, the Skeleton Weed Eradication Fund (SWE) and the Resistant Grain Insects Eradication Fund (RGI). The consolidated accounts of the Board include the assets and liabilities of the trust funds at the end of the financial year and the results of the funds controlled by the Board during the year.

The effect of transactions between the trust funds and inter entity balances are eliminated in full in preparing the consolidated accounts.

(d) Contributed Equity

UIG Interpretation 1038 'Contributions by Owners Made to Wholly-Owned Public Sector Entities' requires transfers in the nature of equity contributions to be designated by the Government (the owner) as contributions by owners (at the time of, or prior to transfer) before such transfers can be recognised as equity contributions. Capital contributions (appropriations) have been designated as contributions by owners by Treasurer's Instruction (T) 955 'Contributions by Owners made to Wholly Owned Public Sector Entities' and have been credited directly to Contributed Equity.

Transfer of net assets to/from other agencies are designated as contributions by owners where the transfers are non discretionary and non reciprocal. See note 26 'Equity'.



(e) Income

Revenue recognition

Revenue is measured at the fair value of consideration received or receivable.
Revenue is recognised for the major business activities as follows:

Sale of goods

Revenue is recognised from the sale of goods and disposal of other assets when the significant risks and rewards of ownership control transfer to the purchaser and can be measured reliably.

Rendering of Services

Revenue is recognised on delivery of the service to the client or by reference to the stage of completion.

Interest

Revenue is recognised as interest accrues.

Service Appropriations

Service Appropriations are recognised as revenues at nominal value in the period in which the Authority gains control of the appropriated funds, which is at the time those funds are deposited to the bank account or credited to the holding account held at Treasury.

Grants, donations, gifts and other non-reciprocal contributions

Revenue is recognised at fair value when the Authority obtains control over the assets comprising the contributions, usually when cash is received.

Other non-reciprocal contributions that are not contributions by owners are recognised at their fair value. Contributions of services are only recognised when a fair value can be reliably determined and the services would be purchased if not donated.

Where contributions recognised as revenues during the reporting period were obtained on the condition that they be expended in a particular manner or used over a particular period, and those conditions were undischarged as at the balance sheet date, the nature of and amounts pertaining to those undischarged conditions are disclosed in the notes.

Gains

Gains may be realised or unrealised and are usually recognised on a net basis. These include gains arising on the disposal of non-current assets and some revaluations of non-current assets.



(f) **Property, Plant and Equipment**

Capitalisation / Expensing of assets

Items of property plant and equipment and infrastructure costing \$1,000 or more are recognised as assets and the cost of utilising assets is expensed (depreciated) over their useful lives. Items of property, plant and equipment and infrastructure costing less than \$1,000 are immediately expensed direct to the Income Statement (other than where they form part of a group of similar items which are significant in total)

Initial recognition and measurement

All items of property plant and equipment and infrastructure are initially recognised at cost

For items of property, plant and equipment and infrastructure acquired at no cost or for nominal cost, the cost is their fair value at the date of acquisition.

Subsequent measurement

After recognition as an asset, the revaluation model is used for the measurement of land and buildings and the cost model for all other property, plant and equipment. Land, buildings and infrastructure are carried at fair value less accumulated depreciation on buildings and infrastructure and accumulated impairment losses. All other items of property plant and equipment are stated at historical cost less accumulated depreciation and accumulated impairment losses.

Where market evidence is available, the fair value of land and buildings is determined on the basis of current market buying values determined by reference to recent market transactions. When buildings are revalued by reference to recent market transactions, the accumulated depreciation is eliminated against the gross carrying amount of the asset and the net amount restated to the revalued amount.

Where market evidence is not available, the fair value of land and buildings is determined on the basis of existing use. This normally applies where buildings are specialised or where land use is restricted. Fair value for existing use assets is determined by reference to the cost of replacing the remaining future economic benefits embodied in the asset, ie, the depreciated replacement cost. Where the fair value of buildings is dependent on using the depreciated replacement cost the gross carrying amount and the accumulated depreciation are restated proportionately.

Independent valuations of land and buildings are provided annually by the Western Australian Land Information Authority (Valuation Services) and recognised with sufficient regularity to ensure that the carrying amount does not differ materially from the asset's fair value at the balance sheet date.

Fair value of infrastructure has been determined by reference to the depreciated replacement cost (existing use basis) as the assets are specialised and no market evidence of value is available. Land under infrastructure is included in land reported under Property plant and equipment. Independent valuations are obtained every 3 to 5 years.

When infrastructure is revalued, the accumulated depreciation is restated proportionately with the change in the gross carrying amount of the asset so that the carrying amount of the asset after revaluation equals its revalued amount.

The most significant assumptions in estimating fair value are made in assessing whether to apply the existing use basis to assets and in determining estimated useful life. Professional judgement by the valuer is required where the evidence does not provide a clear distinction between market type assets and existing use assets.

Refer to note 22 Property plant and equipment for further information on revaluations.

Derecognition

Upon disposal or derecognition of an item of property plant and equipment any revaluation reserve relating to that asset is retained in the asset revaluation reserve.

Depreciation

All non-current assets having a limited useful life are systematically depreciated over their estimated useful lives in a manner that reflects the consumption of their future economic benefits.

The state barrier fence must be permanently maintained to standard. The costs of replacement are capitalised and the state barrier fence is depreciated to comply with the Australian Accounting Standard AASB 1021.

Land is not depreciated. Depreciation on other assets is calculated using the straight line basis, using rates which are reviewed annually. Expected useful lives for each class of depreciable asset are:

	Years
Buildings	20 - 40
The State Barrier fence	20
Plant, Equipment and Machinery	5 - 10
Furniture and Fittings	10
Vehicles and Transportation Equipment	8
IT Equipment	4



(g) Impairment of Assets

Property, plant and equipment and infrastructure are tested for any indication of impairment at each balance sheet date. Where there is an indication of impairment, the recoverable amount is estimated. Where the recoverable amount is less than the carrying amount, the asset is considered impaired and is written down to the recoverable amount and an impairment loss is recognised. As the Authority is a not for profit entity, unless an asset has been identified as a surplus asset the recoverable amount is the higher of an asset's fair value less costs to sell and depreciated replacement cost.

The risk of impairment is generally limited to circumstances where an asset's depreciation is materially understated, where the replacement cost is falling or where there is a significant change in useful life. Each relevant class of assets is reviewed annually to verify that the accumulated depreciation/amortisation reflects the level of consumption or expiration of asset's future economic benefits and to evaluate any impairment risk from falling replacement costs.

Intangible assets with an indefinite useful life and intangible assets not yet available for use are tested for impairment at each balance sheet date irrespective of whether there is any indication of impairment.

The recoverable amount of assets identified as surplus assets is the higher of fair value less costs to sell and the present value of future cash flows expected to be derived from the asset. Surplus assets carried at fair value have no risk of material impairment where fair value is determined by reference to market evidence. Where fair value is determined by reference to depreciated replacement cost, surplus assets are at risk of impairment and the recoverable amount is measured. Surplus assets at cost are tested for indications of impairment at each balance sheet date.

Refer to note 23 Impairment of assets for the outcome of impairment reviews and testing.

Refer also to note 2(n) Receivables and note 17 Receivables for impairment of receivables.

(h) Non-current Assets (or Disposal Groups) Classified as Held for Sale

Non-current assets (or disposal groups) held for sale are recognised at the lower of carrying amount and fair value less costs to sell and are presented separately from other assets in the Balance Sheet. Assets classified as held for sale are not depreciated or amortised.

(i) Inventories

Inventories are measured at the lower of cost and net realisable value. Costs are assigned by the method most appropriate to each particular class of inventory. Raw Materials and Stores are reflected at cost on a first in first out basis. Finished Goods and Work-in-progress are reflected at cost of direct material and labour.

Inventories not held for resale are valued at cost unless they are no longer required, in which case they are valued at net realisable value.



(f) Provisions

Provisions are liabilities of uncertain timing and amount and are recognised where there is a present legal, equitable or constructive obligation as a result of a past event and when the outflow of resources embodying economic benefits is probable and a reliable estimate can be made of the amount of the obligation. Provisions are reviewed at each balance date. See note 25 'Provisions'.

(i) Provisions - Employee Benefits

Annual Leave and Long Service Leave

The liability for annual and long service leave expected to be settled within 12 months after the end of the reporting date is recognised and measured at the undiscounted amounts expected to be paid when the liabilities are settled. Annual and long service leave expected to be settled more than 12 months after the balance sheet date is measured at the present value of amounts expected to be paid when the liabilities are settled. Leave liabilities are in respect of services provided by employees up to the balance sheet date.

When assessing expected future payments consideration is given to expected future wage and salary levels including non salary components such as employer superannuation contributions. In addition, the long service leave liability also considers the experience of employee departures and periods of service.

The expected future payments are discounted using market yields at the balance sheet date on national government bonds with terms to maturity that match, as closely as possible, the estimated future cash outflows.

All annual leave and unconditional long service leave provisions are classified as current liabilities as the Authority does not have an unconditional right to defer settlement of the liability for at least 12 months after the reporting date.

Superannuation

The Government Employees Superannuation Board (GESB) administers the following superannuation schemes:

Employees may contribute to the Pension Scheme, a defined benefit pension scheme now closed to new members or the Gold State Superannuation Scheme (GSS), a defined benefit lump sum scheme also closed to new members.

The Authority has no liabilities under the Pension or the GSS Schemes. The liabilities for the unfunded Pension Scheme and the unfunded GSS Scheme transfer benefits due to members who transferred from the Pension Scheme, are assumed by the Treasurer. All other GSS Scheme obligations are funded by concurrent contributions made by the Authority to the GESB. The concurrently funded part of the GSS Scheme is a defined contribution scheme as these contributions extinguish all liabilities in respect of the concurrently funded GSS Scheme obligations.

Employees commencing employment prior to 16 April 2007 who are not members of either the Pension or the GSS Schemes became non contributory members of the West State Superannuation Scheme (WSS). Employees commencing employment on or after 16 April 2007 became members of the GESB Super Scheme (GESBS). Both of these schemes are accumulation schemes. The Authority makes concurrent contributions to GESB on behalf of employees in compliance with the Commonwealth Government's Superannuation Guarantee (Administration) Act 1992. These contributions extinguish the liability for superannuation charges in respect of the WSS and GESBS Schemes.

The GESB makes all benefit payments in respect of the Pension and GSS Schemes and is recouped by the Treasurer for the employer's share.

See also note 6 Employee Benefits- Superannuation.

(ii) Provisions - Other

Employment On Costs

Employment on-costs, including workers' compensation insurance, are not employee benefits and are recognised separately as liabilities and expenses when the employment to which they relate has occurred. Employment on-costs are included as part of 'Other expenses' and are not included as part of the Authority's 'Employee benefits expense'. The



(k) Superannuation Expense

The following elements are included in calculating the superannuation expense in the Income Statement

(a) Defined benefit plans - Change in the unfunded employer's liability (i.e. current service cost and actuarial gains and losses) assumed by the Treasurer in respect of current employees who are members of the Pension Scheme and current employees who accrued a benefit on transfer from that Scheme to the Gold State Superannuation Scheme (GSS); and

(b) Defined contribution plans - Employer contributions paid to the GSS (concurrent contributions), the West State Superannuation Scheme (WSS) and the GESB Super Scheme (GESBS).

Defined benefit plans - in order to reflect the true cost of services, the movements (i.e. current service cost and actuarial gains and losses) in the liabilities in respect of the Pension Scheme and the GSS transfer benefits are recognised as expenses. As these liabilities are assumed by the Treasurer (refer note 2(j)(i)), a revenue titled 'Liabilities assumed by the Treasurer' equivalent to the expense is recognised under Income from State Government in the Income Statement. See note 21 'Income from State Government'

The superannuation expense does not include payment of pensions to retirees, as this does not constitute part of the cost of services provided in the current year.

The GSS Scheme is a defined benefit scheme for the purposes of employees and whole of government reporting. However apart from the transfer benefit, it is a defined contribution plan for agency purposes because the concurrent contributions (defined contributions) made by the agency to GESB extinguishes the agency's obligations to the related superannuation liability

(l) Jointly Controlled Operations

Interests in joint venture operations have been reported in the financial report including the share of assets employed in the joint ventures, the share of liabilities incurred in relation to the joint ventures and the share of any expenses incurred in relation to the joint ventures in their respective classification categories

(m) Amounts Receivable for Services (Holding Account)

The Authority receives funding on an accrual basis that recognises the full annual cash and non-cash cost of services. The appropriations are paid partly in cash and partly as an asset (Holding Account receivable) that is accessible on the emergence of the cash funding requirement to cover items such as leave entitlements and asset replacement

(n) Receivables

Receivables are recognised and carried at original invoice amount less an allowance for any uncollectible amounts (i.e. impairment). The collectability of receivables is reviewed on an ongoing basis and any receivables identified as uncollectible are written off against the allowance account. The allowance for uncollectible amounts (doubtful debts) is raised when there is objective evidence that the Authority will not be able to collect the debts. The carrying amount is equivalent to fair value as it is due for settlement within 30 days. See note 2(s) 'Financial Instruments' and note 17 'Receivables'

The ability to collect trade debtors is reviewed on an ongoing basis. Debts which are known to be uncollectable are written off. A provision for doubtful debts is raised when collectability is no longer probable.

An allowance for impairment of receivables can only be raised if there is objective evidence of impairment.

(o) Payables

Payables are recognised at the amounts payable when the Authority becomes obliged to make future payments as a result of a purchase of assets or services. The carrying amount is equivalent to fair value, as they are generally settled within 30 days. See note 2(s) 'Financial Instruments' and note 24 'Payables'

(p) Accrued Salaries

Accrued salaries for the Authority represents accrued contractor expenses to the Department of Agriculture and Food (DAFWA) (refer note 25). This value represents the amount due to DAFWA staff but unpaid at the end of the financial year, as the pay date for the last pay period for that financial year does not coincide with the end of the financial year. Accrued salaries are settled within a fortnight of the financial year end. The Authority considers the carrying amount of accrued salaries to be equivalent to its net fair value.



(g) Goods and Services Tax

In accordance with the grouping provisions the right to receive GST and the obligation to pay GST rests with the Department of Agriculture in regard to all GST transactions incurred by members of the group. As a result separate GST transactions are not recognised within the individual authority's financial statements as they are all brought to account in the Department of Agriculture's financial statements.

(r) Resources Received Free of Charge or For Nominal Value

Resources received free of charge or for nominal value that can be reliably measured are recognised as revenues and as assets or expenses as appropriate at fair value.

The Board utilises the services of the Department's officers "free of charge" to carry out the provisions of the Agriculture Protection Board Act 1950 and the Agriculture and Related Resources Protection Act 1976

(s) Financial Instruments

In addition to cash and bank overdraft, the Authority has two categories of financial instrument:

- Loans and receivables; and
 - Financial liabilities measured at amortised cost.
- These have been disaggregated into the following classes:

Financial Assets

- Cash and cash equivalents
- Restricted cash and cash equivalents
- Receivables
- Amounts receivable for services

Financial Liabilities

- Payables

Initial recognition and measurement of financial instruments is at fair value which normally equates to the transaction cost or the face value. Subsequent measurement is at amortised cost using the effective interest method.

The fair value of short-term receivables and payables is the transaction cost or the face value because there is no interest rate applicable and subsequent measurement is not required as the effect of discounting is not material.

(t) Cash and cash equivalents

For the purpose of the Cash Flow Statement, cash and cash equivalent (and restricted cash and cash equivalent) assets comprise cash on hand and short-term deposits with original maturities of three months or less that are readily convertible to a known amount of cash and which are subject to insignificant risk of changes in value and bank overdrafts.

(u) Comparative Figures

Comparative figures are where appropriate reclassified to be comparable with the figures presented in the current financial year.

3 Disclosure of changes in accounting policy and estimates

Initial application of an Australian Accounting Standard

The Authority has applied the following Australian Accounting Standards and Australian Accounting Interpretations effective for annual reporting periods beginning on or after 1 July 2007 that impacted on the Authority:

1 AASB 7 'Financial Instruments: Disclosures' (including consequential amendments in AASB 2005-10 'Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards [AASB 132, AASB 101, AASB 114, AASB 117, AASB 133, AASB 139, AASB 1, AASB 4, AASB 1023 & AASB 1038]'). This Standard requires new disclosures in relation to financial instruments and while there is no financial impact, the changes have resulted in increased disclosures, both quantitative and qualitative, of the Department's exposure to risks, including enhanced disclosure regarding components of the Department's financial position and performance and changes to the way of presenting certain items in the notes to the financial statements.

The Authority at the balance sheet date does not currently undertake these types of transactions and there is no financial impact in applying the Standard.

The following Australian Accounting Standards and Interpretations are not applicable to the Department as they have no impact or do not apply to not-for-profit entities:

AASB Standards and Interpretations
101 'Presentation of Financial Statements'
2005-10 'Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards'
2007-1 'Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards arising from AASB Interpretation 11 [AASB 2]'
2007-4 'Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards arising from ED 151 and Other Amendments'
2007-5 'Amendments to Australian Accounting Standard – Inventories Held for Distribution by Not-for-Profit Entities [AASB 102]'
2007-7 'Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards [AASB 1, AASB 2, AASB 4, AASB 5, AASB 107 & AASB 128]'
ERR Erratum 'Proportionate Consolidation [AASB 101, AASB 107, AASB 121, AASB 127 Interpretation 113]'
Interpretation 10 'Interim Financial Reporting and Impairment'



Future Impact of Australian Accounting Standards not yet operative

The Authority cannot adopt Australian Accounting Standard or Australian Accounting Interpretation unless specifically permitted by TI 1101 Application of Australian Accounting Standards and Other Pronouncements. Consequently, the Authority has not applied the following Australian Accounting Standards and Australian Accounting Interpretations and Australian Accounting Interpretations that have been issued and which may impact the Department but are not yet effective. Where applicable the Authority plans to apply these Standards and Interpretations from their application date:

The following standards are:

(a) to be applied to annual reporting periods beginning on or after 1 July 2008:

- AASB 1004 'Contributions' (December 2007).
- AASB 1050 'Administered Items' (December 2007).
- AASB 1052 'Disaggregated Disclosures' (December 2007).
- AASB 2007-9 'Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards arising from the review of AASs 27, 29 and 31 [AASB 3, AASB 5, AASB 8, AASB 101, AASB 114, AASB 116, AASB 127 & AASB 137] (December 2007).
- Interpretation 1038 'Contributions by Owners Made to Wholly-Owned Public Sector Entities (December 2007).

(b) to be applied to annual reporting periods beginning on or after 1 January 2009:

- AASB 101 'Presentation of Financial Statements' (September 2007)

The following amendments are not applicable to the Department as they will have no impact:

AASB	Affected Standards
Amendment	'Business Combinations'
AASB 3	'Operating Segments'
AASB 8	'Borrowing Costs'
AASB 123	'Consolidated and Separate Financial Statements'
AASB 127	'Financial Reporting of General Government Sectors by Governments'
AASB 1049	'Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards arising from AASB Interpretation 12'
AASB 2007-2	'Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards arising from AASB 8'
AASB 2007-3	'Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards arising from AASB 123'
AASB 2007-6	'Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards arising from AASB 101'
AASB 2007-8	'Amendments to Australian Accounting Standard - Share-based Payments, Vesting Conditions and Cancellations'
AASB 2008-1	'Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards - Puttable Financial Instruments and Obligations arising on Liquidation'
AASB 2008-2	'Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards arising from AASB 3 and AASB 127'
AASB 2008-3	'Determining whether an Arrangement contains a Lease' (February 2007)
Interpretation 4	'Service Concession Arrangements'
Interpretation 12	'Customer Loyalty Programmes'
Interpretation 13	'AASB 119 - The Limit on a Defined Benefit Asset, Minimum Funding Requirements and their Interaction'
Interpretation 14	'Service Concession Arrangements: Disclosures'
Interpretation 129	



4 Department of Agriculture and Food Contracted Services

The Agriculture Protection Board ("the Board") operates according to a Memorandum of Understanding with the Department of Agriculture and Food. The objective of this arrangement is to establish the types and standards of services to be provided, the basis for determining the level and the costs of the services and the responsibilities of the Board and the Department of Agriculture and Food

Services contracted between the Department of Agriculture and Food and the Board (Department) are disclosed as resources received "free of charge" from the Department of Agriculture and Food in accordance with the direction from the Minister that the Department provide the services of available officers without charge.

