Licence Annex B: Provisions relating to licensed actions within the cull area, including on or around Special Areas of Conservation (SACs), Special Protection Areas (SPAs), Sites of Special Scientific Interest (SSSIs), and/or Ramsar sites within the county of Cornwall

Notes W, Y and Z to this Annex must be considered on any land where operations permitted under this licence are proposed or are undertaken.

Notes A and B apply only on and/or around Protected Sites and only in respect to Protected Sites where these Notes are cited in the 'Licence Condition' column of the table below for that site.

SSSI name	European Designated Site	Licence condition
	name (where applicable)	
Aire Point to Carrick Du		All vehicles must be restricted to existing tracks. Limit location of traps to existing sett footprint. No access to nor any licensed activities on mine spoil. Except on existing tracks, no vehicle use nor placing traps alongside any watercourses or waterbodies, nor within any wet area, fen, bog or mire.
Amble Marshes		Exclude SSSI. The licensee must assist Natural England with the gathering of information on fox control taking place on, and in the vicinity of, this SSSI (see Notes A and B).
Baulk Head to Mullion	The Lizard SAC	No licensed activities from 1st March to 31st August to avoid bird breeding season. All vehicles must be restricted to existing tracks. Limit location of traps to existing sett footprint. Except on existing tracks, no vehicle use nor placing traps alongside any watercourses or waterbodies, nor within any wet area, fen, bog or mire. The licensee must assist Natural England with the gathering of information on fox control taking place on, and in the vicinity of, this SSSI (see Notes A and B).
Bedruthan Steps and Park Head		All vehicles must be restricted to existing tracks. Limit location of traps to existing sett footprint. Avoid placing traps alongside watercourses or
		pools and not within wet areas, fens, bogs and mires.
Boconnoc Park & Woods		All vehicles must be restricted to existing tracks. No digging in traps around roots of mature trees.
Bodmin Moor, North	River Camel SAC, Crowdy Marsh SAC	No licensed activities from 1st March to 31st August to avoid bird breeding season. All vehicles must be restricted to existing tracks. Limit location of traps to existing sett footprint. No use of any cage trap within 100m of any watercourse and avoid placing any cage trap in any marshy, reed- bed, riparian or other type of wet habitat. Do not dig in any cage traps for one hour either side (i.e. 2 hours) of sunset and sunrise [Note. the setting open of traps to catch during these periods is permitted]. Do not use any fish-based bait. The licensee must assist Natural England with the gathering of information on fox control taking place on, and in the vicinity of, this SSSI (see Notes A and B).

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		traps to existing sett footprint. No access to nor
		activities within any intertidal or saltmarsh habitat.
Carrine Common	Fal and Helford SAC	All vehicles must be restricted to existing tracks.
& Penwethers		Limit location of traps to existing sett footprint.
		Except on existing tracks, no vehicle use nor placing
		traps alongside any watercourses or waterbodies,
		nor within any wet area, fen, bog or mire. No
		access to nor activities within any intertidal or
		saltmarsh habitat.
Chyenhal Moor		All vehicles must be restricted to existing tracks.
		Limit location of traps to existing sett footprint.
Clicker Tor Quarry		No additional conditions imposed.
Cligga Head		All vehicles must be restricted to existing tracks.
		Limit location of traps to existing sett footprint.
Coombe Mill		Exclude SSSI.
Coverack Cove		No additional conditions imposed.
and Dolor Point		
Coverack to	The Lizard SAC	All vehicles must be restricted to existing tracks.
Porthoustock		Limit location of traps to existing sett footprint. No
		vehicle access in locations of trackway rarities
		(Refer to Cornwall Local Team for advice).
Crocadon Quarry		No additional conditions imposed.
Crowhill Valley		All vehicles must be restricted to existing tracks.
		Limit location of traps to existing sett footprint.
Crow's Nest	Phoenix United Mine & Crow's Nest SAC	No additional conditions imposed.
Cuckoo Rock to		No additional conditions imposed.
Turbot Point		
Cudden Point to		No additional conditions imposed.
Prussia Cove		
De Lank Quarries		No additional conditions imposed.
Dozmary Pool		All vehicles must be restricted to existing tracks.
		Limit location of traps to existing sett footprint.
Draynes Wood		All vehicles must be restricted to existing tracks.
		Limit location of traps to existing sett footprint. No
		digging in traps around roots of trees
Duckpool to		No additional conditions imposed.
Furzey Cove		
East Lizard	The Lizard SAC	All vehicles must be restricted to existing tracks.
Heathlands		Limit location of traps to existing sett footprint. No
		vehicle access in locations of trackway rarities
		(Refer to Cornwall Local Team for advice).
Eglarooze Cliff		All vehicles must be restricted to existing tracks.
		Limit location of traps to existing sett footprint.
Folly Rocks		No additional conditions imposed.
Gerrans Bay to	Fal and Helford SAC	No licensed activities from 1st March to 31st
Camels Cove		August to avoid bird breeding season. All vehicles
		must be restricted to existing tracks. Limit location
		of traps to existing sett footprint. No access to nor
		activities within any intertidal or saltmarsh habitat.
		The licensee must assist Natural England with the
		gathering of information on fox control taking place

