PART 1 - CITES QUESTIONS

Note: Part 1 is composed exclusively of the questions included in the CITES Biennial Report format, approved at the 13th meeting of the Conference of the Parties to CITES, October 2004.

* Document as discussed and agreed at COM 45 held on 14 November 2008.

A. General information

Party	
Period covered in this report: 1 January 2007 to 31 December 2008	
Details of agency preparing this report	Ministère du Développement durable et des Infrastructures – Département de l'environnement
Contributing agencies, organizations or individuals	Direction de l'Administration des Douanes et Accises
	Administration des services techniques de l'agriculture - Service de la protection des végétaux
	Administration des services vétérinaires
	Musée national d'histoire naturelle Luxembourg

B. Legislative and regulatory measures

1	under the CITES National L If yes, ignore questions 2, 3	0 5				Yes (fully) Yes (partly) No No information/unknown gislation, please provide the follow			
	Title and date:		S	tatus:					
	Brief description of contents	5:							
3	Is enacted legislation availal Convention?	ble in one o	le in one of the working languages of the Yes No No information						
4	If yes, please attach a copy of provisions that were gazette	of the full legislative text or key legislative legislation attached provided previously not available, will send later							
5	Which of the following issu your country has adopted fo (in accordance with Article	es are addressed by any stricter domestic measures that Tick all applicable or CITES-listed species							
			The conditi	ons for:	The	The complete prohibition of:			
	Issue	Yes	No	No information	Yes	No	No information		
	Trade								
	Taking								
	Possession								
	Transport								
	Other (specify)								
	Additional comments	Please find the regulation for protected animals in Luxembourg in annex: Règlement grand-ducal du 9 janvier 2009 concernant la protection intégrale et partielle de certaines espèces animales de la faune sauvage.							

6	What were the results of any review or assessment of the effectiveness of CITES legislation, with regard to the following items?Tick all applicable						
	Item	Adequate	Partially Inadequate	Inadequate	No information		
	Powers of CITES authorities				\boxtimes		
	Clarity of legal obligations				\boxtimes		
	Control over CITES trade				\boxtimes		
	Consistency with existing policy on wildlife management and use				\boxtimes		
	Coverage of law for all types of offences				\boxtimes		
	Coverage of law for all types of penalties				\boxtimes		
	Implementing regulations				\boxtimes		
	Coherence within legislation				\boxtimes		
	Other (please specify):				\boxtimes		
	Please provide details if available:						
7	If no review or assessment has taken pl reporting period?	ace, is one planne	d for the next	Yes			
					information		
	Please provide details if available:			110			
8	Has there been any review of legislation relation to implementation of the Convo		subjects in	Tick al	l applicable		
	Subject		Yes	No	No information		
	Access to or ownership of natural resou	irces		\square			
	Harvesting						
	Transporting of live specimens						
	Handling and housing of live specimen	S					
	Please provide details if available:						
9	Please provide details of any additional	measures taken:					

C. Compliance and enforcement measures

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		Yes	No	No information		
1	Have any of the following compliance monitoring operations been un	dertaken?				
	Review of reports and other information provided by traders and producers:					
	Inspections of traders, producers, markets					
	Border controls					
	Other (specify)					
2	Have any administrative measures (e.g., fines, bans, suspensions) been imposed for CITES-related violations?					
3	3 If Yes, please indicate how many and for what types of violations? If available, please attach details as Annex.					
4	Have any significant seizures, confiscations and forfeitures of CITES specimens been made?					

