

STAKEHOLDER REVIEW

Chapter 5 Legal considerations in the management of livestock predator impacts					
Stakeholder Name	Page/s	Line/s	Table/Figure	Stakeholder Comment	Author Response
John Power	1	22		Cape Province - not E.C, W.C.	Corrected.
John Power	1	25		ie. North West has legislation from two of these mentioned provinces	Noted.
John Power	2	29-30		Clumsy - enactment / framework? Rephrase, delete framewoek, but mention nempa and nempaa are under NEMAs framework..	Wording revised.
John Power	2	47		placaten - sic [what it means?]	Revised to "laws"
John Power	4	81		eg. North West	Noted. This is dealt with later in the Chapter. Provinces that have not introduced legislation is not set out.
John Power	4	90		eg Gauteng	If revised would have to cite too many examples.
John Power	5	112-113		These NGOs just lobby governments and these bodies - they don't have mandate for any international conventions.	Wording revised to reflect this.
John Power	5	118		Implications of all this ? When decisions on dealing with provblem animals - consideration of these has to be made first..	Sentence revised to include implication.
John Power	9	217		morgen = ha? Also	Revised. Reference to "Morgan" deleted.
John Power	10	241		Certificate of Adequate Enclosure (CAE)	Revised to refer to certificate of adequate enclosure. But abbreviation CAE not used as term is not used frequently enough in this chapter.
John Power	10	245		Syncerus caffer?	The judgment refers to "Cape buffalo" and not to scientific name.
John Power	10	251		should be afforded	Corrected.
John Power	10	260		scientific names these species?	Only common names of animals used in this chapter.
John Power	11	278		Voet? Who ?	
John Power	11	281		result	Noted. The court followed Voet's reasoning - not the result.
John Power	11	290		For example, under North West Provincial Fencing Policy, a management plan is required for all dangerous animals (all large carnivores), which has details on escape events, and neighbours consent etc, security too etc.	Revised to refer to the North West Fencing Policy.
John Power	12	296		Hippopotamus amphibius	Only common names of animals used in this chapter.
John Power	14	366		delete that	Corrected.
John Power	15	397		Until recently North West too (still)	Noted.
John Power	16	401		also North West (new Act not fully promulgated, as we speak)	Noted.
John Power	16	413		delete second system	Corrected.
John Power	16	413		Normally at national level - following threat categories, ie Vulnerable etc, while provinces look at Ordinary or Protected etc.	Sentence revised to make it more clear that how the system of protection was applied in the four "old" provinces. Reference to IUCN removed.
John Power	18	450		Problem Animal - mention I think the Cape Problem animal ordinance here - providing then for gun/dog hunt clubs etc.	Reference to Cape Ordinance and hunting added.
John Power	18	455		and jackal and caracal	Jackal and caracal added.
John Power	18	456		even the Bophuthatswana Nature Conservatio Act listed the African wild dog as vermin ! - Quite an oversight ..	Reference to this oversight added.
John Power	18	459		is absolute protection	Corrected
John Power	18	466		delete a	Corrected
John Power	19	498		southern provinces, talk of a CAE certificate, while northern ones talk of exemption - exempt from individual permits	Noted. The Game Fence Act applies nationally.
John Power	20	505		Tragelaphus strepsiceros	Scientific names not used in this Chapter.
John Power	20	508-509		Hluhluwe-iMfolozi Park - use current, official names. Close brackets)?	Corrected to current official names.
John Power	20	519		dealt	Present tense used because the Ciskei Nature Conservation that is still in force.
John Power	21	535-536		brackets in brackets?	Corrected.
John Power	21	539		Free State - not the - otherwise all must be such	Corrected.
John Power	22	560		LEMA	Noted. No need to define as Limpopo Environmental Management Act not referred to again.
John Power	23	575		Interestingly, they don't implement TOPS	Noted.
John Power	23	586		delete and replace with mention of Transvaal Conservation Ordinance too.	Corrected. All legislation which is repeated is referenced.
John Power	23	588		The Act lists species as Specially Protected and Ordinary, with various schedules under it. One schedule allows for some Ordinary species, including a few mongoose and the black-backed jackal to be regulated via landowner consent entirely. Other schedules have seen to the listing of species such as caracal as Protected, for the first time, which may see conflict with landowners. Provisions are made for compensation programmes, trophy hunts of damage-causing animals, but this Act is not fully promulgated as yet, and Ordinances are still not repealed.	Noted. Further comment added to the North West Biodiversity Management Act.
John Power	23	592		<i>inter alia</i>	Corrected to italics
John Power	24	604		Conclusion - not a summary? Nothing is concluded upon here..	Changed to "Summary"
John Power	24	614-616		dash after TOPS? Apply to only...	Corrected
John Power	25	634		Animal	Not Changed. The act is the "Animal Protection Act" (ie. singular)
John Power	26	650		ie. Boards	Amended to refer to "Boards"
John Power	26	660-662		This is also in Nemba, tops etc	Noted. NEMBA and TOPS discussed later
John Power	27	669		species and ecosystems - TOPS is for threatened /protected species..	Amended to use terminology contained in Schedule of species.
John Power	27	671-672		Protected species are generally those of National Importance, or at least near Threatened, while threatened are those - more threatened than Vulnerable, Endangered above..	Revised to refer to listings as set out in the NEMBA.
John Power	28	690		Just be mindful structure wise - this is under NEMBA, but guess it needs its own section..	Noted.
John Power	28	706		permits cancelled before	Amended.
John Power	28	708		hunting of	Amended.
John Power	28	713		Maybe mention the applicable carnivores somewhere - Table mayb? Only those that can cause harm to livestock. Leopard, etc	Provision made for table to be inserted.
John Power	29	719		delete first application -rephrase?	Rephrased.
John Power	29	729		and location	Rephrased.
John Power	29	735		Exceptions are to be hunting of leopard and hyaena, where they may be hunted from a blind at a bait at night	
John Power	30	741-742		Provinces still regulate DCA control, TOPS is just a subset of certain species	Rephrased to make this more clear.
John Power	30	746		trees, crops	Corrected.
John Power	30	751		delete is	Corrected.
John Power	30	763		for poisoning species	Corrected.
John Power	31	770		vehicle with..	Corrected.
John Power	31	782		conserve South Africa's biodiversity - delete biological diversity?	Not amended. Correctly refers to section 9(1) of the Act.
John Power	32	801		comma ? Space?	Corrected.
John Power	32	805-806		Wont be limited to TOPS species, and some of these are on Ordinances as Ordinary species at least - this follows NEMBA not TOPS.. Also there arent any non-vertebrate predators in relation to livestock - unless diseases, and tapeworm?	Reference to non-vertebrates removed.
John Power	33	824		delete and.	Corrected.
John Power	33	825		poisons, lures	Corrected.
John Power	33	827		Lots of conjecture over this, as it is customary for black traditional groups to hunt with dogs, and so too, English farmers in Eastern Cape have been hunting with dogs for over a century.	Noted. This is now commented on.
John Power	35	884		Good idea, but it will have to be under scrutiny/ review	Noted. Revised to include that it would be important to review plan on a regular basis.
John Power	36	889		Biodiversity Management Plan (BMP)	Noted. Corrected to a Biodiversity management plan.
John Power	36	889-891		How did you conclude upon this? This looks opinion still, it wasn't rigorously deduced from any analysis to be whats needed. Good idea ofcourse, but it hasn't gone through the mill	Wording revised.
John Power	36	901		predators escaping	Corrected.
John Power	37	916-917		references - standardized? Year after authors?	Reference standardised according to required format.