The Memorandum of Understanding under which the Department is responsible for the provision of services, facilities and personnel sufficient to enable the Board to meet its statutory obligations including the Declared Plant and Animal Control Fund and the Skeleton Weed Eradication Fund. The Memorandum of Understanding is periodically reviewed to maintain its currency

The costs of the above mentioned services are disclosed below:

	<u>2008</u> \$	<u>2007</u> \$
Communications	71,361	84,225
Repairs and maintenance	190,929	139,065
Services & contract expenses		
Services and Contracts	1 149 306	2 283 815
Hire and rent payments	605,330	499,852
	<u>1,754,636</u>	<u>2,783,667</u>
Supplies consumed		
Expenses incurred during the year	885 200	731 606
Stock movement - (increase)/decrease relating to the current year	-	(202,985)
	<u>885,200</u>	<u>528,621</u>
Department of Agriculture and Food contractors and service overheads		
Department of Agriculture and Food contractors	6 715 328	10,117 240
Contractor related expenses (Travel, accommodation, allowances, mileage, transfer costs and training)	1 132 029	1 641 719
Service agreement overheads	2,628,939	3,279,379
	<u>10,476,296</u>	<u>15,038,338</u>
Other expenses		
Grants and subsidies	2 482 834	2 766,069
Other expenses in relation to power, electricity, FBT charges & sundries	568 734	525 123
Contribution to Assets	7 935	420,973
Locust and Starling Pest Management	3,905,254	3,860,966
	<u>6,964,757</u>	<u>7,573,131</u>
Total Department of Agriculture and Food contracted services	<u>20,143,179</u>	<u>28,147,047</u>



	2008 \$	2007 \$
5 Depreciation expense		
Buildings	2 069	109,636
State Barrier Fence	-	317 375
Plant, Equipment and Machinery	12 897	45,533
Vehicles and Transportation Equipment	9 484	20,092
IT Equipment	16 898	18,682
Furniture and Fittings	-	1,000
	<u>41,348</u>	<u>512,318</u>
Included in Trading Profit/(Loss) (refer note 11)	-	(4 183)
	<u>41,348</u>	<u>508,135</u>

Agriculture Protection Fund Buildings, State Barrier Fence and Plant, Equipment and Machinery were transferred to Department of Agriculture and Food from 1st July 2007

6 Employee Benefits Expense		
Wages and board sitting fees	147 926	155,000
Superannuation	12,676	13,950
	<u>160,602</u>	<u>168,950</u>
7 Capital User Charge	-	1,136,000

The charge was a levy applied by Government for the use of its capital. The final charge was levied in 2006-07

8 Resources Received Free of Charge		
Resources free of charge has been determined on the basis of the following provided by the Department of Agriculture and Food :		
Management Agriculture Protection	-	112 099
Regulatory Standards & Training	296 400	319 008
Client & Resource Information System	745 366	768,169
Communications and Public Relations	189 073	205,910
Exotic Animal Pests	271 981	267 131
Animal Industry Policy and Planning	103,827	110 480
Plant Health Policy and Planning	347 695	276,634
Plant Disease & Insect Management	616,098	647 213
Starling Management	2 595 190	2 930 655
State Barrier Fence	510 397	612 181
Bait Manufacture	75 000	81 244
Animal Pest Research & Advisory Service	695 264	665,396
Australian Plague Locust	1 310 064	7 303,265
SCARM and Other Payments	180,024	172 887
Invasive Species - Regions	5 731 297	5 163,354
AgWest Plant Labs	113 789	106,042
Interstate Quarantine (WAQIS)	697,548	855,332
	<u>14,478,994</u>	<u>20,597,000</u>

" Where assets or services have been received free of charge or for nominal cost, the Authority recognises revenues equivalent to the fair value of the assets and/or the fair value of those services that can be reliably determined and which would have been purchased if not donated, and those fair values shall be recognised as assets or expenses, as applicable. The exception occurs where the contribution of assets or services are in the nature of contributions by owners in which case the Authority makes the adjustment direct to equity

9 User fees and charges		
Services and operations		
Provision of services		
- Wild Dog Aerial Baiting	305	432
Sale of other goods	19 174	5 524
	<u>19,479</u>	<u>5,956</u>
Rates and contributions		
Skeleton weed contributions	2 265,379	2 028 651
Agriculture protection rates	937 746	937 197
	<u>3,203,125</u>	<u>2,965,848</u>
Total user fees and charges	<u>3,222,604</u>	<u>2,971,804</u>



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	<u>2008</u>	<u>2007</u>
	\$	\$
10 Grants, subsidies and industry recoupments from other sources		
Department of Agriculture and Food	100,000	100,000
Declared Plants and Animals Grants and Subsidies	25,000	34,134
Recoupments from other sources	<u>58,785</u>	<u>134,134</u>
	<u>183,785</u>	<u>268,268</u>
11 Trading profit/(loss)		
Trading profit from the manufacture and sale of poison baits		
Sales	<u>-</u>	<u>607,886</u>
Less: Cost of sales	<u>-</u>	<u>310,197</u>
Opening inventory	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
Manufacturing costs		
Department of Agriculture and Food Contracted Service Costs	-	198,225
Materials	-	442,530
Services & contract expenses	-	47,599
Other expenses	-	33,815
Depreciation	<u>-</u>	<u>4,183</u>
	<u>-</u>	<u>726,352</u>
	<u>-</u>	<u>1,036,549</u>
Less closing inventory	<u>-</u>	<u>(358,636)</u>
Cost of Sales	<u>-</u>	<u>677,913</u>
Trading profit/(loss)	<u>-</u>	<u>(70,027)</u>
12 Net gain / (loss) on disposal of non-current assets		
<u>Proceeds from Disposal of Non-Current Assets</u>		
Expensed Assets	-	-
Land	-	-
Buildings	-	-
Vehicles and Transportation Equipment	6,457	10,590
Plant, Equipment and Machinery	2,211	1,483
IT Equipment	<u>-</u>	<u>5</u>
Proceeds from disposal of non-current assets	<u>8,668</u>	<u>12,078</u>
<u>Cost of Disposal of Non-Current Assets</u>		
- Land	-	-
- Buildings	-	32,749
- Write off of assets	-	4,544
- Vehicles and transportation equipment	-	1,213
- Plant and equipment	<u>1,601</u>	<u>79</u>
Total cost of disposal of non-current assets	<u>1,601</u>	<u>38,585</u>
Net gain / (loss)	<u>7,067</u>	<u>(26,507)</u>
13 Other revenue		
Contribution from Department of Agriculture and Food	-	197,000
Aerial Baiting	-	39,656
Westrail Searches	39,875	-
Recoupment of wild dog sausage bait meat cost	106,057	-
Other	<u>12,607</u>	<u>10,977</u>
	<u>158,539</u>	<u>247,633</u>



14 **Income from State Government** 2008
\$ 2007
\$

The Department of Agriculture and Food provides the Board with resources free of charge to enable it to discharge its statutory obligations (Refer note 2(f))

Appropriation revenue received during the year

Service appropriation	309 000	1 901 000
Declared Plants and Animals Control Fund	<u>1,021,000</u>	<u>991,000</u>
	<u>1,330,000</u>	<u>2,892,000</u>

Appropriations are accrual amounts reflecting the net cost of services delivered. The appropriation revenue comprises a cash component and a receivable (asset). The receivable (holding account) comprises the depreciation expense for the year and any agreed increase in leave liability during the year

Resources received free of charge

Determined on the basis of the following estimates provided by agencies (Refer note 8):		
Department of Agriculture and Food	<u>14,478,994</u>	<u>20,597,000</u>
	<u>14,478,994</u>	<u>20,597,000</u>

Where assets or services have been received free of charge or for nominal consideration, the Authority recognises revenues (except where the contribution of assets or services is in the nature of contributions by owners, in which case the Authority shall make a direct adjustment to equity) equivalent to the fair value of the assets and/or the fair value of those services that can be reliably determined and which would have been purchased if not donated, and those fair values shall be recognised as assets or expenses as applicable

15 **Cash and cash equivalents**

Funds held at bank for the following trust funds:		
Agriculture Protection Fund	<u>612,233</u>	<u>1,034,365</u>
	<u>612,233</u>	<u>1,034,365</u>

16 **Restricted cash and cash equivalents**

Funds held at bank for the following controlled trust accounts:		
Resistant Grain Insects Eradication Fund (a): (expenses directly related to the eradication of resistant grain insects)	20 000	20 000
Skeleton Weed Eradication Fund (a): (expenses directly related to the eradication or prevention of spread of Skeleton weed, payment of compensation in accordance with the Act, expenses incurred in the determination of the value of any grain, seed, crop or bag in respect of which compensation is paid under the Act such contributions to the Resistant Grain Insects Eradication Fund as are authorised under the Act)	3,094 252	4 057 032
Declared Plants and Animals Control Fund (b)	681 016	475 222
Controlled trust accounts	<u>3,795,268</u>	<u>4,562,254</u>

(a) Funds held in trust on behalf of the Grains Industry of WA. The Trust Funds are established under the provisions of the Plant Pests and Diseases (Eradication Funds) Act 1974 [“the Act”], and balances comprise, in the main, annual contributions from grain growers. Balances may only be used for the purposes described in the Act - they are not available to meet other Board liabilities and commitments. Under the Act, the Board has a statutory responsibility to approve all payments made from the Funds.

(b) A fund established under the provisions of the Agriculture Protection Act 1950 to manage monies collected for the purpose of controlling Declared Plants and Animals on and in relation to, all lands held under pastoral lease. Rates contributed by pastoral lessees are matched by an equal contribution drawn from the State Government's Consolidated Fund. All monies credited to this fund and subsequently spent on programs approved by the Board on the advice of the pastoral Zone Control



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17	Receivables	2008 \$	2007 \$
	Debtors	136,849	210,553
	Accrued Receivables	29,798	
	Total Receivables	<u>166,647</u>	<u>210,553</u>
	Reconciliation of changes in the allowance for impairment of receivables:		
	Balance at start of year	-	5,349
	Doubtful debts expense recognised in the income statement	-	(5,349)
	Amounts written off during the year	-	-
	Amount recovered during the year	-	-
	Balance at end of year	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
	Credit Risk		
	Ageing of receivables past due but not impaired based on the information provided to senior management, at the balance sheet date:		
	Not more than 3 months	-	-
	More than 3 months but less than 6 months	66,933	85,509
	More than 6 months but less than 1 year	62,054	63,354
	More than 1 Year	<u>128,987</u>	<u>148,863</u>
	See also note 2(n) "Receivables" and note 30 "Financial Instruments".		
18	Other current assets		
	Accrued interest	<u>48,202</u>	<u>55,591</u>
		48,202	55,591
19	Non-current assets classified as held for sale		
	Opening Balance		
	Land	-	175,250
	Buildings	-	31,974
		<u>-</u>	<u>207,224</u>
	Assets reclassified as held for sale		
	Buildings	-	-
		<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
	Total Assets reclassified as held for sale		
	Land	-	175,250
	Buildings	-	31,974
		<u>-</u>	<u>207,224</u>
	Less assets sold		
	Land	-	-
	Buildings	-	-
		<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
	Less assets withdrawn from being held for sale		
	Land	-	175,250
	Buildings	-	31,974
		<u>-</u>	<u>207,224</u>
	Closing Balance		
	Land	-	-
	Buildings	-	-
		<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
20	Amounts receivable for services		
	Non-current	<u>3,012,436</u>	<u>2,754,436</u>
	This asset represents the non-cash component of service appropriations see note 2(m) "Amounts Receivable for services (Holding Account)". It is restricted in that it can only be used for asset replacement or payment of leave liability.		
21	Inventories		
	Raw materials and stores	<u>-</u>	<u>290,296</u>
	Inventories held for resale		
	Raw Materials	-	184,901
	Work in Progress	-	162,939
	Finished goods	-	10,797
		<u>-</u>	<u>358,637</u>
		<u>-</u>	<u>648,933</u>
	See note 2(i) "Inventories" and note 11 "Trading profit/(loss)".		

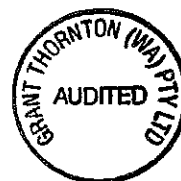


22 Property, plant and equipment	2008 \$	2007 \$
Land		
At fair value (a)	3,600	5,499,600
	<u>3,600</u>	<u>5,499,600</u>
State barrier fence		
At fair value (a)	-	-
	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
Buildings		
At fair value (a)	60,000	60,000
Total Buildings	<u>60,000</u>	<u>60,000</u>
Plant & Equipment		
At cost	204,700	232,438
Accumulated depreciation	<u>(168,705)</u>	<u>(181,945)</u>
	<u>35,995</u>	<u>50,493</u>
Vehicles and Transportation Equipment		
At cost	221,583	258,308
Accumulated depreciation	<u>(210,762)</u>	<u>(238,003)</u>
	<u>10,821</u>	<u>20,305</u>
IT Equipment		
At cost	107,840	104,888
Accumulated depreciation	<u>(96,088)</u>	<u>(82,711)</u>
	<u>11,752</u>	<u>22,177</u>
Furniture & Fittings		
At cost	-	-
Accumulated depreciation	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
Total Assets		
At cost and fair value	597,723	6,155,234
Accumulated depreciation	<u>(475,555)</u>	<u>(502,859)</u>
	<u>122,168</u>	<u>5,652,375</u>
Total Non Current Assets	<u>122,168</u>	<u>5,652,375</u>

(a) Freehold land, buildings and state barrier fence were revalued as at 1 July 2007 by the Western Australian Land Information Authority (Valuation Services). The valuations were performed during the year ended 30 June 2008 and recognised at 30 June 2008. In undertaking the revaluation, fair value was determined by reference to market values for land and buildings. For the remaining balance fair value of land and buildings was determined on the basis of depreciated replacement cost.

Valuation Services, the Office of the Auditor General and the Department of Treasury and Finance assessed the valuations globally to ensure that the valuations provided (as at 1 July 2007) were compliant with fair value at 30 June 2008.

The Board approved the transfer of assets, with the exception of Declared Plants and Animals Control Fund and Skeleton Weed Eradication Fund assets, to the the Department of Agriculture and Food at no cost to the Board. UIG 1038 requires that where the transferee accounts for a transfer as a contribution by owner, the transferor must account for the transfer as a distribution to owners. Consequently, non-discretionary (non-reciprocal) transfers of net assets to other State Government Agencies are distribution to owners and are debited directly to equity.



**Property, plant, equipment and vehicles
 Reconciliations**

Reconciliations of the carrying amounts of property plant equipment and vehicles at the beginning and end of the current and previous financial year are set out below

	Land	State Barrier Fence	Buildings	Plant and Equipment	Vehicles etc	IT Equip	Furniture &Fittings	Assets held for Sale		TOTAL
								Land	Building	
2008										
Carrying amount at 1/07/2007	5,499,600	-	60,000	50,493	20,305	22,177	-	-	-	5,652,575
Additions						6,473				6,473
Reclassification										-
Disposals				(1,601)						(1,601)
Assets Transfer to DAFWA	(5,496,000)									(5,496,000)
Revaluation - (Decrement)/Increment			2,069							2,069
Depreciation			(2,069)	(12,897)	(9,484)	(16,856)				(41,348)
Write-off of asset										-
Carrying amount at 30/06/2008	3,600	-	60,000	35,895	10,821	11,752	-	-	-	122,168
2007										
Carrying amount at 1/07/2005	3,505,100	4,500,060	3,490,519	113,669	73,783	39,884	1,168	175,250	31,974	11,931,287
Additions			0	3,520	8,055	2,540	-			14,115
Reclassification	175,250		31,974					(175,250)	(31,974)	0
Disposals			(32,749)	(79)	(1,213)					(34,041)
Assets Transfer to DAFWA		(4,182,825)	(3,317,875)	(20,773)	(40,228)	(1,565)	(108)			(7,563,174)
Revaluation - (Decrement)/Increment	1,819,250		2,000							1,821,250
Transfer Between Categories										
Disposal Reversal										
Depreciation		(317,375)	(109,638)	(45,533)	(20,092)	(18,682)	(1,000)			(512,318)
Write-off of asset			(4,233)	(311)						(4,544)
Carrying amount at 30/06/2007	5,499,600	0	60,000	50,493	20,305	22,177	0	0	0	5,652,575

** This figure includes disposals retirements and adjustments



23 Impairment of assets

There were no indications of impairment to property plant and equipment infrastructure and intangible assets at 30 June 2008.

The Authority held no goodwill or intangible assets with an indefinite useful life during the reporting period and at reporting date there were no intangible assets not yet available for use.

All surplus assets at 30 June 2008 have either been classified as assets held for sale or written off.

	<u>2008</u>	<u>2007</u>
	\$	\$
24 Payables		
Trade payables	46,741	332,308
Accrued expenses	37,318	
	<u>84,059</u>	<u>332,308</u>
See also note 2(o) Payables and note 30 Financial Instruments		
25 Other Current Liabilities		
Accrued Salaries		
Contractor expenses	<u>-</u>	<u>4,046</u>



26 Equity

Equity represents the residual interest in the net assets of the Authority. The Government holds the equity interest in the Authority on behalf of the community. The asset revaluation reserve represents that portion of equity resulting from the revaluation of non-current assets

	<u>2008</u>	<u>2007</u>
	\$	\$
Contributed Equity		
Balance at the start of the year		-
<i>Distributions to owners</i>		
Transfer of net assets to Department of Agriculture and Food (a)		
Buildings, Land, Barrier Fence and Plant and Equipment	(6,145,034)	(8,099,958)
Total distributions to owners	<u>(6,145,034)</u>	<u>(8,099,958)</u>
Transfer from asset revaluation reserve	5,496,000	4,151,500
Transfer from accumulated surplus	649,034	3,948,458
Balance at the end of the year	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
Reserves		
Asset revaluation reserve (1)		
Balance at the start of the year	<u>10,158,772</u>	<u>8,337,522</u>
Net revaluation increments / (decrements)		
Land	-	1,819,250
Building	2,069	2,000
Net movement	<u>2,069</u>	<u>1,821,250</u>
Transfer to contributed equity	(5,496,000)	-
Transfer to accumulated surplus	(4,652,341)	-
Balance at the end of the year	<u>12,500</u>	<u>10,158,772</u>
Accumulated surplus		
Balance at the start of the year	4,413,581	13,481,098
Transfer to contributed equity	(649,034)	(8,099,958)
Result for the year	(756,493)	(967,559)
Transfer from asset revaluation reserve	4,652,341	-
Balance at the end of the year	<u>7,660,395</u>	<u>4,413,581</u>
Total Equity	<u>7,672,895</u>	<u>14,572,353</u>

(1) The asset revaluation reserve is used to record increments & decrements on the revaluation of non current assets as described in the accounting policy note 2(f). see also note 22 for asset movements

(a) The Board approved the transfer of assets, with the exception of Declared Plants and Animals Control Fund and Skeleton Weed Eradication Fund assets, to the the Department of Agriculture and Food at no cost to the Board. UIG 1038 requires that where the transferee accounts for a transfer as a contribution by owner, the transferor must account for the transfer as a distributions to owners. Consequently, non-discretionary (non-reciprocal) transfers of net assets to other State Government Agencies are distribution to owners and are debited directly to equity



27	Notes to the Cash Flow Statement	2008 \$	2007 \$
	Reconciliation of cash		
	Cash at the end of the financial year as shown in the Cash Flow Statement is reconciled to the related items in the Balance Sheet as follows:		
	Cash and cash equivalents		
	Agriculture Protection Fund ¹	612 233	1 034 366
	Declared Plants and Animals Control Fund	681 016	475 222
	Resistant Grain Fund	20 000	20 000
	Skeleton Weed Eradication Fund	3,094,252	4,057,032
		<u>4,407,501</u>	<u>5,586,620</u>
	¹ 2006 included \$150,000 Consolidated Fund Appropriation monies for Declared Plant and Animals Control matching funds. This was transferred to the Declared Plants and Animals control fund in 2007		
	Reconciliation of net cost of services to net cash flows provided by/(used in) operating activities		
	Net cost of services	(16,565 487)	(24 456 559)
	Non-cash items:		
	Depreciation	Note 5 & 11 41 348	512 318
	Expensed assets	1 499	3 696
	Resources received free of charge	Note 8 14 478,994	20 597 000
	Proceeds from disposal of non-current assets	Note 12 -	-
	Cost of disposal of non-current assets	Note 12 -	38 566
	Transfers To Department of Agriculture and Food		(536 784)
	Internal Expenses		
	(Increase)/decrease in assets:		
	Receivables	43 906	418 884
	Inventories	-	285 360
	Other Non Current Assets	7 389	(9 027)
	Increase/(decrease) in liabilities:		
	Payables	(248 249)	99 711
	Provisions	-	(36 425)
	Other Current Liabilities	(4 046)	2 659
	Net cash (used in)/provided by operating activities	<u>(2,244,646)</u>	<u>(3,080,581)</u>



	<u>2008</u>	<u>2007</u>
	\$	\$
28 Remuneration of members of the accountable authority and senior officers		
<u>Remuneration of members of the accountable authority</u>		
The number of members of the Accountable Authority, whose total fees, salaries, superannuation and other benefits for the financial year fall within the following bands are:		
\$10,001 - \$20,000	10	10
\$20,001 - \$30,000	-	-
\$30,001 - \$40,000	1	1
 The total remuneration of the members of the Accountable Authority is:	 \$ 160,602	 \$ 168,950

The superannuation included here represents the superannuation expense incurred by the Authority in respect of members of the Accountable Authority

No members of the Accountable Authority are members of the Pension Scheme.