5	If information available:		Numb	er	
	Significant seizures/confiscations				
	Total seizures :				
	5 in 2007 8 in 2008				
	If possible, please specify per group of species or attach details on annex.				
6	Have there been any criminal prosecutions of significant CITES- related violations?				\boxtimes
7	If Yes, how many and for what types of violations? If available, please a	ttach det	ails as Ann	ex.	
8	Have there been any other court actions of CITES-related violations?				
9	If Yes, what were the violations involved and what were the results? Please at	tach detai	ls as Annex.		
10	How were the confiscated specimens generally disposed of?		Т	ick if a	pplicable
	 Return to country of export 				
	 Public zoos or botanical gardens 				
	 Designated rescue centres 				
	 Approved, private facilities 				
	– Euthanasia				
	- Other (specify)				
	Comments:				
11	Has your country provided to the Secretariat detailed information		Yes		
	significant cases of illegal trade (e.g. through an ECOMESSAGE c other means), or information on convicted illegal traders and	r	No		
	persistent offenders?		Not applie	cable	\boxtimes
			No inform	nation	
	Comments:				
12	Has your country been involved in cooperative enforcement activities w	ith	Yes		\square
	other countries		No		
			No informa	ation	
13	If Yes, please give a brief description: Organisation mondiale des Douar de ciblage annuel	nes: Jour	née de la CI	TES J	ournée
14	Has your country offered any incentives to local communities to assist in	n the	Yes		
	enforcement of CITES legislation, e.g. leading to the arrest and convicti	on of	No		\boxtimes
	offenders?		No informa	ation	
15	If Yes, please describe:				
16	Has there been any review or assessment of CITES-related enforcement	?	Yes		
			No		\boxtimes
			Not applie	cable	
			No informa		
	Comments:				
17	Please provide details of any additional measures taken:				
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D. Administrative measures

D1 Management Authority (MA)

		**	<u> </u>
1	Have there been any changes in the designation of or contact information	Yes	\boxtimes
	for the MA(s) in your country which are not yet reflected in the CITES Directory?	No	
		No information	
2	If Yes, please use the opportunity to provide those changes here.		
	Since June 2009 denomination has changed:		
	Ministère du Développement Durable et des Infrastructures		
	Département de l'Environnement Addresses, mail, phone and faxnumbers remain unchanged.		
3	If there is more than one MA in your country, has a lead MA been	Yes	
5	designated? Only one MA	No	
		No information	
4	If Yes, please name that MA and indicate whether it is identified as the lead M	IA in the CITES Direct	tory.
5	How many staff work in each MA? 28, of which 1 person on CITES		
6	Can you estimate the percentage of time they spend on CITES related	Yes	\boxtimes
	matters?	No	
		No information	
	If yes, please give estimation: 20% of this 1 person		
7	What are the skills/expertise of staff within the MA?	Tick if ap	plicable
	– Administration		\boxtimes
	– Biology		\boxtimes
	– Economics/trade		
	– Law/policy		\boxtimes
	– Other (specify)		
	– No information		
8	Have the MA(s) undertaken or supported any research activities in relation to	Yes	
	CITES species or technical issues (e.g. labelling, tagging, species	No	\boxtimes
	identification) not covered in D2(8) and D2(9)?	No information	
9	If Yes, please give the species name and provide details of the kind of researc	h involved.	
10	Please provide details of any additional measures taken		

D2 Scientific Authority (SA)

1		n any changes in t your country whi		Yes No No informatio	n			
2	If Yes, please u	se the opportunity	ere.					
3	Has your count Management A	ry designated a Sc uthority?	ent from the	Yes No No informatio	n			
4	What is the stru	cture of the SA(s)) in your country?			Tic	k if applicable	
	– Governi	ment institution				-	\boxtimes	
	– Academ	nic or research inst	titution					
	– Permane	ent committee						
	– Pool of	individuals with c	ertain expertise				\bowtie	
	– Other (s	pecify)						
5	How many staf	f work in each SA	on CITES issues	?				
6	Can you estima matters?	te the percentage	of time they spend	d on CITE	S related	Yes No No informatio		
	If yes, please gi	ve estimation				No mormano		
7		ills/expertise of st	aff within the SA	(s)?		Tick if applicable		
	– Botany			. ,				
	– Ecology	7					\boxtimes	
	– Fisherie	s					\bowtie	
	– Forestry	7						
	– Welfare						\boxtimes	
	– Zoology	/					\boxtimes	
	– Other (s	pecify)						
	– No info	ormation						
8	Have any rese	arch activities b	een undertaken	by the SA	A(s) in	Yes		
	relation to CIT	TES species?				No	\boxtimes	
						No informatio	n 🗌	
9	If Yes, please g	ive the species na	me and provide de	etails of th	e kind of researc	ch involved.		
	Species name	Populations	Distribution	Off take	Legal trade	Illegal trade	Other (specify)	
	1							
	2							
	3							
	etc.							
						No information	on	
10		ect proposals for under Resolutio		rch been	submitted to	Yes No		
						No information	on \square	
11	Please provide	details of any add	itional measures ta	aken:				

