

Uploading of bird species accounts contained in the 2015 Eskom Red Data Book of Birds of South Africa, Lesotho and Swaziland to the <http://www.sanbi.org/information> website

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1) Development of data sharing agreement 2) Portal development - The creation of an additional portal on the <http://www.sanbi.org/information> website titled "Red List of South African Birds". This will be modelled on the "Red List of South African Plants" section currently on the SANBI website. 3) Population of portal - 134 species accounts contained in the 2015 Eskom Red Data Book of Birds of South Africa, Lesotho and Swaziland will be uploaded to the SANBI website. This will include the provision of maps contained in the recent publication. 4) Portal management protocol document –for management of the portal on an annual basis taking into account global and regional revisions. 5) Provision will be made for an additional 721 species (Least Concern in 2015 regional revision) and for future addition of species information. This will bring the total number of species contained on the page to 855.