The Doc 250 has passed ‘draft’ NAWAC (National Animal Welfare Advisory Committee) guidelines as a humane kill trap for ferrets, stoats, rats and hedgehogs. These setting instructions must be followed to meet these guidelines.

**Step one**

Locating and bolting the trap in the tunnel:
- Use the galvanized mild steel bolts provided
- Traps should be fixed with the treadle 5mm (approximately) from the side of the box and the baffle.

**Step two**

Setting the trap:
- Pull carefully on the wire setting loop with your hand. Continue past the top of the trigger arm, allowing the trigger arm to drop onto the treadle.
- SLOWLY release pressure, allowing the bottom of the trigger arm to gently ride up treadle and catch on the sear.

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Trap Purchase

Traps are available direct from the manufacturer, Curtis Metal Products.

Trap box Purchase

Traps in boxes can be purchased direct from Haines Pallet Co.

Advice and contacts

Predator control advice, trap development contacts and feedback.

Safety clip application (one clip per order)

Further trap information

www.predatortraps.com
These Department of Conservation ‘current best practice’ tunnel designs must be used with DOC 250 traps. These tunnels are designed to exclude non-target species, guide target species and provide public safety.

**Single set tunnel design.**

In areas where weka are present, the tunnel length is 535mm, the distance from the end mesh to the internal mesh increases from 130mm to 255mm.

**Materials**

- All timber H4 treated radiata or similar.
- Ends and baffles 20mm galvanised weld mesh.
- 60mm galvanised decking nails.

All traps must have hazard warning on lid.

Lid 400 x 300 x 25mm

Lid labelled with project information

Lid pivots on 60mm decking nail

Ends and baffle 20mm weld mesh

Sides 400 x 250 x 25mm

Internal baffle hole 4 x 4 meshes, aligned just off the centre of the treadle - see setting diagram

60mm decking nails

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