

## **GLOBAL INVASIVE SPECIES DATABASE**

EICAT profile: Pelophylax lessonae

## MN (Minor)Pelophylax lessonae

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