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**Senator Rhiannon, Lee asked:**

How many export permits currently exist for each of the three general categories of kangaroo export products?

**Answer:**

As at 2 November 2016 there were 40 current wildlife trade permits issued by the Department of the Environment and Energy for the export of kangaroo meat and skins, comprising:

- 17 permits issued for the export of skins only
- 14 permits issued for the export of meat and meat products only (for which the end use is not specified and may include human consumption)
- 2 permits issued for the export of meat and meat products intended as pet food
- 6 permits issued for the export of both meat and meat products (unspecified end-use) and skins
- 1 permit issued for the export of meat (unspecified end-use) and meat products intended as pet food.