D3 Enforcement Authorities

1	To date, has your country advised the Secretariat of any enforcement authorities that have been designated for the receipt of confidential	Yes	\boxtimes
	enforcement information related to CITES?	No	
		No information	
2	If No, please designate them here (with address, phone, fax and email).		
3	Has your country established a specialized unit responsible for CITES-	Yes	
	related enforcement (e.g. within the wildlife department, Customs, the police, public prosecutor's office)?	No	
		Under consideration	
		No information	
4	If Yes, please state which is the lead agency for enforcement:		
	Direction de l'Administration des Douanes et Accises		
5	Please provide details of any additional measures taken:		

D4 Communication, information management and exchange

1	To what extent is CIT	To what extent is CITES information in your country computerized?						
	 Monitoring and 		\square					
	– Monitoring and	 Monitoring and reporting of data on illegal trade 						
	 Permit issuance 	e						
	– Not at all							
	– Other (specify))						
2	Do the following auth	orities ha	ive access t	o the Intern	net?		Tick if a	pplicable
	Authority	Yes, continuous and unrestricted access	Yes, but only through a dial-up connection	Yes, but only through a different office	Some offices only	Not at all	Please provide details w appropriate	here
	Management Authority							
	Scientific Authority	\square						
	Enforcement Authority							
3	Do you have an electro					ormation	on CITES Yes	
	species? There is no s	specific 1	national inf	formation :	system		No	\bowtie
							No information	

4	If Yes, does it provide information on:			Tick if applicable
	– Legislation (national, regional or internatio			
	– Conservation status (national, regional, inte			
	– Other (please specify)?			
5	Is it available through the Internet:		Yes	
			No	
			Not	applicable
			No	information
	Please provide URL:			
6	Do the following authorities have access to the foll	owing publications?		Tick if applicable
	Publication	Management Authority	Scientific Authority	Enforcement Authority
	2003 Checklist of CITES Species (book)			
	2003 Checklist of CITES Species and Annotated Appendices (CD-ROM)	\boxtimes	\boxtimes	\boxtimes
	Identification Manual			
	CITES Handbook			
7	If not, what problems have been encountered to acc	cess to the mentioned	l information?	
	Internet access is guaranteed			
8	Have enforcement authorities reported to the Mana	gement Authority or	1:	Tick if applicable
	– Mortality in transport?			
	– Seizures and confiscations?			\boxtimes
	– Discrepancy in number of items in permit and r	number of items actu	ally traded?	
	Comments:			
9	Is there a government website with information on	CITES and its	Yes	\boxtimes
	requirements?		No	
				formation
	If Yes, please give the URL: <u>http://www.do.etat.lu</u>	-		
10	Have CITES authorities been involved in any of th bring about better accessibility to and understandin requirements to the wider public?			Tick if applicable
	 Press releases/conferences 			
	 Newspaper articles, radio/television appear 	ances		\boxtimes
	– Brochures, leaflets			
	– Presentations			
	– Displays (permanent exhibition MNHN)			\boxtimes
	 Information at border crossing points 			
	– Telephone hotline			
	– Other (specify)			
	Please attach copies of any items as Annex.			
11	Please provide details of any additional measures t	aken:		

D5 Permitting and registration procedures

1	Have any changes in permit for empowered to sign CITES pern Secretariat?	Yes No Not applicable						
	If no, please provide details of a	any:				No information		
	Changes in permit format:							
	Changes in designation or signatures of relevant officials: Malou Grasges has been added for animal permits							
2	To date, has your country devel following?	oped written permi	t procedur	es for any of	the	Tick if applicable		
				Yes	No	No information	on	
	Permit issuance/acceptance				\boxtimes			
	Registration of traders				\boxtimes			
	Registration of producers				\boxtimes			
3	Please indicate how many CITE	ES documents were	issued or	denied in the	two year	period?		
	(Note that actual trade is norma documents).	lly reported in the	Annual Re	port by Partie	es. This qu	estion refers to issu	ed	
	2007	Import or introduction from the sea	Export	Re-export	Other	Comments		
	How many documents were issued?	60	2	5	25			
	How many applications were denied because of severe ommissions or mis- information?	0	0	0	0			
	2008							
	How many documents were issued?	86	0	8	27			
	How many applications were denied because of severe ommissions or mis- information?	0	0	0	0			
4	Were any CITES documents that of severe ommissions or mis-in-		cancelled	and replaced	because	Yes No No information		
5	If Yes, please give the reasons f	For this.						
6	Please give the reasons for re countries.		document	ts from othe	er	Tick if applicable		
	Re	ason		Yes	No	No informatio	on	
	Technical violations							
	Suspected fraud						,	
	Insufficient basis for finding of	non-detriment						
	Insufficient basis for finding of	legal acquisition						
	Other (specify)							
7						Yes No No information		
	Comments							
8	How many times has the Scient 0	ific Authority been	requested	to provide of	pinions?			
9	Has the Management Authority related CITES activities? No	charged fees for pe	ermit issua	nce, registrat	tion or	Tick if app	licable	

