

List 4: National List of Invasive Bird Species

NO.	SPECIES	COMMON NAME	CATEGORY	SCOPE OF EXEMPTION FROM THE PROVISIONS OF SECTION 71(3) / PROHIBITION IN TERMS OF SECTION 71A(1)
1.	<i>Acridotheres cristatellus</i> (Linnaeus, 1758)	Crested mynah	2	
2.	<i>Acridotheres fuscus</i> Wagler, 1827	Jungle mynah	2	
3.	<i>Acridotheres tristis</i> (Linnaeus, 1766)	Indian mynah	3	
4.	<i>Alectoris chukar</i> (J. E. Gray, 1830)	Chukar partridge	2 on mainland. 1b on off-shore islands.	
5.	<i>Anas platyrhynchos</i> (Mallard)	Mallard duck	2	
6.	<i>Carduelis carduelis</i> (Linnaeus, 1758)	European goldfinch	2	
7.	<i>Carduelis chloris</i> (Linnaeus, 1758)	European greenfinch	2	
8.	<i>Carduelis flammea</i> (Linnaeus, 1758)	Common redpoll	2	
9.	<i>Colinus virginianus</i> (Linnaeus, 1758)	Northern bobwhite quail	2	
10.	<i>Columba palumbus</i> Linnaeus, 1758	Common wood-pigeon	2	
11.	<i>Columa livia</i> (Gmelin, 1789)	Rock dove/pigeon	a. 3 b. 2 for all restricted activities relating to racing and showing of pigeons.	<p>Any person undertaking pigeon racing or pigeon showing registered with the relevant industry Association is exempted from requiring a permit for all restricted activities, provided such Association is in possession of a valid permit in terms of the Act or the Alien and Invasive Species Regulation, 2014 for any restricted activity relating to pigeon racing or pigeon showing and provided such person complies with all permit conditions in the relevant Association's permit.</p> <p>The above exemption does not apply to restricted activity "a" in Notice 1: "Importing into the Republic, including introducing from the sea, any specimen of a listed invasive species" and any person engaging in this activity must apply for a permit from the Issuing Authority.</p>
12.	<i>Corvus splendens</i> Vieillot, 1817	Indian house crow	1a	
13.	<i>Dendrocygna eytoni</i> (Eyton, 1838)	Plumed whistling duck	1b	

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14.	<i>Foudia madagascariensis</i> (Linnaeus, 1766)	Madagascar red fody	3	
15.	<i>Fringilla coelebs</i> Linnaeus, 1758	Chaffinch	2	
16.	<i>Molothrus bonariensis</i> (Gmelin, 1789)	Shiny cowbird	3	
17.	<i>Numida meleagris galeata</i> (Pallas, 1767)	West African helmeted guineafowl	3	
18.	<i>Passer domesticus</i> (Linnaeus, 1758)	House sparrow	3	
19.	<i>Psittacula krameri</i> (Scopoli, 1769)	Rose-ringed parakeet	2	<p>Any person undertaking rose-ringed parakeet breeding registered with the relevant industry Association is exempted from requiring a permit for all restricted activities, provided such Association is in possession of a valid permit in terms of the Act or the Alien and Invasive Species Regulation, 2014 for any restricted activity relating to rose-ringed parakeet breeding and provided such person complies with all permit conditions in the relevant Association's permit.</p> <p>The above exemption does not apply to restricted activity "a" in Notice 1: "Importing into the Republic, including introducing from the sea, any specimen of a listed invasive species" and any person engaging in this activity must apply for a permit from the Issuing Authority.</p>
20.	<i>Pycnonotus cafer</i> (Linnaeus, 1766)	Red-vented bulbul	2	
21.	<i>Pycnonotus jocosus</i> (Linnaeus, 1758)	Red-whiskered bulbul	2	
22.	<i>Sicalis flaveola</i> (Linnaeus, 1766)	Saffron finch	2	
23.	<i>Sturnus vulgaris</i> Linnaeus, 1758	Eurasian/Common starling	3	
24.	All hybrids between indigenous and alien (excluding extra-limital) species		1a	