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Emperor—Aptenodytes forsteri.
Gentoo—Pygoscelis papua.
King—Aptenodytes patagonicus.
Macaroni—Eudyptes chrysolophus.
Rockhopper—Eudyptes chrysocome.

Petrel
Antarctic—Thalassoica antarctica.
Black-bellied Storm—Fregata tropica.
Gray—Procellaria cinerea.
Great-winged—Pterodroma macroptera.
Kerguelen—Pterodroma brevirostris.
Mottled—Pterodroma inexpectata.
Snow—Papuodroma nivea.
Soft-plumaged—Pterodroma mollis.
South-Georgia Diving—Pelecanoides geogicus.
White-bellied Storm—Fregatta grallaria.
White-chinned—Procellaria aequinoctialis.
White-headed—Pterodroma lessoni.
Wilson’s Storm—Oceanites oceanicus.

Pigeon
Cape—Daption capense.

Pintail
South American Yellow-billed—Anas georgica spinicauda.

Prion
Antarctic—Pachyptila desolata.
Narrow-billed—Pachyptila belcheri.

Shag
Blue-eyed—Phalacrocorax atriceps.

Shearwater
Sooty—Puffinus griseus.

Skua
Brown—Catharacta lomnbergi.
South Polar—Catharacta maccormicki.

Swallow
Barn—Hirundo rustica.

Sheathbill
American—Chionis alba.

Tern
Antarctic—Sterna vittata.
Arctic—Sterna paradisaea.

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Subpart E—Specially Protected Species of Mammals, Birds, and Plants

§ 670.23 Specific issuance criteria.

Permits authorizing the taking of mammals, birds, or plants designated as a Specially Protected Species of mammals, birds, and plants in § 670.25 may only be issued if:

(a) There is a compelling scientific purpose for such taking;
(b) The actions allowed under any such permit will not jeopardize the existing natural ecological system, or the survival of the affected species or population;
(c) The taking involves non-lethal techniques, where appropriate; and
(d) The authorized taking, transporting, carrying or shipping will be carried out in a humane manner.

§ 670.24 Content of permit applications.

In addition to the information required in subpart C of this part, an applicant seeking a permit to take a Specially Protected Species shall include the following in the application:

(a) A detailed scientific justification of the need for taking the Specially Protected Species, including a discussion of possible alternative species;
(b) Information demonstrating that the proposed action will not jeopardize the existing natural ecological system or the survival of the affected species or population; and
(c) Information establishing that the taking, transporting, carrying, or shipping of any native bird or native mammal will be carried out in a humane manner.

§ 670.25 Designation of specially protected species of native mammals, birds, and plants.

The following species has been designated as Specially Protected Species by the Antarctic Treaty Parties and is hereby designated Specially Protected Species:

Lichens
Marine algae
Vascular Plants