



Wildlife Act Authority (holding lizards in captivity)

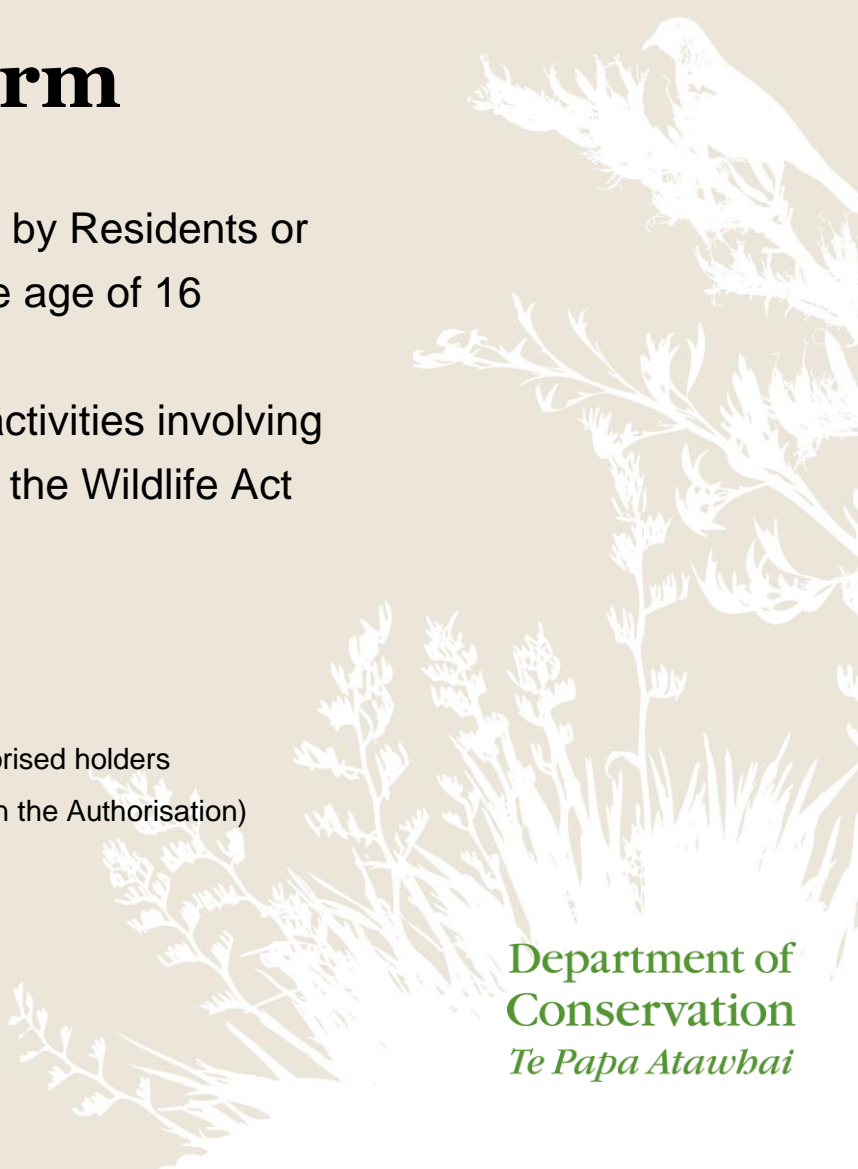
Registration form

This form can only be completed by Residents or Citizens of New Zealand over the age of 16

This form is only for the following activities involving specified lizards protected under the Wildlife Act 1953

- Hold in captivity
- Breed
- Acquire, swap or transfer with other authorised holders
- Advocacy (limited to the extent outlined in the Authorisation)
- Dispose of animals that die

Department of
Conservation
Te Papa Atawhai





Using this form

Completing the form



Save – You can save this form to your digital device and edit or fill it in your own time.



Fill – You can fill this form digitally using Microsoft word.



Print – You can print this form and fill it manually, or you can fill it digitally, then print it.



Submit – This form can be submitted by email or by post.



Email – Email your form and all the required labelled attachments to: doclizards@doc.govt.nz



Post – Post your form:
Permissions Team
Private Bag 3072
Hamilton 3240

Navigation



Hints – Use the links through the hints column on the right hand side of the form



Scroll – Simply use your mouse or keyboard arrows to scroll through the document page-by-page.



Checklist



Have you signed your form (electronic or manually)?



Have you included photos or plans or your enclosure(s)?

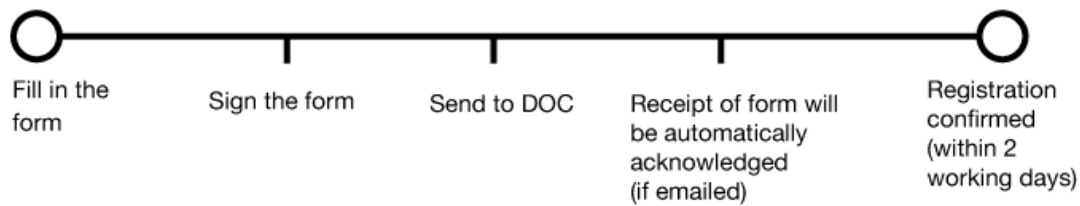


Have you included a 'baseline' annual return? (If you already hold lizards)





Process



Contact

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Section A | Your details

First name

Middle name(s)

Surname

Date of birth (dd/mm/yyyy)

Postal address

Street address (if different from postal)

Phone

Mobile

Email

! Enter your details in the white fields.

! You must provide a New Zealand address for service.





Section B | Animal husbandry details

Location or site

Please enter the address where you intend to keep lizards, or if there is no address, enter an Easting, Northing. If there is more than one location or site, please enter details for all the locations.