29 Remuneration of auditor		
Remuneration payable to the Auditor General for the financial year is as follows:		
Auditing the accounts, financial statements and performance indicators	\$ 20,000	\$ 24,100
The expense is included at note 4 'Department of Agriculture and Food (Funded) Service Cost -Services and Contract Expenses'		

30 Financial Instruments

(a) Financial Risk Management Objectives and Policies

Financial instruments held by the Authority are cash and cash equivalents, restricted cash and cash equivalents, borrowings, finance leases, Treasurer's advances, loans and receivables, and payables. The Authority has limited exposure to financial risks. The Authority's overall risk management program focuses on managing the risks identified below.

Credit risk

Credit risk arises when there is the possibility of the Authority's receivables defaulting on their contractual obligations resulting in financial loss to the Authority. The Authority measures credit risk on a fair value basis and monitors risk on a regular basis.

The maximum exposure to credit risk at balance sheet date in relation to each class of recognised financial assets is the gross carrying amount of those assets inclusive of any provisions for impairment as shown in the table at Note 31 (b).

Credit risk associated with the Authority's financial assets is minimal because the main receivable is the amounts receivable for services (holding account). For receivables other than government, the Authority trades only with recognised, creditworthy third parties. The Authority has policies in place to ensure that sales of products and services are made to customers with an appropriate credit history. In addition, receivable balances are monitored on an ongoing basis with the result that the Authority's exposure to bad debts is minimal. There are no significant concentrations of credit risk.

Liquidity risk

The Authority is exposed to liquidity risk through its trading in the normal course of business. Liquidity risk arises when the Authority is unable to meet its financial obligations as they fall due.

The Authority has appropriate procedures to manage cash flows including drawdowns of appropriations by monitoring forecast cash flows to ensure that sufficient funds are available to meet its commitments.

Market risk

The Authority does not trade in foreign currency and is not materially exposed to other price risks (for example equity securities or commodity prices changes).



(b) Financial Instrument disclosures

Categories of Financial Instruments

In addition to cash and bank overdraft the carrying amounts of each of the categories of financial assets and financial liabilities at balance sheet date are detailed in the table below

Credit Risk, Liquidity Risk and Interest Rate Risk Exposures

The exposure to liquidity risk and interest rate risk as at the balance sheet date are detailed in the table below. The Authority's maximum exposure to credit risk at the balance sheet date is the carrying amount of the financial assets as shown on the following table. The table is based on information provided to senior management of the Authority. The contractual maturity amounts in the table are representative of the undiscounted amounts at the balance sheet date. An adjustment for discounting has been made where material.

The Authority does not hold any collateral as security or other credit enhancements relating to the financial assets it holds. The Authority does not hold any financial assets that had to have their terms renegotiated that would have otherwise resulted in them being past due or impaired.

2008	Weighted average effective interest rate	Variable interest rate	Non interest bearing	Contractual Maturity Dates			Total
				Within 1 Year	Within 1 to 5 Years	Over 5 Years	
				\$	\$	\$	
	%	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Financial Assets							
Cash and cash equivalents		-	612 233	-	-	-	612 233
Restricted and cash equivalents	7.0322	3 094 252	701 016	-	-	-	3 795 268
Receivables		-	214 850	-	-	-	214 850
Total financial assets		3,094,252	1,528,099	-	-	-	4,622,351
Financial Liabilities							
Payables		-	84 059	-	-	-	84 059
Other current liabilities		-	-	-	-	-	-
Total financial liabilities		-	84,059	-	-	-	84,059

2007	%	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Financial Assets							
Cash and cash equivalents		-	1 034 365	-	-	-	1 034 365
Restricted and cash equivalents	5.98	4 057 032	495 222	-	-	-	4 552 254
Receivables		-	266 144	-	-	-	266 144
Total financial assets		4,057,032	1,795,731	-	-	-	5,852,763
Financial Liabilities							
Payables		-	332 308	-	-	-	332 308
Other current liabilities		-	4,046	-	-	-	4,046
Total financial liabilities		-	336,354	-	-	-	336,354

Interest rate sensitivity analysis

The following table represents a summary of the interest rate sensitivity of the Authority's financial assets and liabilities at the balance sheet date on the surplus for the period and equity for a 1% change in interest rates. It is assumed that the change in interest rates is held constant throughout the reporting period.

2008	Carrying amount \$'000	-1% change		+1% change	
		Profit \$'000	Equity \$'000	Profit \$'000	Equity \$'000
Financial Assets					
Restricted cash and cash equivalents	3,094	(31)	(31)	31	31
	<u>3,094</u>	<u>(31)</u>	<u>(31)</u>	<u>31</u>	<u>31</u>
2007	Carrying amount \$'000	Profit \$'000	Equity \$'000	Profit \$'000	Equity \$'000
Financial Assets					
Restricted cash and cash equivalents	4,057	(41)	(41)	41	41
	<u>4,057</u>	<u>(41)</u>	<u>(41)</u>	<u>41</u>	<u>41</u>



Fair Values

All financial assets and liabilities recognised in the balance sheet, whether they are carried at cost or fair value are recognised at amounts that represent a reasonable approximation of fair value unless otherwise stated in the applicable notes

31 Contingent liabilities and contingent assets

Contingent liabilities

In addition to the liabilities included in the financial statements there are the following contingent liabilities:

Contaminated sites

Under the Contaminated Sites Act 2003, the Authority is required to report known and suspected contaminated sites to the Department of Environment and Conservation (DEC). In accordance with the Act, DEC classifies these sites on the basis of the risk to human health, the environment and environmental values. Where sites are classified as contaminated – remediation required or possibly contaminated – investigation required the Authority may have a liability in respect of investigation or remediation expenses.

The Authority in 2007 reported 34 contaminated sites of which 33 sites have now been transferred to Department of Agriculture and Food in accordance with the 2007 Board approval. The remaining one (1) reported contaminated site has yet to be classified. The Authority is unable to assess the likely outcome of the classification process, and accordingly, it is not practicable to estimate the potential financial effect or to identify the uncertainties relating to the amount or timing of any outflows. Whilst there is no possibility of reimbursement of any future expenses that may be incurred in the remediation of these sites, the Authority may apply for funding from the Contaminated Sites Management Account to undertake further investigative work or to meet remediation costs that may be required.

32 Commitments	<u>2008</u> \$	<u>2007</u> \$
Other expenditure commitments at balance sheet date but not recognised as liabilities are payable as follows:		
Within 1 year	2 500	4 000
Later than one year and not later than 5 years	2 500	4 000
Later than 5 years	-	-
	<u>5,000</u>	<u>8,000</u>

These commitments are inclusive of GST

There are no known expenditure commitments at reporting date with the exception of the Derby Aboriginal Health Services as reported above.

33 Events occurring after reporting date

There are no events in particular that occurred after reporting date which would materially affect the financial statements or disclosures

34 Related bodies

There are no bodies related to The Agriculture Protection Board of Western Australia.

35 Affiliated bodies

The following groups received support payments under a contractual agreement to eradicate animals that are declared animals under the Agriculture and Related Resources Protection Act 1976. These agreements are funded from the Declared Plants and Animal Control Fund. The groups listed below are not subject to operational control by the Authority

Lyndon Minitia River Declared Animal Group	78 485	79 750
Upper Gascoyne Declared Animal Group	73 900	79 750
Arthur River Declared Animal Group	71 952	72 500
Meekatharra Yagahorn Dogging Group	36 455	70 000
Eastern Menzies Declared Animal Group	-	56 500
Laverton Dogging Group	-	37 000
Eastern Wheatbelt Declared Animal Group	-	36 000
Ravensthorpe Declared Species Group	-	12 500
Wiluna Central Dogging Group	35 100	11 000
Shire of Goomalling	13 636	-
Murchison Regional Vermin Council	28 000	-
Lake McDermott Catchment Group	4 890	-

These payments are inclusive of GST where applicable



	<u>2008</u>	<u>2007</u>
36 Supplementary financial information		
<u>Write-offs</u>		
Public property and debtors approved by the Board during the financial year	-	4,544

37 **SUMMARY FINANCIAL INFORMATION OF EACH TRUST ACCOUNT**

See separate attachment



SUMMARY FINANCIAL INFORMATION OF EACH TRUST ACCOUNT

	NOTES	AGRICULTURE PROTECTION FUND		DECLARED PLANTS AND ANIMALS CONTROL FUND		RESISTANT GRAIN FUND		SKELETON WEED ERADICATION FUND		Total	
		2007/08	2006/07	2007/08	2006/07	2007/08	2006/07	2007/08	2006/07	2007/08	2006/07
		\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
Income	1	14,793	23,139	2,157	2,165	-	-	2,648	2,393	19,598	27,697
Expenditure		14,938	23,392	1,982	1,896	-	-	3,435	3,376	20,355	28,664
Surplus/(Deficit)		(145)	(253)	175	269	-	-	(787)	(983)	(757)	(967)
Surplus/(Deficit)		(145)	(253)	175	269	-	-	(787)	(983)	(757)	(967)
Capital		3,605	9,622	827	652	20	20	3,221	4,279	7,673	14,573
Total Equity		3,605	9,622	827	652	20	20	3,221	4,279	7,673	14,573
Non Current Assets		3,014	8,250	26	33	-	-	95	124	3,135	8,407
Current Assets		0	431	155	156	-	-	60	328	215	915
Bank		612	1,034	681	475	20	20	3,094	4,057	4,407	5,586
Liabilities		(22)	(94)	(35)	(12)	-	-	(27)	(230)	(84)	(336)
Total Equity		3,604	9,621	827	652	20	20	3,222	4,279	7,673	14,572

(1) 2006/2007 Declared Plants and Animals Control Fund (DPA) Income includes \$150,000 of Consolidated Fund Appropriation for DPA matching funds from 2005/2006 which was credited to the Agriculture Protection Fund Income in 2005/2006 in error .

37 .1 AGRICULTURE PROTECTION FUND
STATEMENT OF REVENUES AND EXPENSES
For the Year Ended 30 June 2008

The purpose of this trust account is to provide the funds necessary for the effectual exercise by the Protection Board of the powers conferred and duties imposed upon it by the Agriculture Protection Act

	2008	2007
	\$'000's	\$'000's
REVENUES		
Consolidated Fund Appropriation	309	1,901
Resources Received Free of Charge	14,479	20,597
Sale of Goods & Services	-	608
Other Revenue	4	33
Total Revenue	<u>14,793</u>	<u>23,139</u>
EXPENSES		
Free of Charge Expenses (Refer Note 8)	14,479	20,597
Salaries, Wages & on-costs	305	348
Services & Contracts	15	41
Other Staff Related Expenses	45	32
Non-Salary Related Costs	33	30
Consultants & Contractors	27	74
Consultancy/Service Charges	10	147
Other Expenses	15	70
Maintenance & Repairs	5	8
Grants, Subsidies & Transfer Payments	4	4
Depreciation	-	454
Asset Disposals Losses & Write Offs	-	37
Change in LSL Provision	-	(36)
Stock Movement	-	(240)
Grants, Subsidies & Transfer Payments	-	300
Fodder	-	400
Capital User Charge	-	1,126
Total Expenses	<u>14,938</u>	<u>23,392</u>
SURPLUS/(DEFICIT)	<u>(145)</u>	<u>(253)</u>

**37 .2 DECLARED PLANT AND ANIMAL PEST CONTROL FUND
STATEMENT OF REVENUES AND EXPENSES
For the Year Ended 30 June 2008**

The purpose of this trust account is to manage monies collected for the purpose of controlling Declared Plants and Animals on, and in relation to, all lands held under pastoral lease.

	2008	2007
	\$'000's	\$'000's
REVENUES		
Consolidated Fund Appropriation*	1,020	1,141
Rates	938	937
Sale of Goods & Services	9	52
Other Revenue	190	35
Total Revenue	<u>2,157</u>	<u>2,165</u>
EXPENSES		
Aircraft Hire	558	410
Grants, Subsidies, Sponsorship & Transfer Payments	410	491
Meat Baits	86	168
Other Operating	125	146
Salaries, Wages & on-costs	102	122
Petrol & oils (Vehicles & Aircraft)	111	102
Chemicals, pharmaceuticals & poisons	355	251
Other Staff Related Costs	11	65
Repairs - Plant, Mach & Equipment	135	12
Consultants & Contractors	82	107
Ammunition & explosives	2	12
Depreciation/Amort of Fixed Assets	5	10
Total Expenses	<u>1,982</u>	<u>1,896</u>
SURPLUS/(DEFICIT)	<u>175</u>	<u>269</u>

* 2007 Declared Plants and Animals Control Fund (DPA) Consolidated Fund (CF) Appropriation Income includes \$150,000 of CF Appropriation for DPA matching funds from 2005/2006 which was credited to the Agriculture Protection Fund Income in 2005/2006 in error .

37.3 SKELETON WEED TRUST FUND
STATEMENT OF REVENUES AND EXPENSES
For the Year Ended 30 June 2008

The purpose of this trust account is to manage contributions received from grain growers through a compulsory contribution on grain and seed deliveries to meet expenses directly related to the eradication or prevention of spread of skeleton weed, payment of compensation in accordance with the Act, expenses incurred in the determination of the value of any grain, crop or bag in respect of which compensation is paid under the Act and such contributions to the Resistant Grain Insects Eradication Fund as are authorised under the enabling legislation.

	2008	2007
	\$'000's	\$'000's
REVENUES		
Contributions	2,300	2,046
Direct Grants & Subsidies	100	100
Interest	208	247
Westrail Searches	40	-
Total Revenue	<u>2,648</u>	<u>2,393</u>
EXPENSES		
Grant to Landholders	1,716	1,549
Salaries, Wages & On-costs	843	785
Other Operating	316	410
Contractors - Private Sector	91	77
Chemicals, pharmaceuticals & poisons	177	261
Local Vehicle Usage charges	239	231
Other Staff Related Costs	17	14
Depreciation/Amort of Fixed Assets	36	49
Total Expenses	<u>3,435</u>	<u>3,376</u>
SURPLUS/(DEFICIT)	<u>(787)</u>	<u>(983)</u>

38 Explanatory Statement

Significant variations between estimates and actual results for income and expenses as presented in the financial statement are shown below. Explanation of significant variations are considered to be those greater than \$50 000

Significant variances between 2008 budget and 2008 actual; and 2007 actual and 2008 actual

	Budget 2008	Actual 2008	Variance Between 2008 Budget & 2008 Actual	Note	Actual 2007	Variance Between 2008 Actual & 2007 Actual	Note
	\$	\$	\$		\$	\$	
COST OF SERVICES							
<i>Expenses from ordinary activities</i>							
Department of Agriculture and Food contracted (funded) services	18 563 000	20 143 179	1,640,179	38 1	26 147 047	(6,003 857)	38 9
Depreciation	258,000	41,348	(216,652)	38 2	508 135	(466 788)	38 10
Employee Benefits Expense	-	160 602	160 602	38 3	168,950	(8 348)	
Cost of sales	-	-	-		677 913	(677 913)	38 11
Capital User Charge	-	-	-		1 136 000	(1 136 000)	38 12
Loss on disposal of non-current assets	-	-	-		26 507	(26 507)	
Total cost of services	18,761,000	20,345,129	1,584,129		28,664,552	(6,319,423)	
<i>Revenues from operating activities</i>							
User Fee & Charges	6 092 000	3 222 604	(2 869 396)	38 4	2 971 804	250 800	38 13
Grants, subsidies and industry recoups from other sources	-	183 785	183 785	38 5	134 134	49,651	
Sales	-	-	-		607 886	(607 886)	
Interest	66 000	207 647	141 647	38 6	246 536	(38 889)	
Other revenues	-	158,539	158,539	38 7	247 633	(89 094)	38 14
Total revenue	6,158,000	3,772,575	(2,385,425)		4,207,993	(435,418)	
<i>Gains</i>							
Gain on disposal of non-current assets	-	7,067	7,067		-	7,067	
Total Gains	-	7,067	7,067		-	7,067	
Total Income other than income from State Government	6,158,000	3,779,642	(2,378,358)		4,207,993	(428,351)	
NET COST OF SERVICES	12,603,000	16,565,487	3,962,487		24,456,559	(7,891,072)	
REVENUES FROM STATE GOVERNMENT							
Service appropriation	1,330,000	1,330 000	-		2 892 000	(1,562 000)	
Resources received free of charge	11,047,000	14 478 994	3 431 994	38 8	20 597 000	(6 118 006)	38 15
Total revenues from State Government	12,377,000	15,808,994	3,431,994		23,489,000	(7,680,006)	
CHANGE IN NET ASSETS	(226,000)	(756,493)	(530,493)		(967,559)	211,066	
TOTAL CHANGE IN EQUITY	(226,000)	(756,493)	(530,493)		(967,559)	211,066	



Significant reason for Variance between Budget 2008 vs Actual 2008		2007/08 Budget \$'000	2007/08 Actual \$'000	Variation \$'000
38.1	<u>Department of Agriculture and Food Contracted Services</u> The increase on budget estimate is a result of additional funding being provided for animal pest control programs of locusts and starlings	18 503	20 143	(1 640)
38.2	<u>Depreciation</u> The depreciation budget was based on assets held but transferred to DAFWA with the impending repeal of the APB Act	258	41	217
38.3	<u>Employee benefits Expense</u> The budget assumed no employee activity in anticipation of the impending repeal of the APB Act which had not occurred as at 30 June 2008	0	161	(161)
38.4	<u>User Fees and Charges</u> A significant reduction in the grain harvest tonnage and transfer of Bait Production Asset to Department of Agriculture and Food contributed to the budget variation (See Note 22)	6 092	3 223	2 869
38.5	<u>Grants, subsidies and industry recoups from other sources</u> Represented by the receipt from the Department of Agriculture and Food of a grant for skeleton weed eradication and recoup from industry the cost of wild dog sausage baits	-	184	(184)
38.6	<u>Interest</u> Higher than anticipated interest rate and cash balances in the Skeleton Weed Trust Fund generated additional interest earnings	66	208	(142)
38.7	<u>Other revenues</u> Represents recoup from non industry bodies of the cost of bait meat for eradication of wild dogs for which there was no budget estimate	-	159	(159)
38.8	<u>Resources received free of charge</u> The increase on budget estimate is due to additional funding received for the eradication of starlings and locusts.	11 047	14 479	(3 432)



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2008 BUDGET Versus 2008 ACTUAL and 2007 Actual Versus 2008 Actual

Significant reason for Variance Actual 2008 vs Actual 2007		2007/08 Actual \$'000	2006/07 Actual \$'000	Variation \$'000
38 9	<u>Department of Agriculture and Food Contracted Services</u> The decrease is due to a reduction in the animal pest control programs of locusts and starlings	20,143	26 147	(6 004)
38 10	<u>Depreciation</u> The reduction is due to the transfer of Agriculture Protection Board assets to Department of Agriculture and Food	41	508	(467)
38 11	<u>Cost of sales</u> The reduction is due the transfer of Bait Production Unit to the Department of Agriculture and Food	-	677 913	(677,913)
38 12	<u>Capital User Charge</u> The reduction is due to the cassation of Capital User Charge by the Government	-	1 136 000	(1 136,000)
38 13	<u>User Fees & Charges</u> The increase is due to Skeleton Weed Levy and Declared Plants and Animals rates collected being greater than that collected in 2007	3 223	2 972	251
38 14	<u>Other revenues</u> The reduction in revenue is due to lower activity for invasive species program in the Southern Rangelands Region resulting in lower recoup from Industry sources	159	248	(89)
38 15	<u>Resources received free of charge</u> The reduction in funding is as a result of the cessation of the 2007 locust pest eradication program early in 2008	14 479	20 597	(6 118)

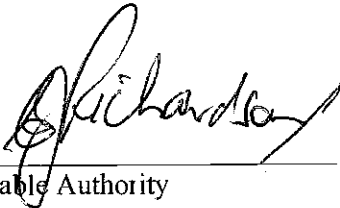


THE AGRICULTURE PROTECTION BOARD OF WESTERN AUSTRALIA

**CERTIFICATION OF PERFORMANCE INDICATORS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2008**

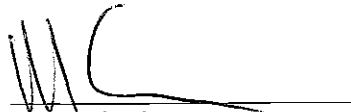
We hereby certify that the performance indicators are based on proper records, are relevant and appropriate for assisting users to assess The Agriculture Protection Board of Western Australia's performance, and fairly represent the performance of The Agriculture Protection Board of Western Australia for the financial year ended 30 June 2008

C. RICHARDSON
Chairman of Accountable Authority



Date: 24/07/08

M SCLANDERS
Member of Accountable Authority



Date: 24/07/08



Government goal

A government goal is to ensure that regional Western Australia is strong and vibrant

The Agriculture Protection Board supports this goal by protecting the productive resource base of animal and plant based primary industries against the adverse impacts of animal and plant pests.

