

## Wildlife Act Review

### Submission Comment 186:

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#### Primary interests:

- Hunting of wildlife
- Offences and penalties relating to wildlife
- Compliance and enforcement

#### Comment

The chosen issues need to be re-evaluated. Hunting wildlife should be completely banned unless in extenuating circumstances and even then needs to be managed and evaluated by a department official. Where possible animals should be relocated instead of exterminated. Penalties need to be harsher and compliance needs to be enforced with penalties following through and criminal convictions need to be handed down to anyone found to be in breach of any of the regulations and restrictions outlined in the act.

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