Enclosure

Please attach or enclose photos and/or plans of the enclosure(s).

! If emailing the form, attach picture files to the email. If posting your form, enclose photos/plans.

Please describe the enclosure that you plan to keep lizards in. Include information about:

- Size – length x width x height
- Construction materials
- Indoors/outdoors
- Position in relation to sun and wind
- Provision of UVA and UVB light
- Escape and predator proofing
- Pest prevention methods
- Ventilation and drainage
- Access to drinking/bathing water
- Shelter
- Habitat enhancements (perches, branches etc)





Feeding

Please describe what you intend to feed the lizards.

Section C | Species held

C1. Do you already hold lizards in captivity?

Yes (Go to question C2)

No (Go to Section D)

C2. Species already held

Please tick the species you already hold in captivity (if you have not started holding lizards in captivity, please leave this section blank).

Scientific name	Common name	
<i>Naultinus grayii</i>	Northland green gecko	<input type="checkbox"/>
<i>Naultinus elegans</i>	Elegant gecko	<input type="checkbox"/>
<i>Naultinus punctatus</i>	Barking gecko	<input type="checkbox"/>
<i>Dactylocnemis pacificus</i>	Pacific gecko	<input type="checkbox"/>
<i>Dactylocnemis "North Cape"</i>	North Cape Pacific gecko	<input type="checkbox"/>
<i>Dactylocnemis "Matapia Island"</i>	Matapia gecko	<input type="checkbox"/>
<i>Mokopirirakau granulatus</i>	Forest gecko	<input type="checkbox"/>
<i>Mokopirirakau "southern North Island"</i>	Southern North Island forest gecko	<input type="checkbox"/>
<i>Woodworthia maculata</i>	Common gecko	<input type="checkbox"/>
<i>Woodworthia "Central Otago"</i>	Central Otago gecko	<input type="checkbox"/>
<i>Woodworthia "Cromwell"</i>	Cromwell Gecko	<input type="checkbox"/>
<i>Woodworthia "Kaikouras"</i>	Kaikouras gecko	<input type="checkbox"/>
<i>Woodworthia "Marlborough mini"</i>	Marlborough mini gecko	<input type="checkbox"/>
<i>Woodworthia "Mount Arthur"</i>	Mount Arthur gecko	<input type="checkbox"/>
<i>Woodworthia "Otago Large"</i>	Large Otago gecko	<input type="checkbox"/>
<i>Woodworthia "Southern Alps"</i>	Southern Alps gecko	<input type="checkbox"/>
<i>Woodworthia "Southern mini"</i>	Southern mini gecko	<input type="checkbox"/>
<i>Woodworthia cf. brunnea</i>	Canterbury gecko	<input type="checkbox"/>
Hybrids of those species listed above		<input type="checkbox"/>

! If you answer 'Yes' to C1, you must include a baseline annual return with your registration from.





C3. Do you hold any species of lizards not listed above?

To hold other species of lizard you must have a separate authorisation. See the [Apply for permits](#) section of the DOC website for more information.

Yes (please list species below)

No (Go to Section D)

! Answering this question will allow DOC to consider adding more species to the General Authorisation in due course.

Section D | Fees

Please note

Processing fees

Section 60B of the Conservation Act contains the statutory provisions regarding processing fees. The Director-General has waived processing fees to register for the General Authorisation to hold lizards in captivity. Therefore there is no processing fee payable to lodge this registration.

Other fees

By applying to be registered under the General Authorisation to hold lizards in captivity 45599-CAP you acknowledge that the Department may recover costs of administering the General Authorisation.

This will include (but is not limited to) site inspections if you fail to send your annual return form or if you are not complying with the husbandry standards in your Authorisation. You will be informed of any costs before they are payable.

Section E | Annual Returns

The General Authorisation requires you to submit an annual return of the number of lizards held, species, gender etc.

DOC will collate the information collected in these returns and make the collated data publicly available.

Your individual returns will not be shared with any third party, unless you authorise this.

Note: If you already hold lizards in captivity, you must attach a baseline annual return with this form.

I authorise DOC to share my annual returns with the NZ Herpetological Society.





Section F | Declaration

I have read, understood and agree to comply with the terms and conditions of the General Authorisation numbered 45599-CAP.

I understand that my Authorisation may be terminated if I breach the terms and conditions of the General Authorisation numbered 45599-CAP.

I have read and understood the DOC Best Practice Guide to keeping NZ lizards in captivity.

I understand that if I hold species of lizard not listed in Section C2 above, I must have a separate authorisation.

I understand that I must not take lizards from the wild.

I understand that I do not own the lizards I care for. They remain the property of the Crown.

I understand that I am responsible for all veterinary expenses incurred.

I have no convictions or criminal charges pending under the Conservation Act or for animal mistreatment.

I am over 16 and a Resident or Citizen of New Zealand.

I certify that the information provided on this form is to the best of my knowledge true and correct.

To submit an electronic signature, simply **type your full name** into the "**Signature**" field

Signature

Date (dd/mm/yyyy)

Applicants should familiarise themselves with the relevant provisions of the Wildlife Act 1953 relating to authorisations.

The purpose of collecting this information is to enable the Department to process your registration. The Department will not use this information for any reason not related to that purpose except for compliance and for sharing or publishing statistics.

Applicants should be aware that provisions of the Official Information Act may require that some or all information in this form be publicly released.

It's an offence under the Crimes Act to give false or misleading information, or fail to provide information with the intention to mislead. This offence is punishable by up to 3 years imprisonment.



Your Authorisation may be varied or revoked if the information given in this form contains inaccuracies.