Effectiveness Indicators 2007/08

These activities are aimed at preventing new incursions, at eradicating/controlling existing infestations of specific plant and animal pests and at encouraging landholders to accept and to act on their legal responsibility for managing these pests on their land.

The methodology used to track this indicator is via the Inspection, Quarantine and Compliance System (IQC). The increase in percentages of infested properties in 2007/08 over the previous year indicates a return to normal levels of inspected properties in the absence of a major outbreak of Australian Plague Locust which results in increased inspections of uninfested properties. Properties that were infested with Australian Plague Locust during the 2006/07 outbreak were not counted as having new infestations of declared plant pests.

PI 1 Proportion of inspected properties with infestations of declared animal and plant pests

	04/05	05/06	06/07	07/08 Actual	07/08 Targets
Number of inspected properties	6,872	7,002	11,218	6,228	7,000
Number of inspected properties With infestations:					
Declared animals	1,065	535	913	892	1,000
Declared plants	3,441	2,679	2,722	2,181	3,000
Total	4,506	3,214	3,635	3,073	4,000
Proportion of inspected properties With infestations:					
Declared animals	15.5%	7.6%	8.1%	14.3%	14.3%
Declared plants	50.1%	38.3%	24.2%	35%	42.9%
Total	65.6%	45.9%	32.4%	49.3%	57.2%

The total property inspections undertaken in 2007/08 decreased dramatically compared to that of the previous year because there was no new Australian Plague Locust outbreak and associated surveillance. The proportion of properties that were infested increased in 2008 compared to 2007, as inspections were directed toward properties known or suspected to be infested with high priority pests such as starlings and skeleton weed.

Property inspections associated with strategies to eradicate and control high risk animal and plant pests such as starlings, rainbow lorikeets and skeleton weed continue to take precedence over inspections for well established pest species such as rabbits, foxes, blackberry and arum lily.



rangeland properties is much higher per property than starling control or eradication of European wasps from a single site in the metropolitan area.

PI 4 Cost per property for declared plant pest control undertaken on behalf of the Board

	03/04	04/05	05/06	06/07	07/08
Total cost of APB control work	\$1.851m	\$2.044m	\$1.942m	\$3.583	\$2.035m
Number of properties	746	694	857	1,784	914
Cost/property contact for control work undertaken on behalf of APB for Declared plant pests	\$2,434	\$2,945	\$2,266	\$2,008	\$2,226

The number of properties on which declared plant pest control work was undertaken decreased significantly during 2007/08, compared with 2006/07, due to the decreased activity undertaken to control Australian Plague Locust.

The cost of control per property has remained relatively constant.



APPENDICES

Appendix I – Freedom of Information (FOI)

Under the MOU, the Department is responsible for managing the Board's information requirements and coordinating any associated FOI applications. The Department also holds a record of the Board's correspondence and publications.

FOI applications may be forwarded to:

Sarah Agostino
FOI Coordinator
Department of Agriculture and Food
3 Baron-Hay Court
South Perth WA 6151
Telephone: (08) 9368 3387
Fax: (08) 9368 5935

Appendix 2 – Customer Service Charter

Under the terms of the MOU, the Board has adopted the Department's Customer Service Charter. Copies of the Charter are available from:

Department of Agriculture and Food WA,
3 Baron-Hay Court
South Perth WA 6151; or
any country office of the Department of Agriculture and Food WA.

Appendix 3 - Current List of Declared Animals

The following is an updated list of animals that are declared animals under the *Agriculture and Related Resources Protection Act 1976*. Parakeet, Slaty-headed, Beetle, Small hive and Borer, European House have been added by declarations made since the most recent publication of the list pursuant to section 37 of the Act in the Western Australian Government Gazette on 7 December 2007

The following applies to the list below:

- If a species does not appear in this list and is not an indigenous animal or a fish (Class Pisces), it and hybrids thereof are prohibited as declared animals in categories A1, A2, A3. The meanings of those categories are summarised below. Of these species some (marked *) have been assessed for entry into the state and have been rejected, so they remain prohibited. Prohibited species should be immediately reported.
- Unless otherwise specified, declarations cover the entire State of Western Australia.
- Bird species declared in categories A1, A2, A3 are not to be held in private, public or research facilities outside the statutory zoo except by government departments permitted for that purpose by the Board.
- If a species does not appear in this list and is an indigenous species, it is not regulated under the *Agriculture and Related Resources Protection Act 1976*, but may be regulated under other legislation.
- It is an offence to liberate or attempt to liberate declared animals or to fail to prevent them being at large.
- Conditions for introduction and keeping of declared animals are specified in the Declared Animals regulations or by Board decision and documentation is available showing requirements for each species.
- Of the species not subject to declaration that are exempt, some (marked #) occur in a commensal or feral state and advice may be obtained from the Agriculture Protection Board on control or management of problems which they may occasionally cause.

Declaration categories under the *Agriculture and Related Resources Protection Act 1976*

A1 Entry prohibited.

A2 Subject to eradication in the wild.

A3 Keeping prohibited.

A4 Entry subject to Department of Agriculture permits and/or conditions.

A5 Numbers will be reduced/controlled.

A6 Keeping subject to Department of Agriculture permits and/or conditions.

A7 A management programme for each species outlines the area and conditions under which controls may be applied. Programmes are for the whole of the State or as indicated for each species.

**MAMMALS, BIRDS, REPTILES AND AMPHIBIANS LISTED ALPHABETICALLY BY
COMMON NAME**

Common Name	Scientific Name	Categories and Other Notes
Alpaca	<i>Lama pacos</i>	Exempt from declaration.
Amazon, Blue-fronted; Blue-fronted Parrot	<i>Amazona aestiva</i>	A1,A2,A3*
Axolotl; Mexican Walking Fish	<i>Ambystoma mexicanum</i>	Exempt from declaration.
Beefalo cattle breed and all animals of 37.5% and less bison genetic material	<i>Bison bison x Bos taurus</i> (37.5% or less bison genetic material)	Exempt from declaration.
Bison, American (including hybrids thereof, but excluding Beefalo cattle and all animals of 37.5% and less bison genetic material)	<i>Bison bison</i>	A1,A2,A3
Blackbird; English Blackbird	<i>Turdus merula</i>	A1,A2,A3
Blackbuck	<i>Antilope cervicapra</i>	A4,A5,A6
Buffalo	<i>Bubalus bubalis</i>	A1,A2,A3 north of 20° parallel of latitude A5, A6 for remainder of state.
Bulbul, Red-vented	<i>Pycnonotus cafer</i>	A1,A2,A3
Bulbul, Red-whiskered	<i>Pycnonotus jocosus</i>	A1,A2,A3
Bullfinch; Eurasian Bullfinch	<i>Pyrrhula pyrrhula</i>	A1,A2,A3
Caique, Black-headed; Black-headed Parrot	<i>Pionites melanocephala</i>	A2,A4,A6
Caique, White-bellied; White-bellied Parrot	<i>Pionites leucogaster</i>	A2,A4,A6
Camel, Domestic	<i>Camelus dromedarius</i>	Exempt from declaration.
Camel, Feral	<i>Camelus dromedarius</i>	A4,A5,A6
Canary, Common	<i>Serinus canaria</i>	Exempt from declaration.
Canary, Yellow-fronted; Green Singing Finch	<i>Serinus mozambicus</i>	A2,A4,A6
Cardinal, Red-crested	<i>Paroaria coronata</i>	Exempt from declaration.
Cat	<i>Felis catus</i>	Exempt from declaration. (Feral Cat #)
Cattle	<i>Bos taurus</i>	Exempt from declaration.
Cattle, Banteng	<i>Bos javanicus</i>	A4,A5,A6
Chaffinch	<i>Fringilla coelebs</i>	A4,A5,A6
Cockatoo, Baudin's; Long-billed Black Cockatoo	<i>Calyptorhynchus baudinii</i>	A7 The municipal districts within the Perth Metropolitan Region and City of Albany and the Shires of Denmark, Plantagenet, Cranbrook, Gnowangerup, Tambellup, Broomehill, Kojonup, Woodanilling, West Arthur,

		Wagin, Katanning, Dumbleyung, Williams, Narrogin, Wickepin, Boddington, Wandering, Brookton, Pingelly, Cuballing, Corrigin, Serpentine Jarrahdale, Murray, Waroona, Harvey, Collie, Dardanup, Capel, Donnybrook/Balingup, Busselton, August/Margaret River, Nannup, Bridgetown/Greenbushes, Boyup Brook, Manjimup
Cockatoo, Sulphur-crested	<i>Cacatua galerita</i>	A4,A6 (whole of state) A2 (where at large, in areas south of the 20° parallel of latitude)
Condor, Andean	<i>Vultur gryphus</i>	A1,A2,A3 *
Conure, Golden-capped	<i>Aratinga auricapillus</i>	A2,A4,A6
Conure, Blue-throated	<i>Pyrrhura cruentata</i>	A1,A2,A3
Conure, Golden	<i>Guaruba guarouba</i>	A1,A2,A3
Conure, Pearly	<i>Pyrrhura lepida</i>	A1,A2,A3 *
Conure, Black-capped	<i>Pyrrhura rupicola</i>	A1,A2,A3
Conure, Green-cheeked	<i>Pyrrhura molinae</i>	A1, A2, A3*
Conure, Green-cheeked	<i>Pyrrhura molinae restricta</i>	A1,A2,A3 *
Conure, Jandaya	<i>Aratinga jandaya</i>	A2,A4,A6
Conure, Crimson-bellied	<i>Pyrrhura perlata</i>	A1,A2,A3 *
Conure, Nanday	<i>Nandayus nenday</i>	A1,A2,A3 *
Conure, Peach-fronted; Golden-crowned Conure	<i>Aratinga aurea</i>	A2,A4,A6
Conure, Sun	<i>Aratinga solstitialis</i>	A2,A4,A6
Cordon-bleu, Blue-breasted; Blue-breasted Waxbill	<i>Uraeginthus angolensis</i>	A2,A4,A6
Cordon-bleu, Blue-capped	<i>Uraeginthus cyanocephalus</i>	A2,A4,A6
Cordon-bleu, Red-cheeked	<i>Uraeginthus bengalus</i>	A2,A4,A6
Corella, Little (Kimberley subspecies)	<i>Cacatua sanguinea sanguinea</i>	A7 Shires of Wyndham-East Kimberley and Derby-West Kimberley.
Corella, Little (Pilbara-Murchison and northern wheatbelt subspecies)	<i>Cacatua sanguinea westralensis</i>	A7 Shires of Carnarvon, Greenough, Irwin, Mingenew, Perenjori and Three Springs.
Corella, Western (Lake Muir subspecies)	<i>Cacatua pastinator pastinator</i>	A7 Shires of Boyup Brook, Cranbrook and Manjimup.
Corella, Western (northern and	<i>Cacatua pastinator butleri</i>	A7

central wheatbelt subspecies)		Shires of Irwin, Mingenew, Morawa, Mullewa, Perenjori and Three Springs.
Crow, House; Indian or Ceylon Crow	<i>Corvus splendens</i>	A1,A2,A3
Deer, Fallow	<i>Dama dama</i>	A5,A6
Deer, Red; Wapiti; Elk	<i>Cervus elaphus</i>	A5,A6
Deer, species within the family Cervidae (including hybrids thereof) other than Red and Fallow Deer	<i>Cervidae</i> , (other than <i>Dama dama</i> and <i>Cervus elaphus</i>)	A1, A2, A3
Dingo	<i>Canis familiaris dingo</i>	A7
Dingo-dog hybrids	<i>Canis familiaris dingo</i> x <i>Canis familiaris familiaris</i>	A5
Dog, Domestic	<i>Canis familiaris familiaris</i>	A5 (when running wild in agricultural and pastoral areas)
Donkey, Domestic	<i>Equus asinus</i>	Exempt from declaration.
Donkey, Feral	<i>Equus asinus</i>	A4,A5,A6
Dove, Collared; Collared Turtle-dove; Indian Ring Dove; Barbary Dove (fawn or white variations)	<i>Streptopelia decaocto</i>	A1,A2,A6
Dove, Namaqua; Cape Dove	<i>Oena capensis</i>	A2,A4,A6
Dove, Ruddy Ground; Talpacoti	<i>Columbina talpacoti</i>	A2,A4,A6
Duck, Australian Wood; Maned Goose	<i>Chenonetta jubata</i>	A7 South-west and Eucla Divisions, excluding those municipal districts within the Perth Metropolitan Region.
Duck, domestic breeds only	<i>Anas spp.</i>	Exempt from declaration.
Duck, Mallard; Mallard	<i>Anas platyrhynchos</i>	Exempt from declaration.
Duck, Mandarin	<i>Aix galericulata</i>	A2,A4,A6
Duck, Muscovy	<i>Cairina moschata</i>	Exempt from declaration.
Emu	<i>Dromaius novaehollandiae</i>	A7
Euro, Biggada	<i>Macropus robustus erubescens</i>	A7
Ferret, Domestic	<i>Mustela putorius furo</i>	Exempt from declaration.
Finch, Bamboo Parrot; Tawny-breasted Parrot Finch	<i>Erythrura hyperythra</i>	A2,A4,A6
Finch, House	<i>Carpodacus mexicanus</i>	A1,A2,A3
Finch, Pin-tailed Parrot	<i>Erythrura prasina</i>	A1,A2,A3*
Finch, Red-billed Fire	<i>Lagonosticta senegala</i>	Exempt from declaration.
Finch, Red-headed Parrot	<i>Erythrura cyaneovirens</i>	A2,A4,A6
Finch, Red-throated Parrot; Red-faced Parrot Finch	<i>Erythrura psittacea</i>	Exempt from declaration.
Finch, Tri-coloured Parrot; Three-coloured Parrot Finch; Tanimbar Parrot Finch	<i>Erythrura tricolor</i>	A2,A4,A6

Fody, Madagascan Red; Madagascar Weaver	<i>Foudia madagascariensis</i>	A2,A4,A6
Fox; Red Fox	<i>Vulpes vulpes</i>	A5
Galah	<i>Cacatua roseicapilla</i>	A7
Goat, Domestic	<i>Capra hircus</i>	Exempt from declaration.
Goat, Feral	<i>Capra hircus</i>	A4,A5,A6
Goldfinch; European Goldfinch	<i>Carduelis carduelis</i>	Exempt from declaration.
Goose, Canada	<i>Branta canadensis</i>	A1,A2,A3*
Goose, Egyptian	<i>Alopochen aegyptiacus</i>	A2,A4,A6
Goose, all domestic strains of goose	<i>Anser anser</i>	Exempt from declaration.
Goose, Swan; Chinese Goose	<i>Anser cygnoides</i>	Exempt from declaration
Grassquit, Blue-black; Jacarini Finch	<i>Volatinia jacarina</i>	Exempt from declaration.
Grassquit, Cuban; Cuban Finch	<i>Tiaris canora</i>	Exempt from declaration.
Greenfinch Himalayan; Black-headed Greenfinch; Yellow-breasted Greenfinch	<i>Carduelis spinoides</i>	A1,A2,A3*
Greenfinch, Oriental	<i>Carduelis sinica</i>	A2,A4,A6
Greenfinch; European Greenfinch	<i>Carduelis chloris</i>	A1,A2,A6
Grenadier, Purple; Purple Grenadier Waxbill	<i>Uraeginthus ianthinogaster</i>	A1,A2,A3*
Grenadier Weaver; Red Bishop; Southern Red-bishop	<i>Euplectes orix</i>	A4,A5,A6
Guinea Pig, Domestic	<i>Cavia porcellus</i>	Exempt from declaration.
Guineafowl, Helmeted	<i>Numida meleagris</i>	Exempt from declaration.
Horse	<i>Equus caballus</i>	A5 (when running wild in agricultural and pastoral areas)
Kangaroo, Red	<i>Macropus rufus</i>	A7
Kangaroo, Western Grey	<i>Macropus fuliginosus</i>	A7
Llama	<i>Lama glama</i>	Exempt from declaration.
Lorikeet, Rainbow	<i>Trichoglossus haematodus</i>	A5 in the Perth Metropolitan area A2 (where at large, in areas south of the 20° parallel of latitude, excluding the Perth Metropolitan area).
Lory, Black-capped	<i>Lorius lory</i>	A1,A2,A3 *
Lory, Chattering	<i>Lorius garrulus</i>	A1,A2,A3*
Lory, Dusky	<i>Pseudeos fuscata</i>	A2,A4,A6
Lory, Red	<i>Eos bornea</i>	A1,A2,A3*
Lory, Yellow-bibbed	<i>Lorius chlorocercus</i>	A1,A2,A3 *
Lovebird species hybrids	<i>Agapornis spp.</i>	A2,A4,A6
Lovebird, Black-cheeked	<i>Agapornis nigrigenis</i>	A2,A4,A6
Lovebird, Fischer's	<i>Agapornis fischeri</i>	A2,A4,A6
Lovebird, Masked	<i>Agapornis personatus</i>	A2,A4,A6
Lovebird, Nyasa	<i>Agapornis lilianae</i>	A2,A4,A6

Lovebird, Peach-faced	<i>Agapornis roseicollis</i>	A2,A4,A6
Macaw, Blue and Yellow; Blue and Gold Macaw	<i>Ara ararauna</i>	A2,A4,A6
Macaw, Green-winged	<i>Ara chloropterus</i>	A2,A4,A6
Macaw, Red-fronted	<i>Ara rubrogenys</i>	A2,A4,A6
Macaw, Red-shouldered; Hahn's Macaw	<i>Diopsittaca nobilis</i>	A1,A2,A3*
Macaw, Hyacinth	<i>Anodorhynchus hyacinthinus</i>	A2,A4,A6
Macaw, Scarlet	<i>Ara macao</i>	A2,A4,A6
Mannikin, Chestnut; Tri-coloured Mannikin; Black-headed Munia; Black-headed Nun	<i>Lonchura malacca</i>	A1,A2,A6
Mannikin, Nutmeg; Spice Finch; Spotted Munia; Scaly-breasted Munia	<i>Lonchura punctulata</i>	A1,A2,A6
Mannikin, Rufous-backed; Rufous-backed Munia; Red-backed Mannikin; Chestnut Munia; Brown-backed Munia	<i>Lonchura bicolor nigriceps</i>	A1,A2,A3*
Mesia, Silver-eared	<i>Leiothrix argenteauris</i>	A1,A2,A3*
Mouse, House	<i>Mus musculus</i>	Exempt from declaration. #
Munia, White-headed	<i>Lonchura maja</i>	A2,A4,A6
Munia, White-rumped; Bengalese Mannikin	<i>Lonchura striata</i>	A2,A4,A6
Myna, Common; Indian Myna(h); Indian House Myna(h)	<i>Acridotheres tristis</i>	A1,A2,A3
Northern Red Bishop, Orange Bishop	<i>Euplectes franciscanus</i>	A4,A5,A6
Ostrich	<i>Struthio camelus</i>	A5 (when running wild in agricultural and pastoral areas)
Parakeet, Alexandrine	<i>Psittacula eupatria</i>	A2,A4,A6
Parakeet, Blossom-headed	<i>Psittacula roseata</i>	A1,A2,A3
Parakeet, Derbyan	<i>Psittacula derbiana</i>	A2,A4,A6
Parakeet, Malabar	<i>Psittacula columboides</i>	A2,A4,A6
Parakeet, Moustached	<i>Psittacula alexandri</i>	A2,A4,A6
Parakeet, Plum-headed	<i>Psittacula cyanocephala</i>	A2,A4,A6
Parakeet, Red-fronted; Red-fronted Kakariki	<i>Cyanoramphus novaezelandiae</i>	A2,A4,A6
Parakeet, Rose-ringed; Indian or African Ringneck Parrot or Parakeet	<i>Psittacula krameri</i>	A2,A4,A6
Parakeet, Slaty-headed	<i>Psittacula himalayana</i>	A1,A2,A3*
Parakeet, Yellow-fronted; Yellow-fronted Kakariki	<i>Cyanoramphus auriceps</i>	A2,A4,A6
Parrot, Cuban	<i>Amazona leucocephala</i>	A1,A2,A3*
Parrot, Grey; African Grey Parrot	<i>Psittacus erithacus</i>	A1,A2,A3*
Parrot, Meyer's; Brown Parrot	<i>Poicephalus meyeri</i>	A2,A4,A6

