

PERMIT TO LAND ON AND ENTER A SCIENTIFIC RESERVE OR NATURE RESERVE (ISLANDS)

Permit number: NO-04122026-LND

Her Majesty the Queen, acting by and through the Minister of Conservation (the Grantor) GRANTS to the Applicant SARAH POPLAR a Permit under Section 57 of the Reserves Act 1977 for the purpose of landing (the 'Activity') on the Site(s) specified in Schedule 1 of this Permit.

- 1. This permit is to be carried by the expedition leader and produced on demand.
- 2. The applicants will arrange their own transport to and from the reserve and will land only at a recognized landing place.
- 3. The applicants will not take onto the islands any dogs or cats and will take every precaution to prevent the introduction of rats and other vermin onto the islands as a result of their visit. In addition, they will take reasonable steps to detect the presence of such animals during their visit and, if detected, will report forthwith to the Department.
- 4. No fires whatsoever are to be lit. All cooking requirements shall be confined to gas or kerosene stoves.
- 5. The applicants will not take onto the islands any firearms, wax matches or explosives, or substances of a dangerous or noxious character (except those required for cooking.
- 6. The applicants will not destroy, disturb, remove, injure or interfere with any wood, tree, shrub, fern, plant, bird, nest, egg, lizard or insect, notice, equipment or other property on the islands unless they carry a permit to do so.
- 7. The applicants will not carry out any track cutting without Departmental approval and supervision.
- 8. The applicants will not remove from the islands any specimens of rocks, soil, flora and fauna including birds and lizards whether dead or alive without a written permit.
- 9. The permit applicant will neither plant nor sow any plant or seed on the islands nor take onto nor liberate on the islands any animal, bird or insect and ensure that all clothing and personal effects are free from weed seeds landing on the islands.

- 10. The applicants will remove from the island(s) all biodegradable and non-biodegradable rubbish accumulated during their visit.
- 11. If permission is granted to remain on the islands for more than one day the applicants are required to arrange some form of communication to be used in the case of an emergency. It is necessary that this be a radio contact with a shore-based station or the vessel which transported them to the island.
- 12. The Department accepts no responsibility whatsoever in connection with transport, accommodation and safety of the applicants.
- 13. The attention of the applicants is drawn to the provisions of the Animals Protection Act 1960 and the Reserves Act 1977, the regulations made there under and the penalties therein prescribed, and it is stressed that the handling or any disturbance of the wildlife is prohibited without prior permission under the Wildlife Act 1953.
- 14. The Department reserves the right to have a ranger or other officer accompany the applicants for the whole period or for part of the duration of the applicant's visit to the islands.
- 15. The Department requires a written report on the applicant's investigations on the island(s) within one month of the completion of the visit. The applicant must follow the attached guidelines on report writing when writing the report.
- 16. Any breach of any of these conditions will automatically cancel this permit and constitute the applicant's trespassers on the islands.
- 17. The applicants shall provide a written report on any matter relating to this permit if so requested by the Whangarei Operations Manager. This is in addition to the reporting required under Clause 15 hereof.
- 18. The applicants shall comply with the requirements of the Health and Safety at Work Act 2015.

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	a	The party shall consist of:
		Sarah Poplar
	b	Prior to each trip, the applicant must notify the Whangarei Area Office, to arrange a bio-security check before each and every departure.
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