John Power	General			The authors should look at a synthesis of all legislation - put into summary, even a Table might be nice - and see what all is covered, in terms of provisions for problem animal management - not other things - just focussed on problem animals - then maybe look at species listings on Ordinances/ TOPS and even CITES - ie. baboons are listed on CITES as App 2 - so only implication is that if a baboon trophy needs export - it needs CITES permit - not really relevant to DCA control, but you get the gist. There is lots of mention of other aspects of legislation - which wastes space, ie. plants, trout fishing etc - know its briefly mentioned, but try focus on only predation related issues.. anyway, just my 2 c worth.	Noted.
Quinette Kruger	10	251		"should afforded protection" should read: "should <u>be</u> afforded protection"	Corrected.
Quinette Kruger	11	281		"does results in" should be "does result in"	Corrected.
Quinette Kruger	12	310		"the owner of manager" should be: "the owner <u>or</u> manager"	Corrected.
Quinette Kruger	14	366		"responsible manner that for the benefit" should be: "responsible manner for the benefit"	Corrected.
Quinette Kruger	27	680-682		Suggestion: Elaborate with an example, perhaps	Corrected.
Quinette Kruger	28	692		Suggestions: change to "establish a national permit system for species" or "establish a permit system nationally for species"	Corrected.
Quinette Kruger	28	702		"must considers factors" should be "must consider factors"	Corrected.
Quinette Kruger	28	708		"hunting or ordinary game" should be "hunting of ordinary game"	Corrected.
Quinette Kruger	30	751		suggestions: change to "emanates from" or "is from"	Corrected.
Quinette Kruger	32	796, 797		Change to "registered businesses, practitioners, <u>the</u> conservation authority"	Corrected.
Quinette Kruger	32	808		"causes substantial loss" should be "cause substantial loss"	Corrected.
Quinette Kruger	33	812		"imminent threat of loss" should be "imminent threat or loss"	Corrected.
Quinette Kruger	33	824		suggestion: use "being hunted by means of luring" rather than "being hunted through luring"	Corrected.
Quinette Kruger	33	834		Suggestion: change to "no guidance as to the training necessary or how"	Corrected.
Quinette Kruger	34	847		change "damage-seeking" to "damage-causing"	Corrected.