Parrot, Orange-winged	<i>Amazona amazonica</i>	AI,A2,A3*
Parrot, Red-bellied	<i>Poicephalus rufiventris</i>	AI,A2,A3*
Parrot, Red-capped; WA King Parrot	<i>Purpureicephalus spurius</i>	A7 Municipal districts of the Shires of Bridgetown-Greenbushes, Capel, Chittering, Donnybrook-Balingup, Harvey, Kalamunda, Manjimup, Mundaring, Murray, Plantagenet, Serpentine-Jarrahdale, Swan, and the City of Armadale.
Parrot, Red-fronted; Jardine's Parrot	<i>Poicephalus guielmi</i>	AI,A2,A3*
Parrot, Senegal	<i>Poicephalus senegalus</i>	AI,A2,A3*
Parrot, Western Grey; African Grey Parrot	<i>Psittacus erithacus timneh</i>	AI,A2,A3*
Partridge, Chukar; Chukor or Chukka Partridge	<i>Alectoris chukar</i>	A2,A4,A6
Peafowl, Common	<i>Pavo cristatus</i>	Exempt from declaration.
Peafowl, Green	<i>Pavo muticus</i>	Exempt from declaration.
Pheasant, Golden	<i>Chrysolophus pictus</i>	Exempt from declaration.
Pheasant, Himalayan Monal; Impeyan Pheasant	<i>Lophophorus impejanus</i>	Exempt from declaration.
Pheasant, Kalij	<i>Lophura leucomelanos</i>	Exempt from declaration.
Pheasant, Lady Amherst's	<i>Chrysolophus amherstiae</i>	Exempt from declaration.
Pheasant, Reeves's	<i>Syrnaticus reevesii</i>	Exempt from declaration.
Pheasant, Ring-necked	<i>Phasianus colchicus</i>	A2,A4,A6
Pheasant, Siamese Fireback	<i>Lophura diardi</i>	Exempt from declaration.
Pheasant, Silver	<i>Lophura nycthemera</i>	A2,A4,A6
Pheasant, Swinhoe's	<i>Lophura swinhoii</i>	Exempt from declaration.
Pig, Domestic	<i>Sus scrofa</i>	Exempt from declaration.
Pig, Feral	<i>Sus scrofa</i>	A4,A5,A6
Pigeon, Domestic; Rock Pigeon	<i>Columba livia</i>	Exempt from declaration. #
Pigeon, Luzon Bleeding Heart	<i>Gallucolumba luzonica</i>	Exempt from declaration.
Pigeon, White-breasted Ground; Jobi Island Dove	<i>Gallucolumba jobiensis</i>	Exempt from declaration.
Pytilia, Crimson-winged; Aurora Finch	<i>Pytilia phoenicoptera</i>	Exempt from declaration.
Pytilia, Green-winged; Melba Finch	<i>Pytilia melba</i>	Exempt from declaration.
Pytilia, Yellow-winged	<i>Pytilia hypogrammica</i>	A2, A4, A6
Quail, Bobwhite; Northern Bobwhite	<i>Colinus virginianus</i>	AI,A2,A3*
Quail, California	<i>Callipepla californica</i>	AI,A2,A3
Quail, Japanese	<i>Coturnix japonica</i>	A2,A4,A6
Quelea, Red-billed; Red-billed Weaver; Dioch	<i>Quelea quelea</i>	AI,A2,A3
Rabbit, domestic and commercial breeds, NOT EUROPEAN WILD RABBIT	<i>Oryctolagus cuniculus</i>	A5 (running wild)

Rabbit, European Wild	<i>Oryctolagus cuniculus</i>	AI,A3,A5
Rat, Black	<i>Rattus rattus</i>	Exempt from declaration. #
Rat, Brown	<i>Rattus norvegicus</i>	Exempt from declaration. #
Rat, Long-haired	<i>Rattus villosissimus</i>	A7 Municipal district of the Shire of Wyndham-East Kimberley.
Raven, Australian	<i>Corvus coronoides</i>	A7 Eucla and South-west Divisions, excluding those municipal districts within the Perth Metropolitan Region.
Red Junglefowl and all domestic derivatives of the wild form <i>G. gallus</i>	<i>Gallus gallus</i>	Exempt from declaration.
Redpoll	<i>Carduelis flammea</i>	A4,A5,A6
Rhea, Greater	<i>Rhea americana</i>	A4,A5,A6
Ringneck, Australian; Port Lincoln Ringneck; Twenty-eight Parrot	<i>Barnardius zonarius</i>	A7 South-west Division, excluding those municipal districts within the Perth Metropolitan Region and the Cities of Albany, Bunbury and Mandurah.
Robin, Pekin; Red-billed Leiothrix	<i>Leiothrix lutea</i>	AI, A2, A3*
Scaup, New Zealand	<i>Aythya novaeseelandiae</i>	A2,A4,A6
Seed eater, White-rumped; Grey Singing Finch	<i>Serinus leucopygius</i>	AI, A2, A3*
Seed eater Yellow-rumped; Angolan Singing Finch	<i>Serinus atrogularis</i>	AI,A2,A3*
Sheep	<i>Ovis aries</i>	Exempt from declaration.
Shelduck, Australian; Mountain Duck	<i>Tadorna tadornoides</i>	A7 South-west and Eucla Divisions, excluding those municipal districts within the Perth Metropolitan Region.
Shelduck, Paradise	<i>Tadorna variegata</i>	A2,A4,A6
Shelduck, Ruddy	<i>Tadorna ferruginea</i>	AI,A2,A3 *
Silverbill, African	<i>Lonchura cantans</i>	AI,A2,A3
Silverbill, Indian; White-throated Munia; Common Silverbill	<i>Lonchura malabarica</i>	A2,A4,A6
Silvereye	<i>Zosterops lateralis</i>	A7 South-west Division.
Siskin, European; Spruce Siskin	<i>Carduelis spinus</i>	A2,A4,A6
Siskin, Hooded; Yellow Siskin; Black-hooded Yellow Siskin	<i>Carduelis magellanica</i>	A2, A4, A6
Siskin, Red; Venezuelan Siskin; Black-hooded Red Siskin	<i>Carduelis cucullata</i>	A2,A4,A6
Sparrow, House	<i>Passer domesticus</i>	AI,A2,A3

Sparrow, Java; Paddy Finch	<i>Padda oryzivora</i>	A4,A5,A6 (In areas south of 26° parallel of latitude) A1,A2,A3 (rest of state)
Sparrow, Paradise; Aberdeen Finch; Red-headed Amadina	<i>Amadina erythrocephala</i>	A2,A4,A6
Sparrow, Tree; Eurasian Tree Sparrow	<i>Passer montanus</i>	A1,A2,A3
Squirrel, Indian Palm	<i>Funambulus pennanti</i>	A1,A3,A5
Starling, Common	<i>Sturnus vulgaris</i>	A1,A2,A3
Strawberry Finch, Green; Green, Munia; Green Avadavat	<i>Amandava formosa</i>	A2,A4,A6
Strawberry Finch, Red; Red Munia; Red or Indian Avadavat; Tiger Finch; Red Waxbill	<i>Amandava amandava</i>	A2,A4,A6
Swan, Mute; White Swan	<i>Cygnus olor</i>	Exempt from declaration.
Thrush, Song; English Song Thrush	<i>Turdus philomelos</i>	A1,A2,A3
Toad, African	<i>Xenopus laevis</i>	A1,A2,A3
Toad, Cane; Giant Toad	<i>Bufo marinus</i>	A1,A2,A3
Turkey, Common, includes all domestic derivatives of wild ancestor <i>M. gallopavo</i>	<i>Meleagris gallopavo</i>	Exempt from declaration.
Turtle-Dove, Laughing	<i>Streptopelia senegalensis</i>	Exempt from declaration. #
Turtle-Dove, Spotted	<i>Streptopelia chinensis</i>	Exempt from declaration. #
Twinspot, Dybowski's	<i>Euschistospiza dybowskii</i>	A2,A4,A6
Twinspot, Peters's	<i>Hypargos niveoguttatus</i>	A2,A4,A6
Wallaby, Agile	<i>Macropus agilis</i>	A7 Municipal districts of the Shires of Wyndham-East Kimberley, West Kimberley, Halls Creek and Broome.
Waxbill, Black-rumped; Red-eared Waxbill	<i>Estrilda troglodytes</i>	A2,A4,A6
Waxbill, Common; St Helena Waxbill	<i>Estrilda astrild</i>	A2,A4,A6
Waxbill, Orange-cheeked	<i>Estrilda melpoda</i>	A2,A4,A6
Waxbill, Violet-eared; Common Grenadier	<i>Uraeginthus granatina</i>	A1,A2,A3*
Waxbill, Zebra; Golden-breasted Waxbill; Orange-breasted Waxbill	<i>Amandava subflava</i>	Exempt from declaration.
Weaver, Cut-throat; Cut-throat Finch; Ribbon Finch	<i>Amadina fasciata</i>	A2,A4,A6
Yellow-crowned Amazon; Yellow-headed Amazon; Yellow-fronted; Yellow-naped Amazon	<i>Amazona ochrocephala</i>	A1,A2,A3*
Yellowhammer	<i>Emberiza citrinella</i>	A4,A5,A6

INSECTS AND MOLLUSCS LISTED ALPHABETICALLY BY COMMON NAME

Common Name	Scientific Name	Categories and Other Notes
Ant, Argentine	<i>Iridomyrmex humilis</i>	AI,A5
Beetle, Confused Flour	<i>Tribolium confusum</i>	AI,A5
Beetle, Flat Grain	<i>Cryptolestes spp</i>	AI,A5
Beetle, Khapra	<i>Trogoderma granarium</i>	AI,A5
Beetle, Rust-red Flour	<i>Tribolium castaneum</i>	AI,A5
Beetle, Sawtooth Grain	<i>Oryzaephilus surinamensis</i>	AI,A5
Beetle, Small hive	<i>Aethina tumida</i>	AI,A2,A3 For all areas of the State outside the municipal districts of Broome; Derby-West Kimberley; Wyndham-East Kimberley and Halls Creek A5 For the municipal districts of Broome; Derby-West Kimberley; Wyndham-East Kimberley and Halls Creek
Beetle, Warehouse	<i>Trogoderma variabile</i>	AI,A5
Borer Boxwood	<i>Heterobostrychus brunneus</i> Murr	AI, A2, A3
Borer, European House	<i>Hylotrupes bajulus</i>	A2,A3 for those areas of the State constituted to be Restricted Movement Zones under the <i>ARRPA EHB Regulations</i> AI,A3 for remainder of State
Borer, Lesser Grain	<i>Rhyzopertha dominica</i>	AI,A5
Drywood termite	<i>Cryptotermes domesticus</i> (Haviland)	AI, A2, A3
Fly, Mediterranean Fruit	<i>Ceratitus capitata</i>	AI,A2
Fly, Queensland Fruit	<i>Bactrocera tryoni</i>	AI,A2
Grasshopper, Small Plague	<i>Austroicetes cruciata</i>	A5
Lesser auger beetle	<i>Heterobostrychus aequalis</i> (Waterhouse)	AI, A2, A3
Locust, Australian Plague	<i>Chortoicetes terminifera</i>	A5
Moth, Angoumois Grain	<i>Sitotroga cerealella</i>	AI,A5
Moth, Codling	<i>Cydia pomonella</i>	AI,A2
Moth, Indian Meal	<i>Plodia interpunctella</i>	AI,A5
Moth, Warehouse	<i>Ephestia spp</i>	AI,A5
Snail, Green	<i>Helix aperta</i>	AI,A2,A3
Snail, Liver-fluke; Lymnaea Snail	<i>Lymnaea viridis</i>	AI,A3,A5
Snail, Liver-fluke; Lymnaea Snail	<i>Lymnaea auricularia</i>	AI,A3,A5
Snail, Liver-fluke; Lymnaea Snail	<i>Lymnaea peregra</i>	AI,A3,A5

Snail, Liver-fluke; Lymnaea Snail	<i>Austropeplea tomentosa</i>	AI,A3,A5
Snail, Liver-fluke; Lymnaea Snail; American Ribbed Fluke Snail	<i>Pseudosuccinia columella</i>	AI,A3,A5
Termite, Giant	<i>Mastotermes darwiniensis</i>	AI,A5
Trogoderma	<i>Trogoderma spp.</i>	AI,A5
Wasp, European	<i>Vespula germanica</i>	AI,A2,A3
Weevil, Granary	<i>Sitophilus granarius</i>	AI,A5
Weevil, Rice	<i>Sitophilus oryzae</i>	AI,A5
West Indian drywood termite	<i>Cryptotermes brevis</i>	AI, A2, A3
Western drywood termite	<i>Incisitermes minor</i> (Hagen)	AI, A2, A3

**MAMMALS, BIRDS, REPTILES AND AMPHIBIANS LISTED ALPHABETICALLY BY
SCIENTIFIC NAME**

Scientific Name	Common Name	Categories and Other Notes
<i>Acridotheres tristis</i>	Myna, Common; Indian Myna(h); Indian House Myna(h)	AI,A2,A3
<i>Agapornis fischeri</i>	Lovebird, Fischer's	A2,A4,A6
<i>Agapornis lilianae</i>	Lovebird, Nyasa	A2,A4,A6
<i>Agapornis nigrigenis</i>	Lovebird, Black-cheeked	A2,A4,A6
<i>Agapornis personatus</i>	Lovebird, Masked	A2,A4,A6
<i>Agapornis roseicollis</i>	Lovebird, Peach-faced	A2,A4,A6
<i>Agapornis spp.</i>	Lovebird species hybrids	A2,A4,A6
<i>Aix galericulata</i>	Duck, Mandarin	A2,A4,A6
<i>Alectoris chukar</i>	Partridge, Chukar; Chukor or Chukka Partridge	A2,A4,A6
<i>Alopochen aegyptiacus</i>	Goose, Egyptian	A2,A4,A6
<i>Ambystoma mexicanum</i>	Axolotl; Mexican Walking Fish	Exempt from declaration
<i>Amadina erythrocephala</i>	Sparrow, Paradise; Aberdeen Finch; Red-headed Amadina	A2,A4,A6
<i>Amadina fasciata</i>	Weaver, Cut-throat; Cut-throat Finch; Ribbon Finch	A2,A4,A6
<i>Amandava amandava</i>	Strawberry Finch, Red; Red Munia; Red or Indian Avadavat; Tiger Finch; Red Waxbill	A2,A4,A6
<i>Amandava formosa</i>	Strawberry Finch, Green; Green, Munia; Green Avadavat	A2,A4,A6
<i>Amandava subflava</i>	Waxbill, Zebra; Golden-breasted Waxbill; Orange-breasted Waxbill	Exempt from declaration.

<i>Amazona aestiva</i>	Amazon, Blue-fronted; Blue-fronted Parrot	AI,A2,A3*
<i>Amazona amazonica</i>	Parrot, Orange-winged	AI,A2,A3*
<i>Amazona leucocephala</i>	Parrot Cuban	AI,A2,A3*
<i>Amazona ochrocephala</i>	Yellow-crowned Amazon, Yellow-headed Amazon; Yellow-fronted Amazon Yellow-naped Amazon	AI,A2,A3*
<i>Ambystoma mexicanum</i>	Axolotl; Mexican Walking Fish	Exempt from declaration.
<i>Anas platyrhynchos</i>	Duck, Mallard; Mallard	Exempt from declaration.
<i>Anas spp.</i>	Duck, domestic breeds only	Exempt from declaration.
<i>Anodorhynchus hyacinthinus</i>	Macaw, Hyacinth	A2,A4,A6
<i>Anser anser</i>	All domestic strains of goose	Exempt from declaration.
<i>Anser cygnoides</i>	Goose, Swan; Chinese Goose	Exempt from declaration
<i>Antilope cervicapra</i>	Blackbuck	A4,A5,A6
<i>Ara ararauna</i>	Macaw, Blue and Yellow; Blue and Gold Macaw	A2,A4,A6
<i>Ara chloropterus</i>	Macaw, Green-winged	A2,A4,A6
<i>Ara macao</i>	Macaw, Scarlet	A2,A4,A6
<i>Ara rubrogenys</i>	Macaw, Red-fronted	A2,A4,A6
<i>Aratinga aurea</i>	Conure, Peach-fronted; Golden-crowned Conure	A2,A4,A6
<i>Aratinga auricapillus</i>	Conure, Golden-capped	A2,A4,A6
<i>Guaruba guarouba</i>	Conure, Golden	AI,A2,A3 *
<i>Aratinga jandaya</i>	Conure, Jandaya	A2,A4,A6
<i>Aratinga solstitialis</i>	Conure, Sun	A2,A4,A6
<i>Aythya novaeseelandiae</i>	Scaup, New Zealand	A2,A4,A6
<i>Barnardius zonarius</i>	Ringneck, Australian; Port Lincoln Ringneck; Twenty- eight Parrot	A7 South-west Division, excluding those municipal districts within the Perth Metropolitan Region and the Cities of Albany, Bunbury and Mandurah.
<i>Bison bison</i>	Bison, American (including hybrids thereof, but excluding Beefalo cattle and all animals of 37.5% and less bison genetic material)	AI,A2,A3
<i>Bison bison x Bos taurus (37.5% or less bison genetic material)</i>	Beefalo cattle breed and all animals of 37.5% and less bison genetic material	Exempt from declaration.
<i>Bos javanicus</i>	Cattle, Banteng	A4,A5,A6
<i>Bos taurus</i>	Cattle	Exempt from declaration.
<i>Branta canadensis</i>	Goose, Canada	AI,A2,A3*

<i>Bubalus bubalis</i>	Buffalo	A1,A2,A3 north of 20° parallel of latitude A5, A6 for remainder of state.
<i>Bufo marinus</i>	Toad, Cane; Giant Toad	A1,A2,A3
<i>Cacatua galerita</i>	Cockatoo, Sulphur-crested	A4,A6 (whole of state) A2 (where at large, in areas south of the 20° parallel of latitude)
<i>Cacatua pastinator butleri</i>	Corella, Western (northern and central wheatbelt subspecies)	A7 Shires of Irwin, Mingenew, Morawa, Mullewa, Perenjori and Three Springs.
<i>Cacatua pastinator pastinator</i>	Corella, Western (Lake Muir subspecies)	A7 Shires of Boyup Brook, Cranbrook and Manjimup.
<i>Cacatua roseicapilla</i>	Galah	A7
<i>Cacatua sanguinea sanguinea</i>	Corella, Little (Kimberley subspecies)	A7 Shires of Wyndham-East Kimberley and Derby-West Kimberley.
<i>Cacatua sanguinea westralensis</i>	Corella, Little (Pilbara- Murchison and northern wheatbelt subspecies)	A7 Shires of Carnarvon, Greenough, Irwin, Mingenew, Perenjori and Three Springs.
<i>Cairina moschata</i>	Duck, Muscovy	Exempt from declaration.