		on, and in the vicinity of, this SSSI (see Notes A and B).
Godrevy Head to St Agnes	Godrevy Head to St Agnes SAC	No licensed activities from 1st March to 31st August to avoid bird breeding season. All vehicles must be restricted to existing tracks. Limit location of traps to existing sett footprint. No licensed activities in nor immediately adjacent to any intertidal habitat. The licensee must assist Natural England with the gathering of information on fox control taking place on, and in the vicinity of, this SSSI (see Notes A and B).
Goonhilly Downs	The Lizard SAC	All vehicles must be restricted to existing tracks. Limit location of traps to existing sett footprint. No vehicle access in locations of trackway rarities (Refer to Cornwall Local Team for advice).
Great Wheal Fortune		No additional conditions imposed.
Greenamoor		All vehicles must be restricted to existing tracks. Except on existing tracks, no vehicle use nor placing traps alongside any watercourses or waterbodies, nor within any wet area, fen, bog or mire.
Greenscoombe Wood , Luckett		All vehicles must be restricted to existing tracks. Limit location of traps to existing sett footprint.
Greystone Quarry		No additional conditions imposed.
Grimscott		All vehicles must be restricted to existing tracks. Except on existing tracks, no vehicle use nor placing traps alongside any watercourses or waterbodies, nor within any wet area, fen, bog or mire.
Gwithian to Mexico Towans		All vehicles must be restricted to existing tracks. Limit location of traps to existing sett footprint.
Harbour Cove Hawkstor Pit		No additional conditions imposed. No additional conditions imposed.
Hayle Estuary & Carrack Gladden		No licensed activities from 1st September to 31st March. All vehicles must be restricted to existing tracks. Limit location of traps to existing sett footprint. Except on existing tracks, no vehicle use nor placing traps alongside any watercourses or waterbodies, nor within any wet area, fen, bog or mire. No access to nor activities within any intertidal or saltmarsh habitat.
Hingston Down Quarry & Consols		No additional conditions imposed.
Kelsey Head		No licensed activities from 1st March to 31st August to avoid bird breeding season. All vehicles must be restricted to existing tracks. Limit location of traps to existing sett footprint. The licensee must assist Natural England with the gathering of information on fox control taking place on, and in the vicinity of, this SSSI (see Notes A and B).
Kennack to Coverack	The Lizard SAC	All vehicles must be restricted to existing tracks. Limit location of traps to existing sett footprint. No

