

Wildlife Act Review

Submission Comment 54:

Contributor: Individual

Primary interests:

- Private and/or commercial keeping, breeding, trading, displaying and/or processing of wildlife or wildlife products

Comment

Thank you for taking the time to read our submissions,

I am coming from the point of view of a hobbyist of 20 odd years who keeps and breeds a variety of animals for personal interest. I believe that our current licencing system has fallen by the way side in comparison to other states. Ideally I would like the Victorian wildlife licencing system improved to able us to purchase and keep animals that we haven't been able to in the past. If we used the New South Wales licencing system as a bench mark and thus implemented or worked towards this, I think most hobbyists would be happy. Hopefully as a result of this review it allows Victorians to keep a greater variety of animals and brings the wildlife licencing system into line with the expectations of the hobbyist.

Kind Regards

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