



## 2024 Returns Form (Birds) <sup>1</sup>

This returns form is for use in respect of:

### EU Birds Directive Article 9 Derogations General Declaration

1. **Insert Full Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ [Click or tap here to enter text.](#)

2. **Selecting one option only, state whether you are the:**

- Owner/Occupier of the Property:
- Servant/Agent of the Owner/Occupier of the Property:

3. **State the County where activity took place:** \_\_\_\_\_ [Click or tap here to enter text.](#)

Note: If activity took place in more than one County, please complete a separate returns form.

4. **Enter the number of species affected and tick relevant method in the table below:**

| Species                            | Method of Capture and Killing      | Number captured <i>and</i> killed | Number captured <i>and</i> released | Number killed <i>without</i> capture |
|------------------------------------|------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| <b>Hooded Crow (Corvus corone)</b> | Rifle <input type="checkbox"/>     | Click or tap here to enter text.  | Click or tap here to enter text.    | Click or tap here to enter text.     |
|                                    | Shotgun <input type="checkbox"/>   |                                   |                                     |                                      |
|                                    | Cage Trap <input type="checkbox"/> |                                   |                                     |                                      |
| <b>Magpie (Pica pica)</b>          | Rifle <input type="checkbox"/>     | Click or tap here to enter text.  | Click or tap here to enter text.    | Click or tap here to enter text.     |
|                                    | Shotgun <input type="checkbox"/>   |                                   |                                     |                                      |
|                                    | Cage Trap <input type="checkbox"/> |                                   |                                     |                                      |
| <b>Rook (Corvus frugilegus)</b>    | Rifle <input type="checkbox"/>     | Click or tap here to enter text.  | Click or tap here to enter text.    | Click or tap here to enter text.     |
|                                    | Shotgun <input type="checkbox"/>   |                                   |                                     |                                      |
| <b>Jackdaw (Corvus monedula)</b>   | Rifle <input type="checkbox"/>     | Click or tap here to enter text.  | Click or tap here to enter text.    | Click or tap here to enter text.     |
|                                    | Shotgun <input type="checkbox"/>   |                                   |                                     |                                      |

<sup>1</sup> Returns form can be completed by Landowner or Servant/Agent undertaking actions on behalf of landowner

| Species   | Method of Capture and Killing                                      | Number captured <i>and</i> killed | Number captured <i>and</i> released | Number killed <i>without</i> capture |
|---|--|-----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| <b>Wood Pigeon</b><br>( <i>Columba livia</i> )          | Rifle <input type="checkbox"/>                                     | Click or tap here to enter text.  | Click or tap here to enter text.    | Click or tap here to enter text.     |
|   | Shotgun <input type="checkbox"/>                                   |                                   |                                     |                                      |
| <b>Feral Pigeon</b><br>( <i>Columba livia</i> )         | Rifle <input type="checkbox"/>                                     | Click or tap here to enter text.  | Click or tap here to enter text.    | Click or tap here to enter text.     |
|   | Shotgun <input type="checkbox"/>                                   |                                   |                                     |                                      |
|   | Non-meat based poisoned/ anaesthetic bait <input type="checkbox"/> |                                   |                                     |                                      |
| <b>Collared Dove</b><br>( <i>Streptopelia decacto</i> ) | Rifle <input type="checkbox"/>                                     | Click or tap here to enter text.  | Click or tap here to enter text.    | Click or tap here to enter text.     |
|   | Shotgun <input type="checkbox"/>                                   |                                   |                                     |                                      |
|   | Non-meat based poisoned/ anaesthetic bait <input type="checkbox"/> |                                   |                                     |                                      |

**5. Were actions taken under the Declaration successful in addressing the issue?**

Yes

No

Partially Successful

**6. Outline alternative solutions that were considered?**

Provide details in the box below:

Click or tap here to enter text.

**Signature:** Click or tap here to enter text.

**Date:** Click or tap here to enter text.

**Completed Returns Form to be submitted no later than 31 January 2025**

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