DEPARTMENT of NATURAL RESOURCES and ENVIRONMENT



PERMIT TO TAKE THREATENED FAUNA FOR MANAGEMENT **PURPOSES**

Permit No. TFA 22440

Issued in accordance with Regulation 4 (3) (a) of the Threatened Species Protection Regulations 2016.

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is permitted to take (inadvertently only) Tasmanian Live Bearing Sea Star (Parvulastra vivipara)

accidental destruction or accidental collection. by

in Pipeclay Lagoon

subject to the following conditions

- 1. This permit applys to inadvertant take or disturbance of the named taxa while removing the feral Pacific Oyster (Crassostrea gigas) from Pipeclay Lagoon
- 2. Tasmanian Live Bearing Sea Stars must be immediately released at the site of capture.
- 3. Report signs of disease in animals taken under this permit to the Wildlife Health Officer at the Department of Natural Resources and Environment Tasmania (NRE Tas) on 61654301.
- 4. This permit must be carried while taking the specified wildlife and produced on demand by an authorised officer.
- 5. Persons listed on the attached Schedule are joint permit holders and are also authorised to take and disturb the specified wildlife. This permit is valid only for the duration of the holder's employment with the agency identified on the permit, and the Threatened Species and Private Land Conservation Section, NRE Tas, must be advised of any update or change in listed details.
- Only the permit holders are authorised to take and disturb the specified wildlife. Other persons may 6. assist in disturbing the specified wildlife provided they do so at the direction and under close supervision of one or more permit holders.
- 7. In accordance with the application received by NRE Tas on 1/10/2022 in-situ training covering the following topics must be provided to all participants:
 - how to identify P. vivipara;
 - Likely locations to find *P. vivipara*,
 - how to check oysters/rocks carefully for P. vivipara,
 - safe removal of *P. vivipara* from oyster shells and return to an appropriate adjacent location.
- 8. Death of any specimens should be reported within 7 days to the Threatened Species & Private Land Conservation Section, NRE Tas. Any specimens which have died should be passed to a suitable institution such as the Queen Victoria Museum & Art Gallery or the Tasmanian Museum & Art Gallery, subject to the approval of the Threatened Species & Private Land Conservation Section, NRE Tas.
- 9. Permission must be obtained from land owners and managers prior to entering land to undertake the permitted activities. This permit does not constitute permission to enter land.

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10. Oyster collection and disposal must adhere to those methods outlined on the application for this permit received by NRE Tas and dated 23/09/2022.

This permit is effective from 12/10/2022 and will expire on 11/10/2023	
Animal Ethics Committee Approval No. N/A	AEC Expiry Date
Issued by	Date
Helen Crawford	

Schedule 1

The following people are joint holders of this permit:

Members of Wildcare: Friends of Lumeah Point trained in minimising impacts on Tasmanian Live Bearing Sea Star (*Parvulastra vivipara*) while undertaking pacific oyster removal.