1	– Issuance of CITES docum	ments:					
	– Licensing or registration of	Licensing or registration of operations that produce CITES species:					
	– Harvesting of CITES-liste						
	– Use of CITES-listed spec	cies:					
	– Assignment of quotas for	r CITES-listed species:					
	– Importing of CITES-listed	ed species:					
	– Other (specify):						
10	If Yes, please provide the amount	ts of such fees.					
11	Have revenues from fees been use	sed for the implementation of CITES or	Tick if applicable				
	wildlife conservation?						
	– Entirely:						
	– Partly:						
	– Not at all:						
	– Not relevant:		\boxtimes				
	Comments:						
12	Please provide details of any addit	litional measures taken:					

D6 Capacity building

1	Have any of the following activities been us CITES implementation at the national level		n to enha	ance effe	ctiven	ess of	Tick if applicable	
	Increased budget for activities		Improv netwoi	vement c rks	of natio			
	Hiring of more staff			Purchase of technical equipment for monitoring/enforcement				
	Development of implementation tools		Compu					
	– Other (specify) Training of staff							
2	Have the CITES authorities in your country activities provided by external sources?	been the	e recipie	<i>nt</i> of any	of the	e follo	owing capacity building	
	Please tick boxes to indicate which target group and which activity.	Oral or written advice/guidance	Technical assistance	Financial assistance	Training	Other (specify)	What were the external sources?	
	Staff of Management Authority							
	Staff of Scientific Authority						German coustoms	
	Staff of enforcement authorities				\square			
	Traders							
	NGOs							
	Public							
	Other (specify)							

3	Have the CITES authorities in your country been the <i>providers</i> of any of the following capacity building activities?							
	Please tick boxes to indicate which target group and which activity.	Oral or written advice/guidance	Technical assistance	Financial assistance	Training	Other (specify)	Details	
	Staff of Management Authority							
	Staff of Scientific Authority							
	Staff of enforcement authorities							
	Traders		\square					
	NGOs							
	Public							
	Other parties/International meetings							
	Other (specify)							
4	Please provide details of any additional me	asures ta	ken					

D7 Collaboration/co-operative initiatives

1	Is there an inter-	agency or	inter-secto	oral commi	ttee on CITI	ES?	Yes		
		lo	\bowtie						
							N	lo information	
2	If Yes, which age	ncies are	represente	d and how	often does it	t meet?			
3	If No, please indicated the frequency of meetings or consultancies used by the MA to ensure co-ordination among CITES authorities (e.g. other MAs, SA(s), Customs, police, others):								
		Daily	Weekly	Monthly	Annually	None	No information	Other (speci	Ξy)
	Meetings							Or more of	ten
	Consultations								
4	At the national le collaborate with:		there been	any efforts	s to	Tick if applicable Details if availa			ilable
	Agencies for dev	elopment	and trade						
	Provincial, state	or territor	ial authori	ties					
	Local authorities	or comm	unities						
	Indigenous peoples								
	Trade or other pr	ivate sect	or associat	tions					
	NGOs								
	Other (specify)								

