

## **R1.01 – Unrestricted Captive Wildlife Species List**

Summary: This set of code changes adds a number of new genera and species to the unrestricted lists.

- A. The following species are exempt from Codes 09.02 (Possession Of Non-Native Wildlife In Captivity Restricted), 09.07 (Wildlife Breeder/Dealer Permit Required), and 09.10 (Wildlife Importation Permit Required):

1. Buffalo (*Bos bison*)
2. House mouse (*Mus musculus*) and Norway rat (*Rattus norvegicus*)
3. Congo peacock (*Arfopavo congensis*)
4. Coturnix quail (*Coturnix* spp.)
5. Emu (*Dromaius novaehollandiae*)
6. European domestic ferret (*Mustela putorius*)
7. Gerbils (Subfamily Gerbillinae)
8. Green peafowl (*Pavo muticus*)
9. Guinea pig (*Cavia porcellus*)
10. Hamster (*Mesocricetus auratus*, *Phodopus campbelli*, *Phodopus sungorus*, *Cricetulusgriseus*, *Phodopus roborovskii*)
11. Indian Peafowl (*Pavo cristatus*)
12. Llama (*Lama glama*)
13. Muscovy duck (*Cairina moschata*)
14. Ringneck dove (*Streptopelia risoria*)
15. Wolf/dog hybrids
16. Sugar glider (*Petaurus breviceps*)
17. Long-tailed chinchilla (*Chinchilla lanigera*)
18. Four-toed hedgehog, African pygmy hedgehog (*Atelerix albiventris*)
19. Bactrian and Dromedary Camels (*Camelus bactrianus* and *Camelus dromedaries*)
20. African Sideneck Turtle (*Pelomedusa subrufa*)
21. Bearded Dragon (*Pogona* spp.)
22. Water Dragon (*Physignathus* spp.)
23. Ball Python (*Python regius*)
24. Blood Python (*Python curtus*)
25. ~~Corn Snake (*Pantherophis guttata*)~~ Reserved
  - This species is included in the genus level evaluation (No. 78 below) and this listing under No. 25 would not be needed and should be removed from this list.
26. Crested Gecko (*Correlophus ciliates*)
27. Fattail Gecko (*Hemixtheconyx caudicinctus*)
28. Gargoyle Gecko (*Rhacodactylus auriculatus*)
29. Leopard Gecko (*Eublepharis macularius*)
30. Tokay Gecko (*Gecko gecko*)
31. Veiled Chameleon (*Chamaeleo calypratus*)

32. Redbelly Shortneck Turtle (*Emydura subglobosa*)
33. African Mud Turtles (Genera *Pelomedusa*, *Pelusios*)
34. Diamond Dove, Bar-shouldered Dove, Barred Dove, Peaceful Dove, Zebra Dove  
(*Geopelia cuneata*, *G. humeralis*, *G. maugaeus*, *G. placida*, *G. striata*)
35. Spotted Dove, Laughing Dove (*Spilopelia chinensis* and *S. senegalensis*)
36. King Quail (Button Quail, Chinese, Painted) and African Blue Quail  
(*Excalfactoria chinensis* and *E. andersonii*)
37. Crested Partridge (*Rollulus rouloul*)
38. Zebra Finch and Double Barred Finch (Owl Finch) (*Taeniopygia guttata* and *T. bichenovii*)
39. Society Finch (*Lonchura striata domestica*)
40. Gouldian Finch and Parrotfinches (*Erythrura gouldiae*, *E. hyperythra*, *E. prasin*,  
*E. viridifacies*, *E. tricolor*, *E. trichroa*, *E. coloria*, *E. papuana*, *E. psittacea*,  
*E. cyaneovirens*, *E. pealii*, *E. regia*, *E. kleinschmidti*)
41. Domestic Canary (*Serinus canaria forma domestica*)
42. Cockatiel (*Nymphicus hollandicus*)
43. Cockatoos: Lesser Sulphur-crested (Yellow-crested) Cockatoo, Sulphur-crested, Umbrella (White), Salmon-crested (Moluccan), Goffin's (*Cacatua sulphurea*, *C. galerita*, *C. alba*, *C. moluccensis*, *C. goffiniana*)
44. Australian Budgerigar (Parakeet) (*Melopsittacus undulates*)
45. Crimson Rosella and Eastern Rosella (*Platycercus elegans*, *P. eximius*)
46. Lovebirds: Peach-faced, Masked, and Fisher's (*Agapornis roseicollis*, *A. personatus*, *A. fisheri*)
47. Green Cheek Conure (*Pyrrhura molinae*)
48. Pacific Parrotlet (*Forpus coelestis*)
49. Cherry-headed Conure and Mitred Conure (*Psittacara erythrogenys*, *P. mitratus*)
50. Blue-crowned Conure (*Thectocercus acuticaudatus*)
51. Brown-throated Conure (*Eupsittula pertinax*)
52. Jenday Conure, Dusky-headed Conure, Nanday Conure (Parakeets)  
(*Aratinga jandaya*, *A. weddellii*, *A. nenday*)
53. Sun Conure (Sun Parakeet) (*Aratinga solstitialis*)
54. Black-headed Parrot, Black-Legged Parrot (Yellow-thighed), Green-thighed Parrot (*Pionites melanocephalus*, *P. xanthomerus*, *P. leucogaster*)
55. Senegal Parrot, Meyer's Parrot, Red-bellied, Parrot, Brown-headed Parrot  
(*Poicephalus senegalus*, *P. meyeri*, *P. rufiventris* and *P. cryptoxanthus*)
56. Blue-headed Parrot, Maximilian's Parrot (Scaly-headed parrot), White-capped Parrot (White-headed Parrot) (*Pionus menstruus*, *P. maximiliani*, *P. seniloides*)
57. Congo African Grey Parrot, Timneh African Grey Parrot (*Psittacus erithacus*, *P. timneh*)