<i>Callipepla californica</i>	Quail, California	AI,A2,A3
<i>Calyptorhynchus baudinii</i>	Cockatoo, Baudin's; Long-billed Black Cockatoo	A7 The municipal districts within the Perth Metropolitan Region and City of Albany and the Shires of Denmark, Plantagenet, Cranbrook, Gnowangerup, Tambellup, Broomehill, Kojonup, Woodanilling, West Arthur, Wagin, Katanning, Dumbleyung, Williams, Narrogin, Wickepin, Boddington, Wandering, Brookton, Pingelly, Cuballing, Corrigin, Serpentine Jarrahdale, Murray, Waroona, Harvey, Collie, Dardanup, Capel, Donnybrook/Balingup, Busselton, August/Margaret River, Nannup, Bridgetown/Greenbushes, Boyup Brook, Manjimup
<i>Camelus dromedarius</i>	Camel, Domestic	Exempt from declaration.
<i>Camelus dromedarius</i>	Camel, Feral	A4,A5,A6
<i>Canis familiaris dingo</i>	Dingo	A7
<i>Canis familiaris dingo</i> x <i>Canis familiaris familiaris</i>	Dingo-dog hybrids	A5
<i>Canis familiaris familiaris</i>	Dog, Domestic	A5 (when running wild in agricultural and pastoral areas)
<i>Capra hircus</i>	Goat, Domestic	Exempt from declaration.
<i>Capra hircus</i>	Goat, Feral	A4,A5,A6
<i>Carduelis carduelis</i>	Goldfinch; European Goldfinch	Exempt from declaration.
<i>Carduelis chloris</i>	Greenfinch; European Greenfinch	A1,A2,A6
<i>Carduelis cucullata</i>	Siskin, Red; Venezuelan Siskin; Black-hooded Red Siskin	A2,A4,A6
<i>Carduelis flammea</i>	Redpoll	A4,A5,A6
<i>Carduelis magellanica</i>	Siskin, Hooded; Yellow Siskin; Black-hooded Yellow Siskin	A2,A4,A6
<i>Carduelis spinoides</i>	Greenfinch Himalayan; Black-headed Greenfinch, Yellow-breasted Greenfinch	AI,A2,A3*
<i>Carduelis spinus</i>	Siskin, European; Spruce Siskin	A2,A4,A6
<i>Carduelis sinica</i>	Greenfinch, Oriental	A2,A4,A6

<i>Carpodacus mexicanus</i>	Finch, House	AI,A2,A3
<i>Cavia porcellus</i>	Guinea Pig, Domestic	Exempt from declaration.
<i>Cervidae</i> (other than <i>Dama dama</i> and <i>Cervus elaphus</i>)	Deer, species within the family Cervidae (including hybrids thereof) other than Red and Fallow Deer	AI, A2, A3
<i>Cervus elaphus</i>	Deer, Red; Wapiti; Elk	A5,A6
<i>Chenonetta jubata</i>	Duck, Australian Wood; Maned Goose	A7 South-west and Eucla Divisions, excluding those municipal districts within the Perth Metropolitan Region.
<i>Chrysolophus amherstiae</i>	Pheasant, Lady Amherst's	Exempt from declaration.
<i>Chrysolophus pictus</i>	Pheasant, Golden	Exempt from declaration.
<i>Colinus virginianus</i>	Quail, Bobwhite; Northern Bobwhite	AI,A2,A3*
<i>Columba livia</i>	Pigeon, Domestic; Rock Pigeon	Exempt from declaration. #
<i>Columbina talpacoti</i>	Dove, Ruddy Ground; Talpacoti	A2,A4,A6
<i>Corvus coronoides</i>	Raven, Australian	A7 Eucla and South-west Divisions, excluding those municipal districts within the Perth Metropolitan Region.
<i>Corvus splendens</i>	Crow, House; Indian or Ceylon Crow	AI,A2,A3
<i>Coturnix japonica</i>	Quail, Japanese	A2,A4,A6
<i>Cyanoramphus auriceps</i>	Parakeet, Yellow-fronted; Yellow-fronted Kakariki	A2,A4,A6
<i>Cyanoramphus novaezelandiae</i>	Parakeet, Red-fronted; Red-fronted Kakariki	A2,A4,A6
<i>Cygnus olor</i>	Swan, Mute; White Swan	Exempt from declaration.
<i>Dama dama</i>	Deer, Fallow	A5,A6
<i>Diopsittaca nobilis</i>	Macaw, Red-shouldered; Hahn's Macaw	AI,A2,A3*
<i>Dromaius novaehollandiae</i>	Emu	A7
<i>Emberiza citrinella</i>	Yellowhammer	A4,A5,A6
<i>Eos bornea</i>	Lory, Red	AI,A2,A3*
<i>Equus asinus</i>	Donkey, Domestic	Exempt from declaration.
<i>Equus asinus</i>	Donkey, Feral	A4,A5,A6
<i>Equus caballus</i>	Horse	A5 (when running wild in agricultural and pastoral areas)
<i>Erythrura cyaneovirens</i>	Finch, Red-headed Parrot	A2,A4,A6
<i>Erythrura hyperythra</i>	Finch, Bamboo Parrot;	A2,A4,A6

	Tawny-breasted Parrot Finch	
<i>Erythrura prasina</i>	Finch, Pin-tailed Parrot	AI,A2,A3*
<i>Erythrura psittacea</i>	Finch, Red-throated Parrot; Red-faced Parrot Finch	Exempt from declaration.
<i>Erythrura tricolor</i>	Finch, Tri-coloured Parrot; Three-coloured Parrot Finch; Tanimbar Parrot Finch	A2,A4,A6
<i>Estrilda astrild</i>	Waxbill, Common; St Helena Waxbill	A2,A4,A6
<i>Estrilda melpoda</i>	Waxbill, Orange-checked	A2,A4,A6
<i>Estrilda troglodytes</i>	Waxbill, Black-rumped; Red-eared Waxbill	A2,A4,A6
<i>Euplectes orix</i>	Grenadier Weaver; Red Bishop; Southern Red-bishop	A4,A5,A6
<i>Euplectes franciscanus</i>	Northern Red Bishop, Orange Bishop	A4,A5,A6
<i>Euschistospiza dybowskii</i>	Twinspot, Dybowski's	A2,A4,A6
<i>Felis catus</i>	Cat	Exempt from declaration. (Feral Cat #)
<i>Foudia madagascariensis</i>	Fody, Madagascan Red; Madagascar Weaver	A2,A4,A6
<i>Fringilla coelebs</i>	Chaffinch	A4,A5,A6
<i>Funambulus pennanti</i>	Squirrel, Indian Palm	AI,A3,A5
<i>Gallicolumba jobiensis</i>	Pigeon, White-breasted Ground; Jobi Island Dove	Exempt from declaration.
<i>Gallicolumba luzonica</i>	Pigeon, Luzon Bleeding Heart	Exempt from declaration.
<i>Gallus gallus</i>	Red Junglefowl and all domestic derivatives of the wild form <i>G. gallus</i>	Exempt from declaration.
<i>Hypargos niveoguttatus</i>	Twinspot, Peters's	A2,A4,A6
<i>Lagonosticta senegala</i>	Finch, Red-billed Fire	Exempt from declaration.
<i>Lama glama</i>	Llama	Exempt from declaration.
<i>Lama pacos</i>	Alpaca	Exempt from declaration.
<i>Leiothrix argenteauris</i>	Mesia, Silver-eared	AI,A2,A3*
<i>Leiothrix lutea</i>	Robin, Pekin; Red-billed Leiothrix	AI, A2, A3*
<i>Lonchura bicolor nigriceps</i>	Mannikin, Rufous-backed; Rufous-backed Munia; Red-backed Mannikin; Chestnut Munia; Brown-backed Munia	AI,A2,A3*
<i>Lonchura cantans</i>	Silverbill, African	AI,A2,A3*

<i>Lonchura maja</i>	Munia, White-headed	A2,A4,A6
<i>Lonchura malabarica</i>	Silverbill, Indian; White-throated Munia; Common Silverbill	A2,A4,A6
<i>Lonchura malacca</i>	Mannikin, Chestnut; Tricoloured Mannikin; Black-headed Munia; Black-headed Nun	A1,A2,A6
<i>Lonchura punctulata</i>	Mannikin, Nutmeg; Spice Finch; Spotted Munia; Scaly-breasted Munia	A1,A2,A6
<i>Lonchura striata</i>	Munia, White-rumped; Bengalese Mannikin	A2,A4,A6
<i>Lophophorus impejanus</i>	Pheasant, Himalayan Monal; Impeyan Pheasant	Exempt from declaration.
<i>Lophura diardi</i>	Pheasant, Siamese Fireback	Exempt from declaration.
<i>Lophura leucomelanos</i>	Pheasant, Kalij	Exempt from declaration.
<i>Lophura nycthemera</i>	Pheasant, Silver	A2,A4,A6
<i>Lophura swinhoii</i>	Pheasant, Swinhoe's	Exempt from declaration.
<i>Lorius chlorocercus</i>	Lory, Yellow-bibbed	A1,A2,A3 *
<i>Lorius garrulus</i>	Lory, Chattering	A1,A2,A3*
<i>Lorius lory</i>	Lory, Black-capped	A1,A2,A3 *
<i>Macropus agilis</i>	Wallaby, Agile	A7 Municipal districts of the Shires of Wyndham-East Kimberley, West Kimberley, Halls Creek and Broome.
<i>Macropus fuliginosus</i>	Kangaroo, Western Grey	A7
<i>Macropus robustus erubescens</i>	Euro, Biggada	A7
<i>Macropus rufus</i>	Kangaroo, Red	A7
<i>Meleagris gallopavo</i>	Turkey, Common, includes all domestic derivatives of wild ancestor <i>M. gallopavo</i>	Exempt from declaration.
<i>Mus musculus</i>	Mouse, House	Exempt from declaration. #
<i>Mustela putorius furo</i>	Ferret, Domestic	Exempt from declaration.
<i>Nandayus nenday</i>	Conure, Nanday	A1,A2,A3 *
<i>Numida meleagris</i>	Guineafowl, Helmeted	Exempt from declaration.
<i>Oena capensis</i>	Dove, Namaqua; Cape Dove	A2,A4,A6
<i>Oryctolagus cuniculus</i>	Rabbit, domestic and commercial breeds, NOT EUROPEAN WILD RABBIT	A5 (running wild)
<i>Oryctolagus cuniculus</i>	Rabbit, European Wild	A1,A3,A5
<i>Ovis aries</i>	Sheep	Exempt from declaration.
<i>Padra oryzivora</i>	Sparrow, Java; Paddy Finch	A4,A5,A6 (In areas south of 26° parallel of

		latitude) AI,A2,A3 (rest of state)
<i>Paroaria coronata</i>	Cardinal, Red-crested	Exempt from declaration.
<i>Passer domesticus</i>	Sparrow, House	AI,A2,A3
<i>Passer montanus</i>	Sparrow, Tree; Eurasian Tree Sparrow	AI,A2,A3
<i>Pavo cristatus</i>	Peafowl, Common	Exempt from declaration.
<i>Pavo muticus</i>	Peafowl, Green	Exempt from declaration.
<i>Phasianus colchicus</i>	Pheasant, Ring-necked	A2,A4,A6
<i>Pionites leucogaster</i>	Caique, White-bellied; White-bellied Parrot	A2,A4,A6
<i>Pionites melanocephala</i>	Caique, Black-headed; Black-headed Parrot	A2,A4,A6
<i>Poicephalus gmelini</i>	Parrot, Red-fronted; Jardine's Parrot	AI,A2,A3*
<i>Poicephalus meyeri</i>	Parrot, Meyer's; Brown Parrot	A2,A4,A6
<i>Poicephalus rufiventris</i>	Parrot, Red-bellied	AI,A2,A3*
<i>Poicephalus senegalus</i>	Parrot, Senegal	AI,A2,A3*
<i>Pseudeos fuscata</i>	Lory, Dusky	A2,A4,A6
<i>Psittacula alexandri</i>	Parakeet, Moustached	A2,A4,A6
<i>Psittacula columboides</i>	Parakeet, Malabar	A2,A4,A6
<i>Psittacula cyanocephala</i>	Parakeet, Plum-headed	A2,A4,A6
<i>Psittacula derbiana</i>	Parakeet, Derbyan	A2,A4,A6
<i>Psittacula eupatria</i>	Parakeet, Alexandrine	A2,A4,A6
<i>Psittacula himalayana</i>	Parakeet, Slaty-headed	AI,A2,A3*
<i>Psittacula krameri</i>	Parakeet, Rose-ringed; Indian or African Ringneck Parrot or Parakeet	A2,A4,A6
<i>Psittacula roseata</i>	Parakeet, Blossom-headed	AI,A2,A3 *
<i>Psittacus erithacus</i>	Parrot, Grey; African Grey Parrot	AI,A2,A3*
<i>Psittacus erithacus timneh</i>	Parrot, Western Grey; African Grey Parrot	AI,A2,A3*
<i>Purpureicephalus spurius</i>	Parrot, Red-capped; WA King Parrot	A7 Municipal districts of the Shires of Bridgetown-Greenbushes, Capel, Chittering, Donnybrook-Balingup, Harvey, Kalamunda, Manjimup, Mundaring, Murray, Plantagenet, Serpentine-Jarrahdale, Swan, and the City of Armadale.
<i>Pycnonotus cafer</i>	Bulbul, Red-vented	AI,A2,A3
<i>Pycnonotus jocosus</i>	Bulbul, Red-whiskered	AI,A2,A3
<i>Pyrrhula pyrrhula</i>	Bullfinch; Eurasian	AI,A2,A3

	Bullfinch	
<i>Pyrrhura cruentata</i>	Conure, Blue-throated	A1,A2,A3 *
<i>Pyrrhura lepida</i>	Conure, Pearly	A1,A2,A3 *
<i>Pyrrhura molinae</i>	Green-cheeked Conure	A1, A2, A3*
<i>Pyrrhura molinae restricta</i>	Conure, Green-cheeked	A1,A2,A3 *
<i>Pyrrhura perlata</i>	Conure, Crimson-bellied	A1,A2,A3 *
<i>Pyrrhura rupicola</i>	Conure, Black-capped	A1,A2,A3 *
<i>Pytilia hypogrammica</i>	Pytilia Yellow-winged	A2, A4, A6
<i>Pytilia melba</i>	Pytilia, Green-winged; Melba Finch	Exempt from declaration.
<i>Pytilia phoenicoptera</i>	Pytilia, Crimson-winged; Aurora Finch	Exempt from declaration.
<i>Quelea quelea</i>	Quelea, Red-billed; Red-billed Weaver; Dioch	A1,A2,A3
<i>Rattus norvegicus</i>	Rat, Brown	Exempt from declaration. #
<i>Rattus rattus</i>	Rat, Black	Exempt from declaration. #
<i>Rattus villosissimus</i>	Rat, Long-haired	A7 Municipal district of the Shire of Wyndham-East Kimberley.
<i>Rhea americana</i>	Rhea, Greater	A4,A5,A6
<i>Serinus atrogularis</i>	Seed-eater Yellow-rumped; Angolan Singing Finch	A1,A2,A3*
<i>Serinus canaria</i>	Canary, Common	Exempt from declaration.
<i>Serinus leucopygius</i>	Seed-eater, White-rumped; Grey Singing Finch	A1,A2,A3*
<i>Serinus mozambicus</i>	Canary, Yellow-fronted; Green Singing Finch	A2,A4,A6
<i>Streptopelia chinensis</i>	Turtle-Dove, Spotted	Exempt from declaration. #
<i>Streptopelia decaocto</i>	Dove, Collared; Collared Turtle-dove; Indian Ring Dove; Barbary Dove (fawn or white variations)	A1,A2,A6
<i>Streptopelia senegalensis</i>	Turtle-Dove, Laughing	Exempt from declaration. #
<i>Struthio camelus</i>	Ostrich	A5 (when running wild in agricultural and pastoral areas)
<i>Sturnus vulgaris</i>	Starling, Common	A1,A2,A3
<i>Sus scrofa</i>	Pig, Domestic	Exempt from declaration.
<i>Sus scrofa</i>	Pig, Feral	A4,A5,A6
<i>Syrnaticus reevesii</i>	Pheasant, Reeves's	Exempt from declaration.
<i>Tadorna ferruginea</i>	Shelduck, Ruddy	A1,A2,A3 *

<i>Tadorna tadornoides</i>	Shelduck, Australian; Mountain Duck	A7 South-west and Eucla Divisions, excluding those municipal districts within the Perth Metropolitan Region.
<i>Tadorna variegata</i>	Shelduck, Paradise	A2,A4,A6
<i>Tiaris canora</i>	Grassquit, Cuban; Cuban Finch	Exempt from declaration.
<i>Trichoglossus haematodus</i>	Lorikeet, Rainbow	A5 in the Perth Metropolitan area A2 (where at large, in areas south of the 20° parallel of latitude, excluding the Perth Metropolitan area).
<i>Turdus merula</i>	Blackbird; English Blackbird	A1,A2,A3
<i>Turdus philomelos</i>	Thrush, Song; English Song Thrush	A1,A2,A3
<i>Uraeginthus angolensis</i>	Cordon-bleu, Blue-breasted; Blue-breasted Waxbill	A2,A4,A6
<i>Uraeginthus bengalus</i>	Cordon-bleu, Red-cheeked	A2,A4,A6
<i>Uraeginthus cyanocephalus</i>	Cordon-bleu, Blue-capped	A2,A4,A6
<i>Uraeginthus granatina</i>	Waxbill, Violet-eared; Common Grenadier	A1,A2,A3*
<i>Uraeginthus ianthinogaster</i>	Grenadier, Purple; Purple Grenadier Waxbill	A1,A2,A3*
<i>Volatinia jacarina</i>	Grassquit, Blue-black; Jacarini Finch	Exempt from declaration.
<i>Vulpes vulpes</i>	Fox; Red Fox	A5
<i>Vultur gryphus</i>	Condor, Andean	A1,A2,A3*
<i>Xenopus laevis</i>	Toad, African	A1,A2,A3
<i>Zosterops lateralis</i>	Silvereye	A7 South-west Division.

INSECTS AND MOLLUSCS LISTED ALPHABETICALLY BY SCIENTIFIC NAME

Scientific Name	Common Name	Categories and Other Notes
<i>Aethina tumida</i>	Beetle, Small hive	A1,A2,A3 For all areas of the State outside the municipal districts of Broome; Derby-West Kimberley; Wyndham- East Kimberley and Halls Creek A5 For the municipal districts of Broome; Derby-West Kimberley; Wyndham-East Kimberley and Halls Creek
<i>Austroicetes cruciata</i>	Grasshopper, Small Plague	A5

<i>Austropeplea tomentosa</i>	Snail, Liver-fluke; Lymnaea Snail	AI,A3,A5
<i>Bactrocera tryoni</i>	Fly, Queensland Fruit	AI,A2
<i>Ceratitis capitata</i>	Fly, Mediterranean Fruit	AI,A2
<i>Chortoicetes terminifera</i>	Locust, Australian Plague	A5
<i>Cryptotermes brevis</i>	West Indian drywood termite	AI, A2, A3
<i>Cryptotermes domesticus</i> (Haviland)	Drywood termite	AI, A2, A3
<i>Cryptolestes spp</i>	Beetle, Flat Grain	AI,A5
<i>Cydia pomonella</i>	Moth, Codling	AI,A2
<i>Ephestia spp</i>	Moth, Warehouse	AI,A5
<i>Helix aperta</i>	Snail, Green	AI,A2,A3
<i>Heterobostrychus brunneus Murr</i>	Borer Boxwood	AI, A2, A3
<i>Heterobostrychus aequalis</i> (Waterhouse)	Lesser auger beetle	AI, A2, A3
<i>Hylotrupes bajulus</i>	Borer, European House	A2,A3 for those areas of the State constituted to be Restricted Movement Zones under the <i>ARRPA EHB Regulations</i> AI,A3 for remainder of State
<i>Incisitermes minor</i> (Hagen)	Western drywood termite	AI, A2, A3
<i>Iridomyrmex humilis</i>	Ant, Argentine	AI,A5
<i>Lymnaea auricularia</i>	Snail, Liver-fluke; Lymnaea Snail	AI,A3,A5
<i>Lymnaea peregra</i>	Snail, Liver-fluke; Lymnaea Snail	AI,A3,A5
<i>Lymnaea viridis</i>	Snail, Liver-fluke; Lymnaea Snail	AI,A3,A5
<i>Mastotermes darwiniensis</i>	Termite, Giant	AI,A5
<i>Oryzaephilus surinamensis</i>	Beetle, Sawtooth Grain	AI,A5
<i>Plodia interpunctella</i>	Moth, Indian Meal	AI,A5
<i>Pseudosuccinia columella</i>	Snail, Liver-fluke; Lymnaea Snail; American Ribbed Fluke Snail	AI,A3,A5
<i>Rhyzopertha dominica</i>	Borer, Lesser Grain	AI,A5
<i>Sitophilus granarius</i>	Weevil, Granary	AI,A5
<i>Sitophilus oryzae</i>	Weevil, Rice	AI,A5
<i>Sitotroga cerealella</i>	Moth, Angoumois Grain	AI,A5
<i>Tribolium castaneum</i>	Beetle, Rust-red Flour	AI,A5
<i>Tribolium confusum</i>	Beetle, Confused Flour	AI,A5
<i>Trogoderma granarium</i>	Beetle, Khapra	AI,A5
<i>Trogoderma spp.</i>	Trogoderma	AI,A5

<i>Trogoderma variabile</i>	Beetle, Warehouse	AI,A5
<i>Vespula germanica</i>	Wasp, European	AI,A2,A3

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Appendix 4 - Current List of Declared Plants

The following is an updated list of plants that are declared plants under the *Agriculture and Related Resources Protection Act 1976*. Gamba grass has been added by declaration made since the most recent publication of the list pursuant to section 37 of the Act in the Western Australian Government Gazette on 7 December 2007

P1 Prohibits movement of plants or their seeds within the State. This prohibits the movement of contaminated machinery and produce including livestock and fodder:

P2 Eradicate infestation to destroy and prevent propagation each year until no plants remain. The infested area must be managed in such a way that prevents the spread of seed or plant parts on or in livestock, fodder, grain, vehicles and/or machinery:

P3 Control infestation in such a way that prevents the spread of seed or plant parts within and from the property on or in livestock, fodder, grain, vehicles and/or machinery. Treat to destroy and prevent seed set all plants:

P4 Prevent the spread of infestation from the property on or in livestock, fodder, grain, vehicles and/or machinery. Treat to destroy and prevent seed set on all plants:

P5 Infestations on public lands must be controlled.

