

## SUBMISSION TEMPLATE

# ECO-1 ECOLOGICAL AND SITE MANAGEMENT

1. Compliance Requirement		YES	NO
A	Does the site have natural vegetation covering:- <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- at least 25% of the total site area (excluding the building footprint)?</li> <li><b>OR</b></li> <li>- 5% of the total area (including the building footprint)?</li> </ul>		

If answered 'NO' to the question above, this credit is deemed '**Not Applicable**' and you may proceed to the next credit submission template.

2. Minimum Requirements		YES	NO
A	Do the documents contained within this Submission comply with the conditions and requirements of the Green Star SA Plan & Programme Model?		
B	Has an ecological assessment of the site been undertaken?		
C	Was the ecological assessment performed by a suitable qualified and registered professional?		

3. Ecological Assessment Report		
<b>Attachments:</b> 1. Attach a copy of the <b>Ecological Assessment Report</b> 2. Attach a <b>proof of qualification</b> of ecological assessor		
Item	Document Title	Assessor

## Report Guide

Requirement	Y/N	Page Range	Page Location
Site Basic Characteristics			
Natural Areas Identification (onsite)			
Natural Areas Identification (near site)			
Biodiversity and Ecosystem Function information (including regular surveys)			
Ecological Sensitivity Highlight			
Identification of Threatened Systems/Species			
Biodiversity Assessment			
Previous Disturbance Assessment			
Identification of Site Threats			

4. Ecological Policy		YES	NO
A	Does the building have an Ecological Management Plan in place?		
B	If so, does the Ecological Management Plan include an Ecological Policy?		
C	Further so, is the management plan and policy actively implemented and monitored during the performance period?		

**Attachments:**3. Attach a copy the **Ecological Management Policy**

Item	Document Title	Responsible Party

**Report Guide**

Requirement	Y/N	Page Range	Page Location
Commitment to Ecological Maintenance or Improvement			
Identification and Statement of End Goal/State of Site			
Provisions for Role Player Encouragement			
Indications Of Management Approval			

**Ecological Management Plan****Attachments:**4. Attach a copy the **Ecological Management Plan**

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Requirement	Y/N	Page Range	Page Location
Practical way to measure, manage and improve the biodiversity and ecosystem services of the site			
Scope of the Plan			
Frequency of maintenance			
Recording and reporting mechanism of measured results			
Procedures for prompt adjustments or repairs in response to non-compliance with physical measurements taken			
Clearly outline the parties responsible for carrying out the Ecological Management Plan and measurements			
Detailing how the Ecological Management Plan relates to the Site Maintenance Plan			
Documented proof that proposed interventions were executed			

## Intervention Log

**Attachments:**

5. Attach a copy the **Intervention Log**

Item	Document Title	

## Statement of Authenticity

I, \_\_\_\_\_, hereby declare that the values/information listed in this submission template are indeed the true values of the applicant building, and additionally, that evidence either proving or rationalising said values can be supplied within 14 days of notification by either GBCSA, or any GBCSA approved third party.

DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_