

**SUMMARY TABLE OF THE LEGAL STATUS OF RAMSAR SITES IN EGYPT, July 2022**

<b>RAMSAR SITES NAME AND LOCATION</b>	<b>RAMSAR SITES DESIGNATING INSTRUMENTS</b>	<b>RAMSAR SITES DESIGNATION DATE</b>	<b>MANAGEMENT AUTHORITY</b>	<b>MANAGEMENT PLAN</b>	<b>OTHER DESIGNATION UNDER NATIONAL LAW</b>
<b>Lake Burullus</b> (Kafer El Sheikh)	N/A	09 sept 1988	Egyptian Environmental Affairs Agency (EEAA)	N/A	<b>Lake Burullus Protected Area</b>
<b>Lake Bardawil</b> (North Sinai)	N/A	09 sept 1988	Egyptian Environmental Affairs Agency (EEAA) is sharing the management authority with the newly established agency for the protection of the Egyptian Lakes. EEAA is the mangement authority for Al-Zaranik Protected Area that includes within its boundaries the eastern strip/basin of Lake Bardawil. The rest of the lake is managed by the agency for protecting the lakes whereof the EEAA is one of the partners as the principal governmental authority for managing the wild resources.	N/A	<b>Zaranik Protected Area</b> (Decree of the Prime Minister No 1429 on the establishment of two nature reserves in the Lake Bardawil area (Zaraniq and Sabkha Al-Bardawil) and the coastal forest area extending from Al-Arish to the international borders in Rafah, North Sinai Governorate. October 21, 1985; Decree of Prime Minister No. 3379 on the amendment of Resolution No. 1429 of 1985 establishing two nature reserves in the Bardawil Lake area (Al-Zaraniq), Sabkhat al-Bardawil) and the coastal forest area extending from Al-Arish to the international border in Rafah, North Sinai Governorate. 6 December 1996)
<b>Lake Qarun protected area</b> (Fayoum)	N/A	06 April 2012	Egyptian Environmental Affairs Agency (EEAA)	Management plan : <a href="https://rsis Ramsar.org/ris-search/?f%5B0%5D=regionCountry_en_ss%3AEgypt&amp;f%5B1%5D=managementPlanAvailable_i%3A-1&amp;pagetab=1">https://rsis Ramsar.org/ris-search/?f%5B0%5D=regionCountry_en_ss%3AEgypt&amp;f%5B1%5D=managementPlanAvailable_i%3A-1&amp;pagetab=1</a>  <i>An update of the management plan is underway</i>	<b>Qarun Protected Area</b> (Decree of the Prime Minister No 943 on the establishment of two nature reserves in Wadi Al-Rayyan and Lake Qarun in the Fayoum Governorate. 1st August 1989; Decree of Prime Minister No 3155 on the amendment of some provisions of Resolution n° 943 of 1989 regarding the establishment of two nature reserves in Wadi Al-Rayan and Lake Qarun in the Fayoum Governorate. 25 December 2019)
<b>Wadi el Rayan protected area</b> (Fayoum)	N/A	06 April 2012	Egyptian Environmental Affairs Agency (EEAA)	Management plan : <a href="https://rsis Ramsar.org/ris-search/?f%5B0%5D=regionCountry_en_ss%3AEgypt&amp;f%5B1%5D=managementPlanAvailable_i%3A-1&amp;pagetab=1">https://rsis Ramsar.org/ris-search/?f%5B0%5D=regionCountry_en_ss%3AEgypt&amp;f%5B1%5D=managementPlanAvailable_i%3A-1&amp;pagetab=1</a>  <i>An update of the management plan is underway</i>	<b>Wadi El-Rayan Protected Area - UNESCO World Heritage site</b> (Decree of the Prime Minister No 943 on the establishment of two nature reserves in Wadi Al-Rayyan and Lake Qarun in the Fayoum Governorate. 1st August 1989; Decree of Prime Minister No 3155 on the amendment of some provisions of Resolution n° 943 of 1989 regarding the establishment of two nature reserves in Wadi Al-Rayan and Lake Qarun in the Fayoum Governorate. 25 December 2019)