5	To date, have any Memoranda of Understanding or other formal arrangements for institutional cooperation related to CITES been agreed between the MA and the following agencies?	Tick if ap	plicable
	SA		
	Customs		
	Police		
	Other border authorities (specify)		
	Other government agencies		
	Private sector bodies		
	NGOs		
	Other (specify)		
6	Has your country participated in any regional activities related to CITES?	Tick if ap	plicable
	Workshops		\boxtimes
	Meetings		\boxtimes
	Other (specify)		
7	Has your country encouraged any non-Party to Yes		
	accede to the Convention? No		\boxtimes
	No information	on	
8	If Yes, which one(s) and in what way?		
9	Has your country provided technical or financial assistance to	Yes	
	another country in relation to CITES?	No	\boxtimes
		No information	
10	If Yes, which country(ies) and what kind of assistance was provided?		
11	Has your country provided any data for inclusion in the CITES Identification Manual?		
		No	
12		No information	
12	If Yes, please give a brief description.		
13	Has your country taken measures to achieve co-ordination and reduce duplication of activities between the national authorities for CITES and other	Yes	
	multilateral environmental agreements (e.g. the biodiversity-related	NO	
	Conventions)?	No information	
14	If Yes, please give a brief description.		
15	Please provide details of any additional measures taken:		

D8 Areas for future work

1	Are any of the following activities needed to enhance effectiveness of CITES implementation at the national level and what is the respective level of priority?				
	Activity	High	Medium	Low	
	Increased budget for activities			\square	
	Hiring of more staff			\square	
	Development of implementation tools		\square		
	Improvement of national networks		\square		
	Purchase of new technical equipment for monitoring and enforcement			\square	
	Computerisation			\square	
	Other (specify)				
2	Has your country encountered any difficulties in implementing specific	Yes		\boxtimes	
	Resolutions or Decisions adopted by the Conference of the Parties?		No		
		No info	rmation		
3	If Yes, which one(s) and what is the main difficulty?				
	Technically no problem, but it takes a long time, as it is not seen as a priority				
4	Have any constraints to implementation of the Convention arisen in your country	Yes			
	requiring attention or assistance?	No		\boxtimes	
			ormation		
5	If Yes, please describe the constraint and the type of attention or assistance that is	required			
6	Has your country identified any measures, procedures or mechanisms within the	Yes			
	Convention that would benefit from review and/or simplification?	No		\boxtimes	
		No inf	ormation		
7	If Yes, please give a brief description.				
8	Please provide details of any additional measures taken:				

E. General feedback

Please provide any additional comments you would like to make, including comments on this format.

Thank you for completing the form. Please remember to include relevant attachments, referred to in the report. For convenience these are listed again below:

Question	Item		
B4	Copy of full text of CITES-relevant legislation	Enclosed	\boxtimes
		Not available	
		Not relevant	
C3	Details of violations and administrative measures imposed	Enclosed	
		Not available	\boxtimes
		Not relevant	
C5	Details of specimens seized, confiscated or forfeited	Enclosed	
		Not available	
		Not relevant	\boxtimes
C7	Details of violations and results of prosecutions	Enclosed	
		Not available	\boxtimes
		Not relevant	\boxtimes
C9	Details of violations and results of court actions	Enclosed	
		Not available	\boxtimes
		Not relevant	\boxtimes
D4 (10)	Details of nationally produced brochures or leaflets on CITES produced for	Enclosed	
	educational or public awareness purposes,	Not available	
		Not relevant	\bowtie
	Comments: the same as for the 2004-2006 report		

ANNEX - PROPOSED BIENNIAL REPORT FORMAT

PART 2 - SUPPLEMENTARY QUESTIONS¹

Note: Questions in Part 2 are additional to those in Part 1, and relate to information on the provisions of the EC Regulations (Regulation (EC) No. 338/97 and Regulation (EC) No. 865/2006) that fall outside the scope of CITES.