Declared Plants

Aquarium Plants (plants of any class used or grown in aquariums unless they are plants that are on premises for the time being accredited by the Chief Agriculture Protection Officer as premises free from any snails capable of acting as intermediate hosts for the fluke *Fasciola hepatica*, or are in the course of being moved from such premises.);

P1; for the whole of the State.

Aquatic Weeds:

Alligator weed (<i>Alternanthera philoxeroides</i>);	P1, P2;	for the whole of the State.
Arrowhead (<i>Sagittaria montevidensis</i>);	P1, P2;	for the whole of the State.
Canadian Pond weed (<i>Elodea canadensis</i>);	P1, P2;	for the whole of the State.
Cabomba (<i>Cabomba caroliniana</i>);	P1, P2;	for the whole of the State.
Floating water chestnut (<i>Trapa</i> spp.);	P1, P2;	for the whole of the State.
Hydrocotyl (<i>Hydrocotyle ranunculoides</i>);	P1, P2;	for the whole of the State.
Lagarosiphon (<i>Lagarosiphon</i> spp.);	P1, P2;	for the whole of the State.
Leafy elodea (<i>Egeria densa</i>);	P1, P2;	for the whole of the State.
Parrot's feather (<i>Myriophyllum aquaticum</i>);	P1, P2;	for the whole of the State.
Pond apple (<i>Annona glabra</i>);	P1, P2;	for the whole of the State.
Sagittaria (<i>Sagittaria platyphylla</i>);	P1, P2;	for the whole of the State.
Salvinia (<i>Salvinia molesta</i>);	P1, P2;	for the whole of the State.
Senegal tea (<i>Gymnocoronis spilanthoides</i>);	P1, P2;	for the whole of the State.
Shield pennywort (<i>Hydrocotyle verticillata</i>);	P1, P2;	for the whole of the State.
Water hyacinth (<i>Eichhornia crassipes</i>);	P1, P2;	for the whole of the State.
Water lettuce (<i>Pistia stratiotes</i>);	P1, P2;	for the whole of the State.

Acacias (*Acacia* spp.) all species not native to Australia (except *Acacia farnesiana*);

P1, P2; for the whole of the State.

- African rue (*Peganum harmala*);
 P1, P2; for the whole of the State.
- African thistle (*Berkheya rigida*);
 P1, P2; for the whole of the State.
- Apple of Sodom (*Solanum linnaeanum*);
 P1, P2; for the municipal districts of the City of Albany (except for Plantagenet Locations 4901, 3433, 5154, 3434, 5959 and 3435), Cranbrook, Denmark, Gnowangerup, Jerramungup and Plantagenet.
P1, P3; for Plantagenet Locations 4901, 3433, 5154, 3434, 5959 and 3435.
P1, P4; for the municipal districts of Augusta-Margaret River, Boyup Brook, Bridgetown-Greenbushes, the City of Bunbury, Busselton, Capel, Collie, Dardanup, Donnybrook-Balingup, Harvey, Manjimup, Mandurah, Murray, Nannup, Serpentine-Jarrahdale and Waroona.
- Artichoke thistle or cardoon (*Cynara cardunculus*);
 P1, P2; for the whole of the State.
- Athel pine (*Tamarix aphylla*);
 P1; for the whole of the State.
- Arum lily (*Zantedeschia aethiopica*);
 P1, P4; for the whole of the State.
- Bathurst burr (*Xanthium spinosum*);
 P1; for the whole of the State.
 P2; for all municipal districts except the Shire of Coolgardie and the City of Kalgoorlie-Boulder.
 P3; for the municipal districts of Coolgardie and the City of Kalgoorlie-Boulder.
- Bellyache bush (*Jatropha gossypifolia*);
 P1; for the whole of the State.
 P2; for all the municipal districts in that portion of the State south of the 26th parallel.
 P4; for all the municipal districts in that portion of the State north of the 26th parallel.
- Blackberry (*Rubus laudatus* and *Rubus fruticosus* agg. – including *Rubus anglocandicans*, *Rubus rugosus* and *Rubus ulmifolius*);
 P1; for the whole of the State.
 P2; for the municipal district of Boddington.
 P4; for the municipal districts of the City of Albany, Augusta-Margaret River, Boyup Brook, Bridgetown-Greenbushes, the City of Bunbury, Busselton, Capel, Collie, Cranbrook, Dardanup, Denmark, Donnybrook-Balingup, Harvey, Manjimup, Mandurah, Murray, Nannup, Plantagenet, Serpentine-Jarrahdale and Waroona.
- Bitou bush/boneseed (*Chrysanthemoides monilifera*);
 P1; P2; for the whole of the State.
- Bridal creeper (*Asparagus asparagoides*);
 P1; for the whole of the State.
- Broomrape - branched broomrape (*Orobanche ramosa*) and all other *Orobanche* species except *O. minor*;

- PI, P2; for the whole of the State.
- Calotropis (*Calotropis procera*);
 PI; for all municipal districts in that portion of the of the State North of the 26th parallel of latitude, except the municipal districts of Ashburton, Broome, Halls Creek, Derby-West Kimberley and Wyndham-East Kimberley.
 P2; for the municipal districts of Ashburton, East Pilbara, Port Hedland and Roebourne.
- Camelthorn (*Alhagi maurorum*);
 PI, P2; for the whole of the State.
- Candle bush (*Senna alata*);
 PI, P2; for the whole of the State, except those areas constituted as townsites under Section 26 the *Land Administration Act 1997*.
- Cape tulip, one leaf (*Moraea flaccida*) and cape tulip, two leaf (*Moraea miniata*);
 PI; for the whole of the State.
 P3; for the municipal districts of Denmark, Kent and Cranbrook, except that area bordered by Albany Highway, Weir Rd, Boyup-Cranbrook Road, Shamrock & Yeriminup Roads & Frankland-Cranbrook Road.
 P4; for the municipal districts of the City of Albany, Augusta-Margaret River, Boddington, Boyup Brook, Bridgetown-Greenbushes, Brookton, Broomehill, the City of Bunbury, Busselton, Capel, Collie, Corrigin, Cuballing, Dardanup, Donnybrook-Balingup, Dumbleyung, Esperance Gnowangerup, Jerramungup, Harvey, Katanning, Kojonup, Mandurah, Manjimup, Murray, Narrogin, Nannup, Pingelly, Plantagenet, Ravensthorpe, Serpentine-Jarrahdale, Tambellup, Wagin, Wandering, West Arthur, Wickepin, Williams, Woodanilling, Waroona and Yilgarn and that area of the Cranbrook Shire bordered by Albany Highway, Weir Rd, Boyup-Cranbrook Road, Shamrock & Yeriminup Roads & Frankland-Cranbrook Road.
- Chilean needle grass (*Nassella neesiana*);
 PI; for the whole of the State.
- Chinee apple (*Ziziphus mauritiana*);
 PI, P5; for the municipal districts of Broome, Derby – West Kimberley, Halls Creek and Wyndham-East Kimberley.
 PI; for the remainder of the State.
- Cleavers (*Galium aparine*);
 PI, P2; for the whole of the State.
- Cotton bush, narrow leaf (*Gomphocarpus fruticosus*);
 PI, P3; for the municipal districts of Broomehill, Dumbleyung, Gnowangerup, Jerramungup, Katanning, Kent, Kojonup, Tambellup, West Arthur and Woodanilling.
 PI, P4; for the municipal districts of the City of Albany, Augusta-Margaret River, Beverley, Boddington, Boyup Brook, Bridgetown-Greenbushes, Brookton, the City of Bunbury, Busselton, Capel, Collie, Corrigin, Cranbrook, Cuballing, Cunderdin, Dardanup, Denmark, Donnybrook-Balingup, Dowerin, Esperance, Goomalling, Harvey, Kellerberrin, Kondinin, Koorda, Kulin, Lake Grace, Mandurah, Manjimup, Mt Marshall, Murray, Nannup, Narrogin, Northam, the Town of Northam, Pingelly, Plantagenet, Quairading,

Ravensthorpe, Serpentine-Jarrahdale, Tammin, Toodyay, Trayning, Wandering, Waroona, Wickepin, Williams, Wyalkatchem and York.

Creeping knapweed (*Acroptilon repens/Rhaponticum repens*);

PI, P2; for the whole of the State.

Devil's claw, small fruit (*Martynia annua*) and Devil's claw, purpleflower (*Proboscidea louisianica*);

PI, P2; for the whole of the State.

Doublegee (*Emex australis* and *Emex spinosa*);

PI; for the municipal districts of Augusta-Margaret River, Boyup Brook, Bridgetown-Greenbushes, the City of Bunbury, Busselton, Capel, Collie, Dardanup, Donnybrook-Balingup, Dumbleyung, Harvey, Katanning, Manjimup, Mandurah, Murray, Nannup, Serpentine-Jarrahdale, Tambellup, Wagin, Waroona and Woodanilling.

PI, P3; for the municipal districts of Broomehill, Kojonup and West Arthur.

PI, P4; for the municipal districts of Jerramungup, Kent and Ravensthorpe.

P5; for the municipal districts of Esperance, Gnowangerup, Kondinin, Kulin and Lake Grace.

Field bindweed (*Convolvulus arvensis*);

PI; for the whole of the State

P3; for the municipal district of Esperance.

Gamba grass (*Andropogon gayanus*)

PI, P2; for the whole of the State.

Glaucous star thistle (*Carthamus leucocaulos*);

PI, P3; for the municipal districts of Gnowangerup and Tambellup.

PI, P4; for the municipal districts of Broomehill, Dumbleyung, Katanning, Kojonup, Wagin, West Arthur and Woodanilling.

Golden dodder (*Cuscuta campestris*);

PI, P2; for the whole of the State, except for the municipal districts of the City of Albany, Cranbrook, Denmark and Plantagenet.

PI, P4; for the municipal districts of the City of Albany, Cranbrook, Denmark and Plantagenet.

Gorse (*Ulex europaeus*);

PI; for the whole of the State.

P2; for the whole of State, except for the municipal districts of the City of Albany, Cranbrook, Denmark and Plantagenet.

P3; for the municipal districts of the City of Albany, Cranbrook, Denmark and Plantagenet.

Harrisia cactus (*Eriocereus martini*);

PI, P2; for the whole of the State.

Heliotrope (*Heliotropium europaeum*);

PI, P3; for the municipal districts of the City of Albany, Augusta-Margaret River, Boyup Brook, Bridgetown-Greenbushes, Broomehill, the City of Bunbury, Busselton, Capel,

Cranbrook, Dardanup, Denmark, Donnybrook-Balingup, Gnowangerup, Kojonup, Manjimup, Plantagenet, Nannup, Woodanilling and West Arthur.

PI, P4; for the municipal districts of Wagin, Dumbleyung, Katanning and Tambellup.

Hoary cress (*Cardaria draba/Lepidium draba*);

PI, P2; for the whole of the State.

Horehound (*Marrubium vulgare*);

PI, P2; for the municipal districts of the City of Albany, Ashburton, Broome, Broomehill, Carnarvon, Cranbrook, Cue, Denmark, Derby–West Kimberley, Dumbleyung, East Pilbara, Exmouth, Gnowangerup, Halls Creek, Katanning, Leonora, Laverton, Meekatharra, Menzies, Mt Magnet, Murchison, Ngaanyatjarraku, Port Hedland, Roebourne, Sandstone, Shark Bay, Tambellup, Upper Gascoyne, Wagin, West Arthur, Wiluna, Woodanilling, Wyndham-East Kimberley and Yalgoo.

PI, P3; for the municipal district of Plantagenet.

PI, P4; for the municipal districts of Coolgardie, Dundas, Esperance, Jerramungup, the City of Kalgoorlie-Boulder, Kent, Kojonup and Ravensthorpe.

Horsetails - common horsetail (*Equisetum arvense*) and all other plants within the genus *Equisetum*;

PI, P2; for the whole of the State.

Hymenachne (*Hymenachne amplexicaulis*);

PI, P2; for the whole of the State.

Ivy gourd (*Coccinia grandis*);

PI, P2; for the municipal districts of Broome, Derby–West Kimberley, Halls Creek and Wyndham-East Kimberley.

Jointed goatgrass (*Aegilops cylindrica*);

PI, P2; for the whole of the State.

Kochia (*Bassia scoparia*);

PI, P2; for the whole of the State.

Lantana (*Lantana camara*);

PI; for the whole of the State.

Mesquite (*Prosopis* spp.);

PI; for the whole of the State.

P2; for the whole of the State, except for the area on Mardie Station bordered by the coast, the boundary between Mardie and Karratha stations, the North West Coastal Highway, Peter's Creek and the boundary between Yarraloola and Mardie stations.

P4; for the area on Mardie Station bordered by the coast, the boundary between Mardie and Karratha stations, the North West Coastal Highway, Peter's Creek and the boundary between Yarraloola and Mardie stations.

Mexican poppy (*Argemone mexicana* and *Argemone ochroleuca*)

PI; for the whole of the State, except the municipal districts of Ashburton, East Pilbara, Port Hedland and Roebourne.

- P2; for the municipal districts of the City of Albany, Armadale, Augusta-Margaret River, Bassendean, Bayswater, Belmont, Beverley, Boddington, Boyup Brook, Bridgetown-Greenbushes, Brookton, Broome, Broomehill, Bruce Rock, the City of Bunbury, Busselton, Cambridge, Canning, Capel, Claremont, Cockburn, Collie, Corrigin, Cottesloe, Cranbrook, Cuballing, Cue, Cunderdin, Dardanup, Denmark, Derby–West Kimberley, Donnybrook-Balingup, Dowerin, Dumbleyung, East Fremantle, Esperance, Fremantle, Gnowangerup, Goomalling, Gosnells, Halls Creek, Harvey, Jerramungup, Joondalup, Kalamunda, Katanning, Kellerberrin, Kent, Kojonup, Kondinin, Koorda, Kulin, Kwinana, Lake Grace, Mandurah, Manjimup, Melville, Meekatharra, Merredin, Mosman Park, Mt Magnet, Mt Marshall, Mukinbudin, Mundaring, Murray, Nannup, Narembeen, Narrogin, Nedlands, Nungarin, Peppermint Grove, Perth, Pingelly, Plantagenet, Quairading, Ravensthorpe, Rockingham, South Perth, Serpentine-Jarrahdale, Stirling, Subiaco, Swan, Tambellup, Tammin, Toodyay, Trayning, Victoria Park, Vincent, Wagin, Wandering, Wanneroo, Waroona, West Arthur, Westonia, Wickelup, Williams, Woodanilling, Wyalkatchem, Wyndham-East Kimberley, Yalgoo, Yilgarn and York.
- P3; for the municipal districts of Carnamah, Chapman Valley, Chittering, Coorow, Dandaragan, Dalwallinu, the City of Geraldton, Gingin, Greenough, Irwin, Morawa, Mingenew, Moora, Mullewa, Northam, the Town of Northam, Northampton, Perenjori, Three Springs, Victoria Plains and Wongan–Ballidu.
- P4; for the municipal districts of Carnarvon, Coolgardie, Dundas, Exmouth, the City of Kalgoorlie-Boulder, Leonora, Laverton, Murchison, Ngaanyatjarraku, Menzies, Sandstone, Shark Bay, Upper Gascoyne, and Wiluna.

Miconia (*Miconia* spp.);

PI, P2; for the whole of the State.

Mintweed (*Salvia reflexa*);

PI, P2; for the municipal districts of Coolgardie and the City of Kalgoorlie-Boulder, Leonora, Laverton, Menzies, Sandstone, Wiluna, and the Shire of Dundas.

Needle Burr (*Amaranthus spinosus*)

PI,P2; for the whole of the State

Nodding thistle (*Carduus nutans*);

PI, P2; for the whole of the State.

Noogoora burr (*Xanthium strumarium*);

PI; for the whole of the State.

P2; for the whole of the State, except for the municipal districts of Broome, Derby – West Kimberley, Halls Creek and Wyndham-East Kimberley.

P4; for the municipal districts of Broome, Derby – West Kimberley, Halls Creek and Wyndham-East Kimberley.

Parkinsonia (*Parkinsonia aculeata*);

PI; for the Whole of the State.

P2; for the municipal districts of Ashburton, Carnarvon, Coolgardie, Cue, Dundas, East Pilbara, Exmouth, City of Kalgoorlie-Boulder, Laverton, Leonora, Meekatharra, Menzies, Mt Magnet, Murchison, Ngaanyatjarraku, Port Headland, Roebourne, Sandstone, Shark Bay, Upper Gascoyne, Wiluna, Yalgoo.

