



APPENDIX B

Accreditation of lion hunting ranches in South Africa

SELF ASSESSMENT AND COMMITTEE ASSESSMENT

Name of applicant (landowner/tenant who is a PHASA Member):

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Name and location of lion hunting ranch to be evaluated for accreditation:

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Short description of the main features of the hunting ranch (size, topography, habitat, etc):

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Assessment score:

- 5 = Meets all requirements
- 4 = Meets most of the requirements
- 3 = Will comply if identified shortcomings are rectified
- 2 = Meets some of the requirements
- 1 = Does not meet any of the requirements

NO.	DETAILS	SCORE	REMARKS
A	FACILITIES		
a	Does the size of the hunting area comply with PHASA's requirements?		
b	Is the hunting ranch located at least 1km away from any keeping facility?		
c	Do the manmade structures in the hunting area blend in with the landscape?		
d	Is the natural environment of the hunting area conducive to lion hunting?		
e	Is there sufficient diversity of habitat?		
f	Is there sufficient non-domestic prey?		
g	Is there sufficient water provision?		
Subtotal		/ 35	%



NO.	DETAILS	SCORE	REMARKS
B	MANAGEMENT OF ANIMALS FOR HUNTING		
a	Is the Management Plan of the hunting ranch available and where required approved by the biodiversity authority?		
b	Is there a safety plan in place?		
c	Are the animals to be hunted suitably identified and recorded?		
d	Are measures and procedures in place to ensure that only lions that were subject to minimal human intervention are hunted?		
Subtotal		/ 20	%

NO.	DETAILS	SCORE	REMARKS
C	MANAGEMENT AND ADMINISTRATION		
a	Are the relevant TOPS, CITES and Provincial permits in place and available for inspection?		
b	Do management structures comply with the relevant legislation?		
c	Do the relevant permits (transport, release, and hunting), when compared with the applicant's hunting register, reveal compliance with legislation?		
d	Has any non-compliance against the applicant, a professional hunter or hunting outfitter operating on the ranch been reported to PHASA?		
e	Is adequate in-house training provided for all levels of staff?		
f	Are staff members familiar with the relevant operational and safety procedures?		
Subtotal		/ 30	%



NO.	DETAILS	SCORE	REMARKS
D	MARKETING		
a	Does the marketing material comply with legislative requirements?		
b	Does the context in which lions are displayed in the marketing material reflect a natural hunting area?		
c	Are there any indications of possible "catalogue marketing" or personification of animals used for marketing?		
d	Is the prospective client made aware that he/she will not be hunting a specific lion as may be used in marketing material?		
e	Is it clearly stipulated that a ranch lion will be hunted?		
e	Is it clearly stipulated that it will be a walk and stalk hunt?		
g	Is it stipulated that special arrangements may be made for disabled or elderly hunters?		
h	Is the topography and habitat of the hunting area truthfully described and illustrated?		
i	Is the hunting ranch adequately described and illustrated?		
Subtotal		/45	%

NO.	DETAILS	SCORE	REMARKS
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E	THE HUNT		
a	Is all relevant legislation being complied with?		
b	Is every effort made to provide hunters with a genuine African hunting experience?		
c	Is PHASA's stipulation being implemented that at least 7 days be allocated for the duration of the hunt?		
d	Is there a written contract between the owner/operator and the client in which all relevant aspects of the hunt are stipulated?		
e	Is the client properly briefed about the operational aspects of the hunt?		
f	Do all lion hunts take place according to PHASA's Norms and Standards?		
g	Are emergency procedures explained to the hunter and other members of the hunting party?		
h	Is the owner/operator familiar with the relevant legislation regarding prohibited practices		
i	Are contracted hunting outfitters and professional hunters made aware of PHASA's Norms and Standards for the hunting of large predators?		
j	Are clients offered the opportunity to complete and submit a standard PHASA evaluation questionnaire? (TO BE DRAFTED)		
Subtotal		/50	%

NO.	DETAILS	SCORE	REMARKS
F	DERIVATIVES		
a	Are statutory requirements being complied with?		
b	Is harvesting done transparently according to PHASA's Norms and Standards?		
c	Are accurate records kept of all transactions?		
Subtotal		/15	%



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NO.	DETAILS	SCORE	REMARKS
G	PHASA MEMBERSHIP		
a	Is the owner/operator a PHASA member in good standing?		
b	Has the application and accreditation fee been paid?		
Subtotal		/10	%

NO	SCORE	PERCENTAGE
A		%
B		%
C		%
D		%
E		%
F		%
G		%
TOTAL		%

Additional inputs considered:

- The Professional Hunter's assessment report of the on-site hunt (to be attached).
- PHASA feedback/comments on applicant and application.

Person / Committee Members responsible for assessment:

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| 3. | 4. |
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Average total %:

DETAILS	SCORE	REMARKS	
ACCREDITATION			
Compliance with the requirements of the PHASA Norms and Standards for the hunting of Ranch lions.	%	Approved	Approved with conditions
		Not approved	

Remarks and recommendations:

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Applicant / Chair: Assessment Committee

Date