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1b	If not already provided under questions B (2) and B (4), please provide details of any national legislation that has been updated in this reporting period and attach the full legislative text.							
2b	If your country has plann reported under question E					levant legislat	ion, other than that	
	Title and date:			Status:				
	Brief description of conte	ents:						
5b	Has your country adopted any stricter domestic measures, other than those reported under question B(5), specifically for non CITES-listed species ² ?							
	Tick all applicable catego	ories below th	nat these c	ategories apply to.				
			The condi	itions for:	Л	The complete	prohibition of:	
	Issue	Yes	No	No information	n Yes	s No	No information	
	Trade							
	Taking							
	Possession							
	Transport							
	Other (specify)							
	Additional comments							
8b	Has there been any review							
	relation to implementatio	n of <i>Council</i>	Regulatio	n (EC) No. 338/9/		N		
	T. (1.4	• • • •		Yes	No	No information	
	Introduction of live Regu Community that would the				\boxtimes			
	(in accordance with Artic			auna and mora				
	Marking specimens to fac			n accordance				
	with Article 19, paragraph	h 1 (iii))						
	Please provide details if a	vailable:					-	
9b	Please provide the follow	ing details al	oout Regu	lations-related viol	ations:			
	i) Maximum penal							
	Sous réserve d'autres dis							
	communautaires et nation et réglementaires sont pur	,						
	cinq cent un à un million	de francs, o	u d´une de	e ces peines seule	ment.			
	Les dispositions du livre 1							
	aux cours et tribunaux de prévues par la présente la		on des circ	constances attenua	ntes sont a	applicables au	IX Infractions	
	En cas de condamnation,		ononce la	confiscation des s	pécimens c	ui n´ont pas e	été renvoyés ou	
	détruits et met à charge d							
	l'Etat d'exportation, les fra destruction et ceux de ga				de sauve	garde, d'abai	ttage, de	
	•	• •			amontation	n of the Regul	ation not reported	
			ULES LAKEN	In relation to min	CIIICIIIauro	n or the Regin	auon not rennicu	

B. Legislative and regulatory measures

² In this questionnaire, "non CITES-listed species" refers to species that are listed in the Regulation Annexes, but not in the CITES Appendices. They include some species in Annexes A and B and all those in Annex D.

2b	Have any actions, in addition to those reported in C (2-9) above, been taken for Regulation-related violations? No substantial violations have been observed.	Yes No	
	observed.	No information	
9b	 Please provide the following details about Regulations-related violations: i) Maximum sanctions which have been imposed over this reporting per ii) The outcomes of any prosecutions; No information available 	riod; No information	available
16b	Has there been any review or assessment of Regulation-related enforcement, in addition to that reported under C (16) above?	Yes No No information	
	Comments:		
18 new	Have specimens been marked to establish whether they were born and bred in captivity? (In accordance with <i>Commission Regulation (EC) No.</i> <i>865/2006</i> , Article 66)	Yes No No information	
	Comments:		
19 new	Have any monitoring activities been undertaken to ensure that the intended accommodation for a live specimen at the place of destination is adequately equipped to conserve and care for it properly? (In accordance with Article 4 paragraph 1 (c) of <i>Council Regulation (EC) No. 338/97</i>).	Yes No No information	
	Comments:		
20 new	Have national action plans for co-ordination of enforcement, with clearly defined objectives and timeframes been adopted, and are they harmonized and reviewed on a regular basis? (In accordance with <i>Commission Recommendation C (2007) 2551</i> , paragraph IIa.)	Yes No No information	
	Comments:		••••••
21 new	Do enforcement authorities have access to specialized equipment and relevant expertise, and other financial and personnel resources? (In accordance with <i>Commission Recommendation C (2007) 2551</i> , paragraph IIb.)	Yes No No information	
	If yes, please provide details.		
	Comments:	_	
22 new	Do penalties take into account inter alia the market value of the specimens and the conservation value of the species involved in the offence, and the costs incurred? (In accordance with <i>Commission Recommendation C (2007)</i> 2551, paragraph IIc.)	Yes No No information	
	Comments:		
23 new	Are training and/or awareness raising activities being carried out for a) enforcement agencies, b) prosecution services, and c) the judiciary? (In accordance with <i>Commission Recommendation C (2007) 2551</i> , paragraph IId.)	Yes No No information	
	Comments:		
24 new	Are regular checks on traders and holders such as pet shops, breeders and nurseries being undertaken to ensure in-country enforcement? (In accordance with <i>Commission Recommendation C (2007) 2551</i> , paragraph IIg.)	Yes No No information	
	Comments:		
25 new	Are risk and intelligence assessment being used systematically in order to ensure thorough checks at border-crossing points as well as in-country? (In accordance with <i>Commission Recommendation C (2007) 2551</i> , paragraph IIh.)	Yes No No information	

