GLOBAL INVASIVE SPECIES DATABASE

EICAT profile: ***Pelophylax lessonae***

MN (Minor) Pelophylax lessonae

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Eicat category	MN (Minor)
Justification for EICAT assessment	Rana lessonae have been found to be hosts of Batrachochytrium dendrobatidis and co-occuring native amphibians also tested positive (Cunningham & Minting 2008). The disease is harmful to native amphibians, but population sizes have not been studied therefore the impact is classified as minor.
Confidence rating	Low
Mechanism(s) of maximum impact	Transmission of disease
Countries of most severe impact	United Kingdom
Description of impact	Transmission of diseases to native species - Rana lessonae have been found to be hosts of Batrachochytrium dendrobatidis and co-occuring native amphibians also tested positive. The disease is harmful to native amphibians, but population sizes have not been studied therefore the impact is classified as minor.
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