58. Eclectus Parrot (*Eclectus roratus*)
59. Regent Parrot (*Polytelis anthopeplus*)
60. Amazon Parrot: Turquoise-fronted (Blue-fronted), Yellow-headed, Red-crowned (Mexican Red-headed), Lilac-crowned, Orange-winged, Red-lored, Yellow-crowned, Yellow-naped (*Amazona aestiva*, *A. oratrix*, *A. viridigenalis*, *A. finschi*, *A. amazonica*, *A. autumnalis*, *A. ochrocephala*, *A. auropalliata*)
61. Red-shouldered (Hahn's) Macaw (*Diopsittaca nobilis*)
62. Blue-winged (Illiger's) Macaw and Golden-collared Macaw (*Primolius maracana* and *Primolius auricollis*)
63. Ara Macaws: Red and Green (Green-winged) Macaw, Scarlet, Military and Blue and Yellow Macaw (*Ara chloropterus*, *Ara macao*, *Ara militaris*, *Ara ararauna*)

**NOTE: the species listed in Nos. 64-73 were proposed to the Commission at its April 23, 2020, meeting for first reading. Adoption of the proposal to add these species to this list will be requested at the Commission's May 21, 2020 meeting.**

64. Hyacinth Macaw, Lear's (Indigo) Macaw, Glaucous Macaw (*Anodorhynchus hyacinthinus*, *Anodorhynchus leari*, *Anodorhynchus glaucus*)
65. Alligator Lizards (Genus *Abronia*, *Elgaria*, and *Gerrhonotus*)
66. Austral-Asian Aqamid Lizards (Genus *Chlamydosaurus*, *Hydrosaurus*, *Intellagama*, *Pogona*)
67. Caiman Lizards (Genus *Dracaena*)
68. File snakes (Genus *Acrochordus*)
69. Tentacle snake (*Erpeton tentaculatum*)
70. Mata mata (*Chelus fimbriata*)
71. Blue-tongue skinks (Genus *Tiliqua*)
72. Housesnakes (Genus *Lamprophis*)
73. Madagascar hognose snakes (Genus *Leioheterodon*)

**NOTE: the species listed in Nos. 74-87 are being proposed at the Commission's May 21, 2020, meeting for a first reading. Adoption of the proposal to add these species to this list will be requested at the Commission's June 18, 2020, meeting.**