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		vehicle access in locations of trackway rarities (Refer to Cornwall Local Team for advice).
Kernick and		All vehicles must be restricted to existing tracks.
Ottery Meadows		Except on existing tracks, no vehicle use nor placing
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		traps alongside any watercourses or waterbodies,
Kingford For		nor within any wet area, fen, bog or mire.
Kingford Fen		All vehicles must be restricted to existing tracks.
		Limit location of traps to existing sett footprint or areas of scrub.
Kinggood to		
Kingsand to		No additional conditions imposed.
Sandway Point Lidcott Mine		No additional conditions imposed.
Loe Pool		No licensed activities from 1st September to 31st
		March in, immediately adjacent to, nor across any
		large waterbody nor intertidal habitat. All vehicles
		must be restricted to existing tracks. Limit location
		of traps to existing sett footprint.
Loggans Moor		All vehicles must be restricted to existing tracks.
		Limit location of traps to existing sett footprint or
Lauran Dalatara		areas of scrub.
Lower Bostraze	Lower Bostraze &	All vehicles must be restricted to existing tracks.
and Leswidden	Leswidden SAC	Limit location of traps to existing sett footprint or
		areas of scrub.
Lower Fal &	Fal and Helford SAC	No access to nor activities within any intertidal or
Helford Intertidal		saltmarsh habitat. All vehicles must be restricted
		to existing tracks.
Luxulyan Quarry		No additional conditions imposed.
Lymsworthy		All vehicles must be restricted to existing tracks.
Meadows		Except on existing tracks, no vehicle use nor placing
		traps alongside any watercourses or waterbodies,
		nor within any wet area, fen, bog or mire.
Lynher Estuary	Plymouth Sound &	All vehicles must be restricted to existing tracks. No
	Estuaries SAC, Tamar	access to nor activities within any intertidal or
	Estuaries Complex SPA	saltmarsh habitat.
		Except for vehicle use on existing roads and tracks,
		during the period from 1st September to 31st
		March, no licensed activities within 200 metres of
		any intertidal, saltmarsh, reed-bed or grazing
		marsh habitats. Exclude the littoral sediment and
		supralittoral sediment and shingle zones. Limit
		location of traps to existing sett footprint.
Malpas Estuary	Fal and Helford SAC	No licensed activities from 1st March to 31st
		August to avoid bird breeding season. No licensed
		activities from 1st September to 31st March in any
		intertidal, fen, reed bed and grazing marsh
		habitats. Except on existing tracks, no vehicle use
		nor placing traps alongside any watercourses or
		waterbodies, nor within any wet area, fen, bog or
		mire. All vehicles must be restricted to existing
		tracks. No access to nor activities within any
		intertidal or saltmarsh habitat. Limit location of
		traps to existing sett footprint or/ and areas of

		Rhododendron, Cherry Laurel scrub or conifer
		plantation.
Marazion Marsh	Marazion Marsh SPA	No licensed activities from 1st March to 31st
		August to avoid bird breeding season. Except on
		existing tracks, no vehicle use nor placing traps
		alongside any watercourses or waterbodies, nor
Marsland to	Tintagel-Marsland-Clovelly	within any wet area, fen, bog or mire. No licensed activities from 1st March to 31st
Clovelly Coast	Coast SAC	August to avoid bird breeding season. All vehicles
clovelly coast	Coust SAC	must be restricted to existing tracks. Limit location
		of traps to existing sett footprint. No digging in
		traps around roots of mature trees. Avoid
		woodland areas. The licensee must assist Natural
		England with the gathering of information on fox
		control taking place on, and in the vicinity of, this
		SSSI (see Notes A and B).
Meddon Moor		All vehicles must be restricted to existing tracks.
		Limit location of traps to existing sett footprint.
Meneage Coastal		No additional conditions imposed.
Section Merthen Wood		All vahiolog muct be restricted to evicting tracks
werthen wood		All vehicles must be restricted to existing tracks.
		Limit location of traps to existing sett footprint or/ and areas of Rhododendron, Cherry Laurel scrub or
		conifer plantation.
Mid Cornwall	Breney Common and Goss	No licensed activities in wet woodland areas from
Moors	and Tregoss Moors SAC	1st March to 31st August. All vehicles must be
		restricted to existing tracks. Limit location of traps
		to existing sett footprint.
Minster Church		Exclude SSSI.
Mulberry Downs		No additional conditions imposed.
Quarry		
Mullion Cliff to	The Lizard SAC	All vehicles must be restricted to existing tracks.
Predannack Cliff		Limit location of traps to existing sett footprint. No
		vehicle access in locations of trackway rarities
		(Refer to Cornwall Local Team for advice).
Nance Wood		All vehicles must be restricted to existing tracks.
		Limit location of traps to existing sett footprint or/
		and areas of Rhododendron, Cherry Laurel scrub or
		conifer plantation.
Newlyn Downs	Newlyn Downs SAC	All vehicles must be restricted to existing tracks.
		Limit location of traps to existing sett footprint.
		Except on existing tracks, no vehicle use nor placing
		traps alongside any watercourses or waterbodies, nor within any wet area, fen, bog or mire.
Ottery Valley		All vehicles must be restricted to existing tracks.
Stery valley		Except on existing tracks, no vehicle use nor placing
		traps alongside any watercourses or waterbodies,
		nor within any wet area, fen, bog or mire.
Park Wood		All vehicles must be restricted to existing tracks.
		Limit location of traps to existing sett footprint or
		areas of rhododendron or conifer plantation.
Penberthy Croft		No access to nor any licensed activities on mine
Mine		spoil.

