

CONVENTION ON INTERNATIONAL TRADE IN ENDANGERED SPECIES  
OF WILD FAUNA AND FLORA



Sixteenth meeting of the Animals Committee  
Shepherdstown (United States of America), 11-15 December 2000

PROVISIONAL WORKING PROGRAMME

**Monday, 11 December 2000**

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| 09h30-10h00 | 1. Opening of the meeting   |
| 10h00-10h30 | <i>Morning tea/coffee</i>   |
| 10h30-10h45 | 2. Adoption of the Rules of Procedure                                     |
| 10h45-11h00 | 3. Adoption of Provisional Agenda and Working Programme                   |
| 11h00-11h10 | 4. Admission of observers   |
| 11h10-11h40 | 5. Regional Reports   |
| 11h40-12h30 | 6. Strategic planning   |
| 12h30-14h00 | <i>Lunch</i>  |
| 14h00-15h30 | 6. Strategic planning (continued)   |
| 15h30-16h00 | <i>Afternoon tea/coffee</i>   |
| 16h00-16h30 | 10. Implementation of Resolution Conf. 10.21 on transport of live animals |
| 16h30-17h00 | 12. Trade in hard corals  |

**Tuesday, 12 December 2000**

- 09h00-10h30 7. Implementation of Resolution Conf. 8.9 (Rev.)
- 10h30-11h00 *Morning tea/coffee*
- 11h00-12h30 7. Implementation of Resolution Conf. 8.9 (Rev.) (continued)
- 12h30-14h00 *Lunch*
- 14h00-15h30 7. Implementation of Resolution Conf. 8.9 (Rev.) (continued)
- 15h30-16h00 *Afternoon tea/coffee*
- 16h00-16h20 13. Implementation of Decision 11.165 on trade in traditional medicines
- 16h20-16h40 11. Role and functions of the Scientific Authorities
- 16h40-17h30 15. Control of captive breeding, ranching and wild harvest production systems for Appendix-II species

**Wednesday, 13 December 2000**

- 09h00-10h30 8. Periodic review of animal taxa in the Appendices
- 10h30-11h00 *Morning tea/coffee*
- 11h00-12h30 8. Periodic review of animal taxa in the Appendices (continued)
- 12h30-14h00 *Lunch*
- 14h00-14h30 19. Conservation of seahorses and other members of the family Syngnathidae (Decision 11.97)
- 14h30-15h00 21. Trade in time-sensitive research samples (Decision 11.103)
- 15h00-15h30 Parallel working groups/drafting groups
- 15h30-16h00 *Afternoon tea/coffee*
- 16h00-17h30 Parallel working groups/drafting groups (continued)

**Thursday, 14 December 2000**

- 09h00-10h30 9. Registration and monitoring of animal species bred in captivity (Resolution Conf. 11.14 and Decision 11.101)
- 10h30-11h00 *Morning tea/coffee*
- 11h00-11h30 9. Registration and monitoring of animal species bred in captivity (Resolution Conf. 11.14 and Decision 11.101) (continued)
- 11h30-12h30 16. Universal labelling of caviar
- 12h30-14h00 *Lunch*
- 14h00-14h10 20. Implementation of Resolution Conf. 9.17 on the status of international trade in shark species
- 14h10-14h30 17. Trade in *Tursiops truncatus ponticus* (Decision 11.91)
- 14h30-15h00 14. Trade in alien species
- 15h00-15h30 18. Trade in freshwater turtles and tortoises in Southeast Asia (Resolution Conf. 11.9; cf. Decision 11.93)
- 15h30-16h00 *Afternoon tea/coffee*
- 16h00-17h30 19. Parallel working groups/drafting groups

**Friday, 15 December 2000**

- 09h00-10h30 Reports of working groups
- 10h30-11h00 *Morning tea/coffee*
- 11h00-12h30 Reports of working groups (continued)
- 12h30-14h00 *Lunch*
- 14h00-15h00 Reports of working groups (continued)
- 15h00-15h30 *Afternoon tea/coffee*
- 15h30-16h00 Finalization of documentation
- 16h00 Closing Remarks