74. Iguanine Lizards (in part) (Genera *Basiliscus*, *Ctenosaura*, *Cyclura*, *Iguana*)

75. Lacertid Lizards (in part) (Genera *Gastropholis*, *Latastia*, *Timon*)
76. Night Lizards (Genera *Lepidophyma*, *Xantusia*)
77. Asian Vinesnakes (Genus *Ahaetulla*)
78. New World Colubrid Snakes (in part) (Genera *Bogertophis*, *Drymarchon*, *Drymobius*, *Lampropeltis*, *Pantherophis*, *Phrynonax*, *Pituophis*, *Pseudelaphe*, *Senticolis*, *Spilotes*) except species native to Arkansas
79. Asian Cat-eyed Snakes (Genus *Boiga*)
80. Egg-eating Snakes (Genus *Dasypeltis*)
81. Eurasian Ratsnakes (Genera *Archelaphe*, *Elaphe*, *Euprepiophis*, *Gonyosoma*, *Oreocryptophis*, *Zamenis*) except species native to Arkansas
82. Hognose & South American Watersnakes (Genera *Heterodon*, *Hydrodynastes*) except species native to Arkansas
83. North American Watersnakes (Genus *Nerodia*) except species native to Arkansas
84. Boa Constrictors (Genus *Boa*)
85. Tortoises (Genera *Agrionemys*, *Aldabrachelys*, *Chelonoidis*, *Centrochelys*, *Geochelone*, *Gopherus*, *Indotestudo*, *Manouria*, *Psuedotestudo*, *Stigmochelys*, *Testudo*)
86. Eublepharine Geckos (in part) (Genera *Coleonyx*, *Eublepharis*, *Goniurosaurus*, *Hemitheconyx*)
87. Tegus (Genus *Salvator*)

B. Additionally, persons may possess and hold captive fish, bullfrogs, mussels, aquatic turtles, alligators, and other aquatic wildlife in compliance with Code Chapters 26.00, 27.00, 29.00, 30.00, 31.00, 32.00, 33.00, 34.00, 35.00, and Addenda

Chapters I1.00, J1.00, and V1.00.

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## Proposed Rule Cover Sheet



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## LEGAL NOTICE

The regular monthly meeting of the Arkansas Game and Fish Commission will be held beginning at 9:00 a.m. Thursday, June 18, 2020, at Marie's Restaurant in Hotel Seville at 302 N Main Street, Harrison AR 72601. At that time, regulations and business pertaining to the operation of the Game and Fish Commission and other fiscal and administrative matters will be considered and acted upon. It is important to note that because of the COVID-19 coronavirus public health emergency and, depending upon public health conditions in our state at that time, social distancing and other public health measures will likely be applicable, and in-person attendance at this meeting may be limited to only Commission members, the Director, representatives of the media, and other individuals necessary to the proceedings as determined by the Commission Chairman and Director. However, the meeting is expected to be live-streamed for viewing by members of the press and the public and a link for easy access will be available on the agency website. Please visit the Arkansas Game and Fish Commission website at <https://www.agfc.com> for additional up-to-date details.

Items on the agenda for the June 18, 2020, meeting will include discussion of proposed regulations that previously were considered at the May 21, 2020 Commission Meeting, plus consideration of various Hunting and Fishing Regulations and regulations pertaining to the Enforcement Division of the Arkansas Game and Fish Commission, including but not limited to:

**Miscellaneous Hunting and Fishing Regulations** – Propose miscellaneous hunting and fishing regulations, including, but are not limited to:

- Change signatory for permit allowing possession of alligators for display or educational purposes to be issued by the Chief of Fisheries.
- Clarify existing Aquatic Turtle Permit Requirements to restrict importation of aquatic turtle species native to the state without a Wildlife Importation Permit.
- Add various bird and reptile species (approximately 14 species) and delete separate listing of Corn Snake to Addendum R1.01 – Unrestricted Captive Wildlife Species List that upon staff review do not appear to be inherently dangerous and pose no significant risk to human health and safety, native fish and wildlife health or populations, agriculture, and can be safely confined in a humane manner.
- Delete separate listing of Boa Constrictor in Addendum R1.02 – Permitted Captive Wildlife Species List and add it to Addendum R1.01 – Unrestricted Captive Wildlife Species List.
- Reduce number of dogs allowed to train at Camp Robinson Special Use Area from 4 to 2 owned by any one owner and, in event of violation, impose suspension of privilege to use the area for a minimum of 6 months.

All persons wishing to be heard on these subjects should submit comments in writing to this office before the start of the June 18, 2020, meeting (preferably by 4:30 p.m. on the day before). Any request to make an oral presentation at the meeting should be submitted in writing to this office on or before June 8, 2020. Copies of any proposed rules or regulations may be obtained at the Arkansas Game and Fish Commission main office, at [www.agfc.com](http://www.agfc.com), or through a written request mailed to the address below.

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