Penhale Dunes	Penhale Dunes SAC	All vehicles must be restricted to existing tracks. Limit location of traps to existing sett footprint or
		areas of woodland. No access to nor activities within any dune slack habitat.
Penlee Point		No additional conditions imposed.
Penlee Quarry		No additional conditions imposed.
Pentire Peninsula		No licensed activities from 1st March to 31st
Pentile Penilisula		August to avoid bird breeding season. The licensee
		must assist Natural England with the gathering of
		information on fox control taking place on, and in
		the vicinity of, this SSSI (see Notes A and B).
Phoenix United	Phoenix United Mine &	No additional conditions imposed.
Mine	Crow's Nest SAC	
Plymouth Sound	Plymouth Sound &	All vehicles must be restricted to existing tracks. No
Shores and Cliffs	Estuaries SAC	access to nor activities within any intertidal or
		saltmarsh habitat.
Polruan to	Polruan to Polperro SAC	All vehicles must be restricted to existing tracks.
Polperro		Limit location of traps to existing sett footprint.
Polyne Quarry		No additional conditions imposed.
Polyphant		No additional conditions imposed.
Porthcew		No additional conditions imposed.
Porthgwarra to		No licensed activities from 1st March to 31st
Pordenack Point		August to avoid bird breeding season. All vehicles
		must be restricted to existing tracks. Limit location
		of traps to existing sett footprint.
Porthleven Cliffs		All vehicles must be restricted to existing tracks.
		Limit location of traps to existing sett footprint.
Porthleven Cliffs		No additional conditions imposed.
East Rame Head &	Dhum outh Cound 9	All vehicles revet he restricted to evicting two days. No
Whitsand Bay	Plymouth Sound & Estuaries SAC	All vehicles must be restricted to existing tracks. No access to nor activities within any intertidal or
Willisallu Day	Estuaries SAC	saltmarsh habitat.
Redlake		All vehicles must be restricted to existing tracks.
Meadows &		Limit location of traps to existing sett footprint.
Hoggs Moor		
River Camel	River Camel SAC	All vehicles must be restricted to existing tracks.
Valley and		Limit location of traps to existing sett footprint. No
Tributaries		use of any cage trap within 100m of any
		watercourse and avoid placing any cage trap in any
		marshy, reed-bed, riparian or other type of wet
		habitat. Do not dig in any cage traps for one hour
		either side (i.e. 2 hours) of sunset and sunrise
		[Note. the setting open of traps to catch during
		these periods is permitted]. Do not use any fish-
		based bait.
Roche Rock		No additional conditions imposed.
Rock Dunes		No additional conditions imposed.
Rosemullion	Fal and Helford SAC	No access to nor activities within any intertidal or
		saltmarsh habitat. All vehicles must be restricted to
		existing tracks. Limit location of traps to existing
		sett footprint.

