

WILDLIFE AND COUNTRYSIDE ACT 1981

LICENCE TO KILL OR TAKE CERTAIN BIRDS, INCLUDING THE TAKING, DAMAGING OR DESTRUCTION OF THEIR NESTS OR THE TAKING OR DESTRUCTION OF THEIR EGGS.

The Secretary of State for the Environment, Transport and the Regions, in exercise of the powers conferred on him by Section 16(1)(d),(i) and (5) of the Wildlife and Countryside Act 1981, after consultation with the Nature Conservancy Council for England and being satisfied that as regards the purpose set out at paragraph 2 of this licence, there is no other satisfactory solution, hereby grants the following licence: -

1. Subject to the terms and conditions below, this licence permits any authorised person to kill, injure in the course of attempting to kill or take any of the wild birds listed in this paragraph, or to take, damage or destroy the nests or eggs of the said birds, for the purposes set out in paragraph 2 below. The wild birds are:-

Crow	<i>Corvus corone</i>
Collared Dove	<i>Streptopelia decaocto</i>
Great Black-backed Gull	<i>Larus marinus</i>
Lesser Black-backed Gull	<i>Larus fuscus</i>
Herring Gull	<i>Larus argentatus</i>
Jackdaw	<i>Corvus monedula</i>
Jay	<i>Garrulus glandarius</i>
Magpie	<i>Pica pica</i>
Feral Pigeon	<i>Columba livia</i>
Rook	<i>Corvus frugilegus</i>
House Sparrow	<i>Passer domesticus</i>
Starling	<i>Sturnus vulgaris</i>
Woodpigeon	<i>Columba palumbus</i>

PURPOSES

2. The purposes for which this licence is granted is protecting any collection of wild birds or preserving public health or public or air safety

TERMS AND CONDITIONS

3. This licence only applies to the killing, injuring in the course of attempting to kill in accordance with his licence, taking, damaging or destroying (as mentioned in paragraph 1 above) by means which are not prohibited by Section 5 of the Act, or the use of a cage trap or net.

4. Any cage trap, used under this licence, must be inspected on at least one occasion in any 24 hour period. If the trap is not in use it must remain locked.

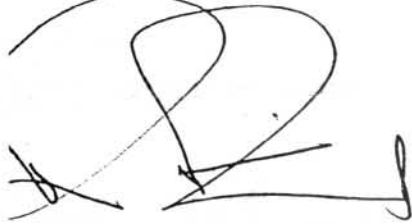
This licence applies to England and is valid, unless previously revoked, for the period from 21 January 1999 to 31 December 1999.

DEFINITION

"Authorised person" has the same meaning as in section 27 of the Wildlife and Countryside Act 1981.

REVOCATION

Licence number WLF 100088 issued on 31 December 1997 is hereby revoked.



M PRITCHARD
Authorised by the Secretary of State
for the Environment, Transport and the Regions
to sign in that behalf

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