



GAME COUNCIL

New South Wales

CONSERVATION HUNTING

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Looking for Somewhere to Hunt?

More than 460 State Forests in NSW are open for Conservation Hunting to persons holding the R-Licence issued by the NSW Game Council.

More than 20,000 game and feral animals have been removed from these areas since September, 2004 – including deer, pigs, goats, and foxes.

To obtain an R-Licence for Rifle and Shotgun, a person must:

- Hold a **Category A B Firearms Licence** issued in any State or Territory.
- Be a member of an **Approved Hunting Organisation (AHO)**.
 - *SSAA (Sunshine Coast Branch) is an AHO*
- Study the '*NSW Hunter Education Handbook*' and pass an **open-book test**.
 - *The fee for the test is \$50 – accreditation is for life*
- Apply for an R-Licence - attach the test certificate, and pay the licence fee.
 - *The fee for the R-Licence is \$60 per year (\$40 for a concession holder)*

To enroll to take the test, please obtain the '**Enrolment Guide 2009**' from:

- **Top Notch Business Services – 5494 3677** office hours (Karen), or
- By download from www.ssaasunshinecoast.org.au

The '*NSW Hunter Education Handbook*' in **book form** may be obtained for **\$28 posted**, or in **PDF-format** on a **CD** for **\$5 posted** – an **order form** may be found on the Game Council web site at: www.gamecouncil.nsw.gov.au