Rosenannon Bog		All vehicles must be restricted to existing tracks.
and Downs		Limit location of traps to existing sett footprint.
Rosenun Lane		No additional conditions imposed.
South Terras		No additional conditions imposed.
Mine		
St John's Lake	Plymouth Sound & Estuaries SAC, Tamar Estuaries Complex SPA	All vehicles must be restricted to existing tracks. No access to nor activities within any intertidal or saltmarsh habitat. Except for vehicle use on existing roads and tracks, during the period from 1st September to 31st
		March, no licensed activities within 200 metres of any intertidal, saltmarsh, reed-bed or grazing marsh habitats. Limit location of traps to existing sett footprint.
St Nectan's Glen		All vehicles must be restricted to existing tracks.
St Neclan's Glen		Limit location of traps to existing sett footprint.
St. Agnes Beacon		All vehicles must be restricted to existing tracks or
Pits		floor of sand pit. No digging or disturbance to the
		soft sand / clay sediments, even if these are
		currently vegetated.
St. Austell Clay Pits	St. Austell Clay Pits SAC	No additional conditions imposed.
St. Erth Sand Pits		All vehicles must be restricted to existing tracks or
		floor of quarry. No digging or disturbance to marine
		sediments, even if these are currently vegetated.
St. Mewan Beacon		No additional conditions imposed.
St. Michael's		No additional conditions imposed.
Mount		
Steeple Point to	Tintagel-Marsland-Clovelly	No licensed activities from 1st March to 31st
Marsland Mouth	Coast SAC	August on to avoid bird breeding season. All
		vehicles must be restricted to existing surfaced
		tracks. Limit location of traps to existing sett
Stoppor Doint		footprint. Avoid woodland areas. No additional conditions imposed.
Stepper Point		•
Stourscombe		No additional conditions imposed.
Quarry Swanpool		Except on existing tracks, no vehicle use nor placing
		traps alongside any watercourses or waterbodies,
		nor within any wet area, fen, bog or mire. All
		vehicles must be restricted to existing tracks. Limit
		location of traps to existing sett footprint or/ and
		areas of Rhododendron, Cherry Laurel scrub or
Culuiala Marcula		conifer plantation.
Sylvia's Meadow		All vehicles must be restricted to existing tracks. Limit location of traps to existing sett footprint.
Talland Barton		No additional conditions imposed.
Farm		
Tamar - Tavy	Plymouth Sound &	All vehicles must be restricted to existing tracks. No
Estuary	Estuaries SAC, Tamar	access to nor activities within any intertidal or
,	Estuaries Complex SPA	saltmarsh habitat.
		Except for vehicle use on existing roads and tracks,
		during the period from 1st September to 31st

		March, no licensed activities within 200 metres of
		any intertidal, saltmarsh, reed-bed or grazing marsh habitats. Limit location of traps to existing
		sett footprint.
Tater-Du		No additional conditions imposed
Tintagel Cliffs	Tintagel-Marsland-Clovelly	No licensed activities from 1st March to 31st
	Coast SAC	August to avoid bird breeding season. All vehicles must be restricted to existing tracks. Limit location of traps to existing sett footprint. The licensee must
		assist Natural England with the gathering of information on fox control taking place on, and in the vicinity of, this SSSI (see Notes A and B).
Trebetherick		All vehicles must be restricted to existing tracks.
Point		Limit location of traps to existing sett footprint.
Treen Cliff		All vehicles must be restricted to existing tracks.
		Limit location of traps to existing sett footprint.
Tregargus Quarries		No additional conditions imposed.
Tregonning Hill	Tregonning Hill SAC	All vehicles must be restricted to existing tracks.
		Limit location of traps to existing sett footprint.
Trehane Barton		No licensed activities from 15th April to 15th October.
Trelavour Downs		No additional conditions imposed.
Trelow Downs		All vehicles must be restricted to existing tracks.
		Limit location of traps to existing sett footprint.
Tremearne Par		No additional conditions imposed
Trevaunance Cove		No additional conditions imposed.
Trevone Bay		No additional conditions imposed.
, Trevose Head		All vehicles must be restricted to existing tracks.
and Constantine Bay		Limit location of traps to existing sett footprint.
Upper Fal	Fal and Helford SAC	No licensed activities from 1st March to 31st
Estuary and		August to avoid bird breeding season. No licensed
Woods		activities from 1st September to 31st March in any
		intertidal, fen, reed bed and grazing marsh
		habitats. No access to nor activities within any
		intertidal or saltmarsh habitat. All vehicles must be
		restricted to existing tracks. Limit location of traps
		to existing sett footprint or/ and areas of Rhododendron, Cherry Laurel scrub or conifer
		plantation.
Upper Fowey		No licensed activities from 1st March to 31st
Valley		August to avoid bird breeding season. All vehicles
		must be restricted to existing tracks. Limit location
		of traps to existing sett footprint or areas of scrub. Avoid placing traps alongside watercourses or
		pools and not within wet areas, fens, bogs and
		mires. The licensee must assist Natural England
		with the gathering of information on fox control taking place on, and in the vicinity of, this SSSI (see
		Notes A and B).

