



Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation (Stricter Domestic Measures— Panthera Leo (African Lion)) Declaration 2025

I, Tanya Plibersek, Minister for the Environment and Water, make the following Declaration.

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1 Name

This instrument is the *Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation (Stricter Domestic Measures—Panthera Leo (African Lion)) Declaration 2025*.

2 Commencement

This instrument commences on the day after it is registered.

3 Authority

This instrument is made under subsection 303CB(1) of the *Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999* and subsection 33(3) of the *Acts Interpretation Act 1901*.

4 Definitions

In this instrument:

Act means the *Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999*.

CITES means the Convention on International Trade in Endangered Species of Wild Fauna and Flora made at Washington on 3 March 1973, as amended and in force for Australia from time to time.

5 Modification of List of CITES Species

The list of CITES species established under subsection 303CA(1) of the Act has effect as if the species *Panthera leo* (African Lion) included in Appendix II to CITES is included in Appendix I to CITES.

6 Repeal

Each instrument that is specified in a Schedule to this instrument is repealed as set out in the applicable items in the Schedule concerned.

Schedule 1—Repeals

List of CITES Species - Declaration of a stricter domestic measure in accordance with section 303CB

1 The whole of the instrument

Repeal the instrument.
