Permit authorising the provision of humanitarian assistance and other activities that support basic human needs in relation to Sudan

Permit: SAN-2026-00229

Date of Issue: Date of signature

Period of Validity: From the Date of Issue until:

(a) 18 months from the Date of Issue; or

(b) the Permit is revoked.

Authority: Regulations18(1)(e), 18(2)(a), 18(3) and 18(4) of the *Autonomous Sanctions Regulations 2011* (Cth).

Definitions:

Australian Sanctions Office Contact Point Email to sanctions@dfat.gov.au.

Australian NGO Cooperation Program The program administered by the Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade that accredits and provides funding to non-government organisations (NGOs), and any successor to that program.

Humanitarian Assistance Relief efforts intended to save lives, alleviate suffering and maintain human dignity during and after serious disruptions to the functioning of a community that exceed its capacity to cope using its own resources, as well as to prevent and strengthen preparedness for when such situations occur.

Humanitarian Organisation	The Australian Red Cross Society, any Australian NGO accredited by the Australian NGO Cooperation Program, and any Australian not-for-profit entity registered under Part 2-1 of the *Australian Charities and Not-for-profits Commission Act 2012* (Cth) that is engaged in Humanitarian Assistance activities within Australia or internationally.
Sub-Implementing Partners	Entities or organisations that receive all or part of their funding from a Humanitarian Organisation to deliver specific components of a broader project or grant.

Permit Holders:

1. Humanitarian Organisations, employees of Humanitarian Organisations, Sub-Implementing Partners and employees of Sub-Implementing Partners;
2. The Commonwealth and employees of the Commonwealth;
3. Persons, including bodies corporate, who provide:
    a) postal, transport, courier, or delivery services; or
    b) financial services;
4. Financial institutions and their employees.

Authorised Actions:

1. Permit Holders 1 and 2 are authorised to directly or indirectly make assets available to, or for the benefit of, a designated person or entity to the extent that doing so is necessary to provide or facilitate the provision of Humanitarian Assistance in Sudan.

    (a) This authorised action does not have the effect of authorising Permit Holders 1 and 2 to hold controlled assets, and: use or deal with those controlled assets, or allow those assets to be used or dealt with or facilitate the use of those assets or dealing with those assets.

2. Permit Holders 3 and 4 are authorised to directly or indirectly make assets available to, or for the benefit of, a designated person or entity to the extent that doing so is necessary to facilitate Authorised Action 1.

    (a) This authorisation does not have the effect of authorising Permit Holders 3 and 4 to hold controlled assets, and: use or deal with those controlled assets, or allow those assets to be used or dealt with or facilitate the use of those assets or dealing with those assets.

Note: This Permit may be amended or revoked at the discretion of the Minister for Foreign Affairs.

Conditions

1. Permit Holder 1 who is a Humanitarian Organisation providing Humanitarian Assistance in Sudan in accordance with Authorised Action 1 must provide written notice to the Australian Sanctions Office Contact Point within 30 days of commencing the activity. Notification should include details of the Permit Holder including organisation name, address, and contact information, details of the Humanitarian Assistance being provided under this permit, and the total value of funds, economic resources, goods and services provided as part of the Humanitarian Assistance.

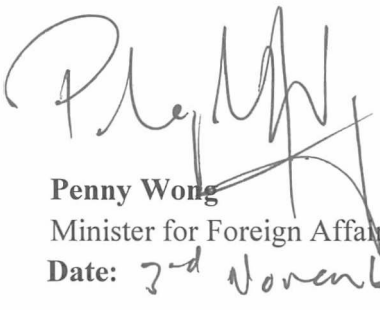
2. The Australian Sanctions Office may require that a Permit Holder prepare a Sanctions Compliance Report.

    (a) The Permit Holder must give a Sanctions Compliance Report to the Australian Sanctions Office Contact Point no later than 21 days after the Australian Sanctions Office requests a Sanctions Compliance Report (or as otherwise agreed).

    (b) The Australian Sanctions Office may request that a Permit Holder address specific issues in the Sanctions Compliance Report.

3. Permit Holder 1 who is a Humanitarian Organisation must exercise all reasonable care and undertake due diligence in respect of any employee or Sub-Implementing Partner to ensure they comply with the *Autonomous Sanctions Act 2011* (Cth) (including regulations made under that Act) in respect of the provision of Humanitarian Assistance in Sudan, in their role as an employee or Sub-Implementing Partner of the Humanitarian Organisation.

Authorised



Penny Wong
Minister for Foreign Affairs
Date: 3rd November, 2026