- P4; for the municipal districts of Broome, Derby – West Kimberley, Halls Creek and Wyndham-East Kimberley.
- Parthenium weed (*Parthenium hysterophorus*);
 P1, P2; for the whole of the State.
- Paterson's curse (*Echium plantagineum*);
 P1; for the whole of the State.
 P3; for the municipal districts of Augusta-Margaret River, Broomehill, the City of Bunbury, Busselton, Capel, Chittering, Collie, Cranbrook, Dandaragan, Dalwallinu, Dardanup, Denmark, Donnybrook-Balingup, Harvey, Esperance, Gingin, Kent, Kojonup, Mandurah, Moora, Murray, Ravensthorpe, Serpentine-Jarrahdale, Tambellup, Victoria Plains, Waroona, Wongan – Ballidu, Wagin, West Arthur and Woodanilling.
 P4; for the municipal districts of the City of Albany, Boddington, Boyup Brook, Bridgetown-Greenbushes, Gnowangerup, Brookton, Bruce Rock, Corrigin, Cuballing, Dumbleyung, Jerramungup, Katanning, Kondinin, Kulin, Lake Grace, Manjimup, Merredin, Mukinbudin, Nannup, Narembeen, Narrogin, Nungarin, Pingelly, Plantagenet, Wandering, Westonia, Wickepin, Williams, Yilgarn and those portions of the municipal districts of Carnamah and Coorow west of the Midlands Road.
- Penny cress (*Thlaspi arvense*);
 P1, P2; for the whole of the State.
- Perennial thistle or Canada thistle (*Cirsium arvense*);
 P1, P2; for the whole of the State.
- Physic nut (*Jatropha curcas*);
 P1; for the whole of the State.
 P2; for all the municipal districts in that portion of the State south of the 26th parallel.
 P4; for all the municipal districts in that portion of the State north of the 26th parallel.
- Prickly pear (*Opuntia* spp.);
 P1; for all municipal districts in that portion of the State North of the 26th parallel of latitude.
 P2; for all municipal districts in that portion of the State North of the 26th parallel of latitude except for the municipal districts of Exmouth, Carnarvon, Murchison, Upper Gascoyne and Shark Bay.
 P4; for the municipal districts of Exmouth, Carnarvon, Murchison, Upper Gascoyne and Shark Bay.
- Ragwort (*Senecio jacobaea*);
 P1, P2; for the whole of the State.
- Rubber vine (*Cryptostegia grandiflora* and *Cryptostegia madagascariensis*);
 P1, P2; for the whole of the State.
- Saffron thistle (*Carthamus lanatus*);
 P1; for the whole of the State.
 P3; for the municipal districts of the City of Albany, Augusta-Margaret River, Broomehill, the City of Bunbury, Busselton, Capel, Carnamah, Collie, Coorow, Cranbrook, Cunderdin, Dardanup, Denmark, Donnybrook-Balingup, Dowerin, Dumbleyung, Gnowangerup, Harvey, Katanning, Kellerberrin, Kojonup, Koorda, Mandurah, Mt Marshall, Murray,

- Plantagenet, Serpentine-Jarrahdale, Tambellup, Tammin, Trayning, Wagin, Waroona, West Arthur Woodanilling and Wyalkatchem.
- P4; for the municipal districts of Ashburton, Beverley, Boddington, Brookton, Broome, Bruce Rock, Carnarvon, Chittering, Coolgardie, Corrigin, Cuballing, Cue, Dandaragan, Dalwallinu, Derby–West Kimberley, Dundas, East Pilbara, Esperance, Exmouth, Gingin, Goomalling, Halls Creek, Jerramungup, City of Kalgoorlie-Boulder, Kent, Kondinin, Kulin, Lake Grace, Laverton, Leonora, Meekatharra, Menzies, Merredin, Moora, Mt Magnet, Mukinbudin, Murchison, Narembeen, Narrogin, Ngaanyatjarraku, Northam, the Town of Northam, Nungarin, Pingelly, Port Hedland, Quairading, Ravensthorpe, Roebourne, Sandstone, Shark Bay, Toodyay, Upper Gascoyne, Victoria Plains, Wandering, Westonia, Wickepin, Williams, Wiluna, Wongan–Ballidu, Wyndham-East Kimberley, Yalgoo Yilgarn, and York.
- Sensitive plant, common (*Mimosa pudica*);
PI, P2; for the whole of the state
- Sensitive plant, giant (*Mimosa invisa*);
PI, P2; for the whole of the State.
- Sensitive plant, giant (*Mimosa pigra*);
PI P2; for the whole of the State.
- Serrated tussock (*Nassella trichotoma*);
PI, P2; for the whole of the State.
- Siam weed (*Chromolaena odorata*);
PI, P2; for the whole of the State.
- Sicklepod (*Senna tora*);
PI, P2; for the whole of the State.
- Sicklepod, javabean (*Senna obtusifolia*);
PI, P2; for the whole of the State.
- Sida (*Sida acuta* and *Sida cordifolia*);
PI; for all that part of the State north of the 26th parallel of latitude.
- Skeleton weed (*Chondrilla juncea*);
PI, P2; for the whole of the State.
- Stemless thistle (*Onopordum acaulon*);
PI, P2; for the municipal districts of the City of Albany, Boddington, Brookton, Broomehill, Bruce Rock, Corrigin, Cranbrook, Cuballing, Denmark, Dumbleyung, Gnowangerup, Katanning, Kojonup, Merredin, Mukinbudin, Narembeen, Narrogin, Nungarin, Pingelly, Plantagenet, Tambellup, Wagin, Wandering, West Arthur, Westonia, Wickepin, Williams, Woodanilling and Yilgarn.
PI, P3; for the municipal districts of Chapman Valley, City of Geraldton, Greenough, Irwin, Jerramungup, Kent, Kondinin, Kulin, Lake Grace, Mullewa, Northampton and Ravensthorpe.
PI, P4; for the municipal district of Esperance.

South African cape rush (*Elegia Tectorum*)

P1, P2; for the whole of the State.

St. John's wort (*Hypericum perforatum*);

P1, P2; for the whole of the state except the municipal districts of Augusta-Margaret River, Beverley, Boddington, Boyup Brook, Bridgetown-Greenbushes, Brookton, Bruce Rock, the City of Bunbury, Busselton, Capel, Collie, Corrigin, Cuballing, Cunderdin, Dardanup, Donnybrook-Balingup, Dowerin, Goomalling, Harvey, Kellerberrin, Koorda, Mandurah, Manjimup, Merredin, Mt Marshall, Mukinbudin, Murray, Nannup, Narembeen, Narrogin, Northam, the Town of Northam, Nungarin, Pingelly, Quairading, Serpentine-Jarrahdale, Tammin, Toodyay, Trayning, Wandering, Waroona, Westonia, Wickepin, Williams, Wyalkatchem, Yilgarn and York.

Thatching reed (*Thamnochortus insignis*)

P1, P2; for the whole of the State.

Thornapple, common (*Datura stramonium*), thornapple, fierce (*Datura ferox*), thornapple, Leichhardt's or Mexican (*Datura leichhardtii*), thornapple, hairy (*Datura wrightii*), thornapple, downy (*Datura innoxia*) and thornapple (*Datura metel*);

P1; for the whole of the state except the municipal districts of Ashburton, Broome, Derby-West Kimberley, East Pilbara, Halls Creek, Port Hedland, Roebourne and Whyndam-East Kimberley.

P3; for the municipal districts of the City of Albany, Broomehill, Chapman Valley, Collie, Cranbrook, Denmark, Dumbleyung, the City of Geraldton, Greenough, Harvey, Irwin, Jerramungup, Gnowangerup, Katanning, Kent, Kojonup, Mandurah, Mullewa, Murray, Northampton, Plantagenet, Ravensthorpe, Serpentine-Jarrahdale, Tambellup, Wagin, Waroona, West Arthur and Woodanilling.

P4; for the municipal districts of Augusta-Margaret River, Boddington, Boyup Brook, Bridgetown-Greenbushes, Brookton, Bruce Rock, the City of Bunbury, Busselton, Capel, Carnarvon, Chittering, Coolgardie, Corrigin, Cuballing, Cue, Cunderdin, Dandaragan, Dalwallinu, Dardanup, Donnybrook-Balingup, Dowerin, Dundas, Esperance, Exmouth, Gingin, the City of Kalgoorlie-Boulder, Kellerberrin, Koorda, Laverton, Leonora, Manjimup, Meekatharra, Menzies, Merredin, Moora, Mt Magnet, Mt Marshall, Mukinbudin, Murchison, Nannup, Narembeen, Narrogin, Nungarin, Ngaanyatjarraku, Pingelly, Sandstone, Shark Bay, Tammin, Trayning, Upper Gascoyne, Victoria Plains, Wandering, Westonia, Wickepin, Wiluna, Williams, Wongan – Ballidu, Wyalkatchem, Yalgoo and Yilgarn.

Three-horned bedstraw (*Galium tricornutum*);

P1, P2; for the whole of the State.

Tutsan (*Hypericum androsaemum*);

P1, P2; for the whole of the State.

Tutsan, flair (*Hypericum x inodorum*);

P2; for the whole of the State, except lands approved for cultivation by the Chief Officer.

P4; for lands approved for cultivation by the Chief Officer.

Variiegated thistle (*Silybum marianum*);

- P1; for the whole of the State.
- P2; for the whole of the State (except for the municipal districts of the City of Albany, Augusta-Margaret River, Boyup Brook, Bridgetown, Busselton, Capel, Chapman Valley, Collie, Cranbrook, Dardanup, Denmark, Donnybrook-Balingup, the City of Geraldton, Greenough, Harvey, Irwin, Mandurah, Manjimup, Mullewa, Murray, Nannup, Northampton, Plantagenet, Serpentine-Jarrahdale and Waroona).
- P3; for the municipal districts of Augusta-Margaret River, Boyup Brook, Busselton, Capel, Chapman Valley, Collie, Cranbrook, the City of Geraldton, Greenough, Harvey, Irwin, Mandurah, Mullewa, Murray, Nannup, Northampton, Serpentine-Jarrahdale and Waroona.
- P4; for the municipal districts of the City of Albany, Bridgetown, Dardanup, Denmark, Donnybrook-Balingup, Manjimup and Plantagenet.

Willows (*Salix* spp) except weeping willows (*S. babylonica*), pussy willow (*S. x calodendron*) and sterile pussy willow (*S. x reichardtii*);
 P1; for the whole of the State.

Witchweed (*Striga* spp.) (all non-indigenous *Striga* species);
 P1, P2; for the whole of the State.

Yellow burr weed (*Amsinckia* spp.);
 P1, P2; for the whole of the State.

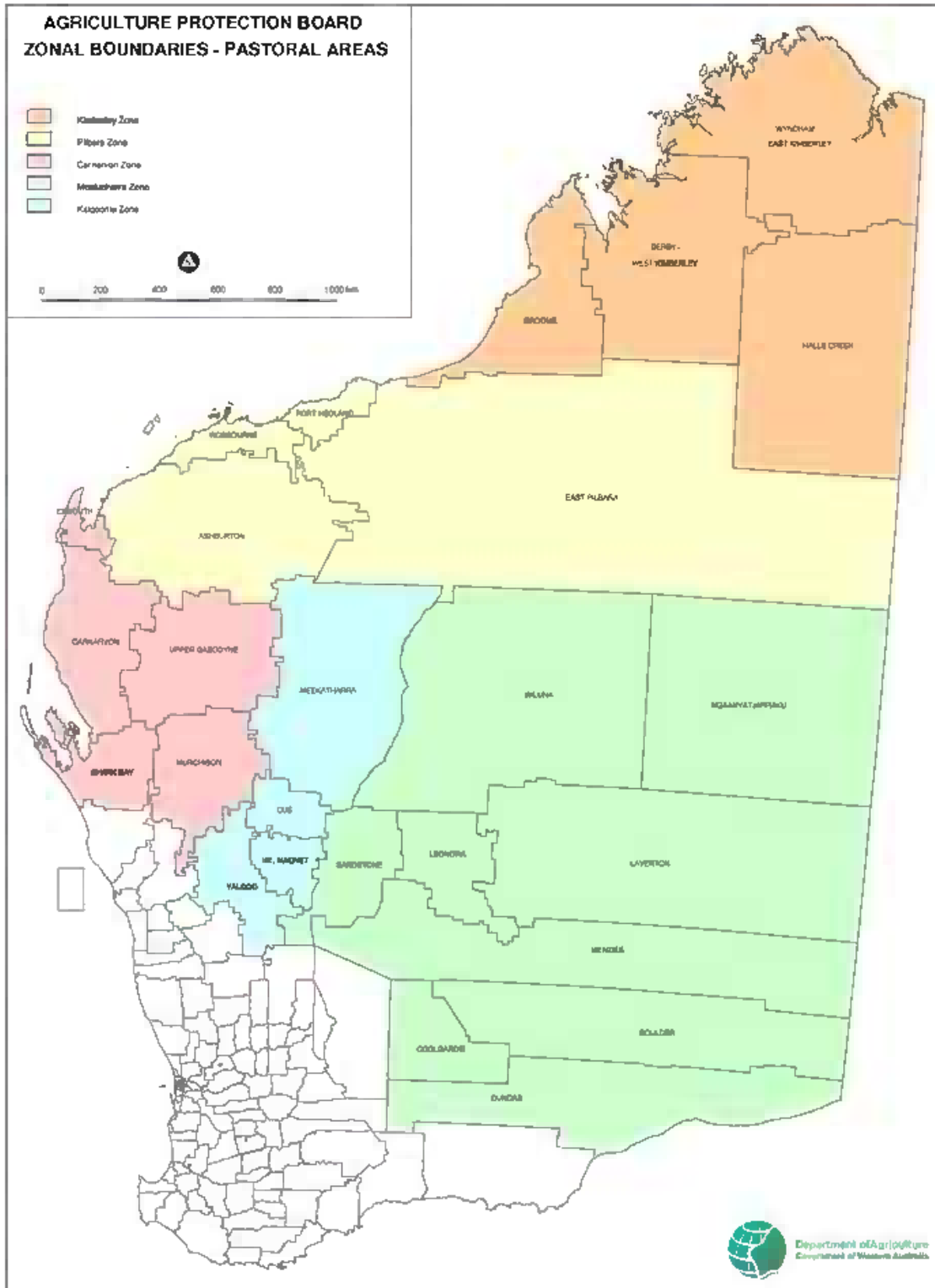
Appendix 5

Other Key Legislation Impacting on the Agriculture Protection Board

In the performance of its duties and functions, the Agriculture Protection Board complies with the following statutes:

- Agricultural and Veterinary Chemicals (Western Australia) Act, 1995
- *Agricultural Produce (Chemical Residues) Act, 1983*
- *Animal Welfare Act 2002*
- *Anti-Corruption Commission Act, 1988*
- *Biological Control Act, 1986*
- *Disability Services Act, 1993*
- *Equal Opportunity Act, 1984*
- *Explosives and Dangerous Goods Act, 1961*
- *Export Control Act, 1982*
- *Financial Management Act, 2006*
- *Firearms Act, 1973*
- *Freedom of Information Act, 1992*
- *Government Employees Superannuation Act, 1987*
- *Health Act, 1911*
- *Industrial Relations Act, 1979*
- *Library Board of WA Act, 1951*
- *Occupational Health, Safety and Welfare Act, 1981*
- *Official Corruption Act, 1988-94*
- *Plant Diseases Act, 1914*
- *Poisons Act, 1964*
- *Public Sector Management Act, 1994*
- *Quarantine Act, 1908*
- *Salaries and Allowances Act, 1975*
- *Seeds Act, 1981*
- *Soil and Land Conservation Act, 1945*
- *State Supply Commission Act, 1991*
- *Statutory Corporations (Liability of Directors) Act, 1996*
- *Wildlife Conservation Act, 1950*
- *Worker's Compensation and Assistance Act, 1981*
- *Workplace Agreements Act, 1993*

Appendix 6 - APB Zone Control Authority Boundaries – Rangelands



Appendix 7 - ZONE CONTROL AUTHORITY MEMBERS

KALGOORLIE ZCA

Name	Nominee of	Term expires
Cr Patrick Hill	Shire of Laverton	01/08/2009
Ms Kathy Boladeras (Deputy Patrick Hill)	Shire of Laverton	01/08/2009
Mr Steve Tonkin	City of Kalgoorlie-Boulder	01/08/2009
Mr Brendan Jones	Shire of Kalgoorlie/Boulder	01/08/2009
Mr Ross Wood	APB	01/08/2009
Mr David McQuie (Deputy Chair)	Shire of Sandstone	01/08/2010
Cr Gregory Arthur Payne (Deputy David McQuie)	Shire of Sandstone	01/08/2010
Mr Doug Brownlie	PGA	01/08/2010
Mr Paul Ryan	Shire of Dundas	01/08/2010
Mr Murray McQuie	Shire of Menzies	01/08/2008
Mr Paul Axford	APB	01/08/2008
Mr Nathan Blake (Deputy Paul Axford)	APB	01/08/2008

CARNARVON ZCA

Name	Nominee of	Term expires
Cr Ronald Rogers	Shire of Upper Gascoyne	01/08/2009
Cr K Keynes (Deputy / Harold Crawford)	Shire of Murchison	01/08/2009
Mr David Robinson	Shire of Upper Gascoyne	01/08/2009
Mr Harold Crawford	Shire of Shark Bay	01/08/2009
Cr Ross Foulkes-Taylor (Deputy / Simon Broad)	Shire of Murchison	01/08/2010
Mr John Percy	PGA	01/08/2010
Mr Simon Broad	Shire of Murchison	01/08/2010
Mr Justin Steadman	PGA / Shire of Murchison	01/08/2008
Mr Glen Della (Deputy / Sean D'Arcy)	Shires of Ashburton/Murchison	01/08/2008
Mr Sean D'Arcy	Shire of Ashburton	01/08/2008
Mr Mark Halleen (Deputy Chair)	WA Farmers	01/08/2008

KIMBERLEY ZCA

Name	Nominee of	Term expires
Mr Mervyn Wortley	Shire of Halls Creek	01/08/2009
Mr Peter Kneebone	Shire of Derby/West Kimberley	01/08/2009
Ms Lynette Craig	Shire of Halls Creek	01/08/2009
Mr Dick Pasfield	PGA / Ord Land and Water Inc	01/08/2010
Mr Peter de Long	PGA	01/08/2010
Mr John Buchanan	Shire of Wyndham East Kimberley	Resigned
Mr Jack Burton	PGA	01/08/2008
Mr Peter Burton (Deputy / Jack Burton)	PGA	01/08/2008
Mr James Motter (Deputy Chair)	PGA	01/08/2008
Mr John Koeyer	PGA	01/08/2008
Ms Joanna Koeyer (Deputy/John Koeyer)	PGA	01/08/2008

MEEKATHARRA ZCA

Name	Nominee of	Term expires
Mr Geoff Pilkington (Deputy Chair)	Shire of Mount Magnet	01/08/2009
Mr Greg Watters	PGA / Shire of Meekatharra	01/08/2009
Mr John Mahony	PGA	01/08/2010
Mr Gavin William Brown	PGA	01/08/2010
Mr Ashley Dowden	PGA	01/08/2010
Mr David Campbell (Deputy / Ashley Dowden)	Shire of Mt Magnet	01/08/2008
Liam Johns	PGA	01/08/2008
Mr Morris Seivewright	Shire of Cue	01/08/2008
Mr James Pitman (Deputy Chair)	PGA	01/08/2008

PILBARA ZCA

Name	Nominee of	Term expires
Mr Lang Coppin	Shire of East Pilbara / WAFF	01/08/2009
Mr Lance Coppin (Deputy / Lang Coppin)	Shire of East Pilbara / WAFF	01/08/2009
Mr Rory De-Pledge	PGA	01/08/2009
Mr John Bettini	PGA	01/08/2009
Mr Mark Bettini (Deputy / John Bettini)	PGA	01/08/2009
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Mr Geoff Mills (Deputy / Robin Mills)	WA Farmers	01/08/2010
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Appendix 8 - Glossary of terms and acronyms

Abbreviation	Explanation
AASL	Approved Average Staffing Level
AFFA	Agriculture, Forestry and Fisheries Australia
AGM	Asian Gypsy Moth
APB/Board	Agriculture Protection Board of Western Australia
APL	Australian Plague Locust
APVMA	Australian Pesticides and Veterinary Medicines Authority
ARRPA	<i>Agriculture and Related Resources Protection Act</i>
BAM Act	<i>Biosecurity and Agriculture Management Act 2007</i>
BC	Biosecurity Council
BBr	Branched Broomrape
BCA	Benefit Cost Analysis
AQIS	Australian Quarantine and Inspection Services
CAPA	Certificate of Property Area
CEO	Chief Executive Officer
CF	Consolidated Fund
CRC	Cooperative Research Centre
CRIS	Client Resource Information System
CSIRO	Commonwealth Scientific and Industrial Research Organisation
DAG	Declared Animal Group/Declared Species Group
DAFWA	Department of Agriculture and Food WA
DCG	District Consultative Group
Department	The Department of Agriculture and Food
DEC	Department of Environment and Conservation
DGPS	Differential Global Positioning System
DLGRD	Department of Local Government and Regional Development
DMB	Dried Meat Bait
DPACF	Declared Plant and Animal Control Fund
EPA	Environmental Protection Authority
EPP	Emergency Pest Plant
EVS	Exotic Vertebrate System
FECAC	Footrot Eradication Campaign Advisory Committee
FGAC	Feral Goat Advisory Committee
FOI	Freedom of Information

FRIF	Field Reporting Information Form
FRS	Field Reporting System
FTE	Full Time Equivalent
GRDC	Grains Research and Development Corporation
IAEA	International Atomic Energy Association
IQC	Inspection, Quarantine and Compliance System
JV	Joint Venture
LCDC	Land Conservation District Committee
KPI	Key Performance Indicator
Medfly	Mediterranean Fruit Fly
MOU	Memorandum of Understanding
NFACP	National Feral Animal Control Program
NLIS	National Livestock Identification Scheme
PaDIS	Pest and Disease Information Service
PLB	The Pastoral Lands Board of Western Australia
PGA	Pastoralists and Graziers Association
QAP	Quarantine Approved Premises
Q'fly	Queensland Fruit Fly
QDPI	Queensland Department of Primary Industry
QRM	Quarantine Risk Material
RBG	Recognised Biosecurity Group
RIFA	Red Imported Fire Ant
SARDI	South Australian Research and Development Institute
SBFMAC	State Barrier Fence Management Advisory Committee
SRG	Starling Reference Group
SWAC	Skeleton Weed Advisory Committee
SWDMAC	State Wild Dog Management Advisory Committee
TAFE	Technical and Further Education
TFA	Tropical Fire Ant
TSL	Temperature Sensitive Lethal
TM	Trademark
VPC	Vertebrate Pest Committee
VPRS	Vertebrate Pest Research Service
WAFarmers	WA Farmers Federation
WAQIS	WA Quarantine and inspection Services
ZCA	Zone Control Authority

