

Factsheet 2: Chain of responsibility

Responsibility	Body	Activities
Kangaroo management and sustainability	State governments	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Develop and enforce kangaroo management programs and plans to ensure kangaroo populations remain viable • Conduct regular population monitoring through aerial surveys, ground counts • Set annual harvest quotas to safeguard against overharvesting based on population estimates • Put in place regulatory controls including harvest times, places, species, shooter and dealer licensing, number and location of dealer sites, possession licensing, total quotas and permits, and tagging
	Australian Government	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Approve kangaroo management plans under the Wildlife Protection (Regulation of Exports and Imports) Act 1982
Commercial harvest	AgriFutures Australia	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Develop and review <i>The National Code of Practice for the Humane Shooting of Kangaroos and Wallabies for Commercial Purposes</i>
	State governments	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Law enforcement
	Kangaroo Industries Association of Australia	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Conduct the commercial harvest in compliance with state legislation and the Code • Tagging and tracking • Meat and skin processing • Monitoring and reporting • Advocacy to reduce illegal shooting
Export of kangaroo meat and hides	Australian Government	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Regulation and control of the export of all wildlife and wildlife products under the provisions of the WP(REI) Act administered by Environment Australia (Biodiversity Group) • Market access