Ventongimps		All vehicles must be restricted to existing tracks.
Moor		Except on existing tracks, no vehicle use nor placing
		traps alongside any watercourses or waterbodies,
		nor within any wet area, fen, bog or mire. Limit
		location of traps to existing sett footprint.
Viverdon Quarry		No additional conditions imposed.
West Cornwall		All vehicles must be restricted to existing tracks.
Bryophytes		Limit location of traps to existing sett footprint.
West Lizard	The Lizard SAC	All vehicles must be restricted to existing tracks.
		Limit location of traps to existing sett footprint. No
		vehicle access in locations of trackway rarities
		(Refer to Cornwall Local Team for advice).
Wheal Alfred		No access to nor any licensed activities on mine
		spoil.
Wheal Gorland		No access to nor any licensed activities on mine
		spoil.
Wheal Martyn		No additional conditions imposed.
Wheal Penrose		No access to nor any licensed activities on mine
		spoil.
Yeolmbridge		No additional conditions imposed.
Quarry		

Notes to Annex B

General note on interpretation

Protected sites that are listed above are not necessarily part of any active operations. Active operations can and will only occur on protected sites where landowner/occupier permission has been granted.

Within the licence conditions, use of the word 'avoid' denotes a prohibition, i.e. it indicates that an area must be excluded from relevant activities or that activities must not be undertaken during the time period stated or in the manner described. Similarly, the word 'restrict' means that activities must be confined to the areas or time periods stated.

For further details on each protected site and its notified features of special interest and/or European Site qualifying features please enter the site name into the following link: <u>https://designatedsites.naturalengland.org.uk/SiteSearch.aspx</u>.

Individual notes

Note A

Natural England will inform the licensee from time to time of the information it requires. This is likely to focus on whether fox control is routinely undertaken on the relevant site and/or on areas of participating land within a few kilometres of the site. The licensee is expected to use reasonable endeavours to assist Natural England with the gathering of this information.

Note B

Natural England may form the judgment that measures should be introduced to secure the protection of species associated with this site, such as fox control, anti-predator fencing, habitat management, or buffer zones in which badger control is not undertaken. Such measures may be secured through cooperation

between licensees, landowners, occupiers, and/or public bodies. If it considers it necessary to do so, Natural England may: exercise its powers under sections 28J-K of the Wildlife and Countryside Act 1981 or regulation 20 of the Conservation of Habitats and Species Regulations 2017; and/or revoke and re-issue this licence with revised terms (provided that such terms will be reasonable and proportionate in all of the circumstances).

Note W

European protected species are listed in Schedule 2 (animals) and Schedule 5 (plants) of the Conservation of Habitats and Species Regulations 2017. Nationally protected species are listed in Schedule 5 (animals) and Schedule 8 (plants) of the Wildlife and Countryside Act 1981 (as amended). Under these laws (regulations 43 and 47 of the 2017 Regulations and sections 9 and 13 of the 1981 Act), it can be an offence to:

- deliberately capture, injure or kill any wild animal of a European protected species
- intentionally kill, injure or take a nationally protected wild animal
- deliberately disturb wild animals of any European protected species
- intentionally or recklessly damage or destroy any structure or place which a nationally protected animal uses for shelter or protection, disturb such an animal while it is occupying such a structure or place, or obstruct access to any such structure or place
- damage or destroy a breeding site or resting place of any wild animal of a European protected species
- deliberately take or destroy the eggs of any wild animal of a European protected species
- deliberately pick, collect, cut, uproot or destroy a wild plant of a European protected species
- intentionally pick, uproot or destroy any nationally protected wild plant

Great crested newt, otter, dormouse, and sand lizard are European and nationally protected species.

Note Y

All birds, their eggs and nests (while in use or under construction) are protected under the Wildlife and Countryside Act 1981. This licence does not allow you to take or destroy such nests. Birds species listed under Schedule 1 of that Act have additional legal protection so care must be taken to avoid their disturbance during the breeding season.

Note Z

All bats and their roosts (even when not occupied by bats) are protected by the Wildlife and Countryside Act 1981 and by The Conservation of Habitats and Species Regulations 2017. This licence does not allow you to enter or obstruct any bat roost, nor to disturb any bat whilst it is occupying a roost. Care must be taken to avoid sustained human presence near, or artificial illumination of cracks and cavities in trees and man-made structures, and of any mounted boxes.