C. Compliance and enforcement measures

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	Comments:		
26	Are facilities available for the temporary care of seized or confiscated live	Yes	\boxtimes
new	specimens, and are mechanisms in place for their long-term re-homing, where necessary? (In accordance with <i>Commission Recommendation C</i>	No	
	(2007) 2551, paragraph Iii.)	No information	
	Comments:		
27	Is cooperation taking place with relevant enforcement agencies in other	Yes	\boxtimes
new	Member States on investigations of offences under Regulation No. (EC) 338/97? (In accordance with <i>Commission Recommendation C</i> (2007) 2551,	No	
	paragraph IIIe.)	No information	
	Comments:		
28	Is assistance being provided to other Member States with the temporary	Yes	
new	care and long-term re-homing of seized or confiscated live specimens? (In accordance with <i>Commission Recommendation C</i> (2007) 2551, paragraph	No	\boxtimes
	IIIj.)	No information	
	Comments:		
29	Is liaison taking place with CITES MAs and law enforcement agencies in	Yes	\boxtimes
	source, transit and consumer countries outside of the Community as well as	NT -	

new	source, transit and consumer countries outside of the Community as well as the CITES Secretariat, ICPO, Interpol and the World Customs Organization to help detect, deter and prevent illegal trade in wildlife through the exchange of information and intelligence? (In accordance with <i>Commission Recommendation C (2007) 2551</i> , paragraph IIIk.)	No No information	
	Comments:		
30	Is advice and support being provided to CITES MAs and law enforcement	Yes	\boxtimes
new	agencies in source, transit and consumer countries outside of the Community to facilitate legal and sustainable trade through correct	No	
	application of procedures? (In accordance with <i>Commission</i>	No information	
	Recommendation C (2007) 2551, paragraph IIII.)		
	Comments:	-	•

D. Administrative measures

D1 Management Authority (MA)

8b	Have the MA(s) undertaken or supported any research activities in relation to non CITES-listed species or technical issues (e.g. species identification) not covered in D2 (8) and D2 (9)?	Yes No No information	
11 new	Has the Commission and the CITES Secretariat (if relevant) been informed of the outcomes of any investigations that the Commission has considered it necessary be made? (In accordance with Article 14 paragraph 2 of <i>Council Regulation (EC) No. 338/97</i>)?	Yes No No information	$\boxtimes \Box \Box$

D2 Scientific Authority (SA)

8b	Have any resea	Yes					
	relation to non	No	\boxtimes				
						No information	n 🗌
9b	If Yes, please gi	ve the species na	me and provide de	etails of th	e kind of researc	h involved.	
	Species name	Populations	Distribution	Off take	Legal trade	Illegal trade	Other (specify)
	1						
	2						
	3						
	etc.						
		No informatio	on 🗌				
11 new	How many Sci attended? 4	Number	\boxtimes				
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D3 Enforcement Authorities

6	Has a liaison officer/focal point for CITES been nominated within each relevant enforcement authority in		
new	your country?	Yes	\bowtie
		No	
		Under consideration	
		No information	

D4 Communication, information management and exchange

1b	Is Regulation-related information in your country computerized on?	Tick if appl	licable
	 Annex D listed species 		
	- Other matters not reported on in question D4 (1) (please specify)		
3b	Do you have an electronic information system providing information on	Yes	
	Regulation-listed species? Access to German system	No	\boxtimes
		No information	

D5 Permitting and registration procedures

9b	Has the Management Authority charged fees for any Regulation-related matters not covered in question D5 (9)? If yes, please provide details of these Regulation-related matters and the amount of any such fees.	Yes No No information	
13 new	Can you indicate the percentage of permits/certificates issued that are returned to the MA after endorsement by customs? 90% of the import permits are returned but no one of the export permits or the reexport certificates	Percentage : No information	
14	Has a list of places of introduction and export in your country been compiled in	Yes	
new	accordance with Article 12 of <i>Council Regulation (EC) No. 338/97</i> ? If yes, please attach. See annual reports	No No information	

16	Have Scientific institutions been registered in accordance with Article 60 of	Yes	\boxtimes
new	Commission Regulation (EC) No. 865/2006?	No	
	If yes, please provide details. Musée national d'histoire naturelle Luxembourg	No information	
17	Have breeders been approved in accordance with Article 63 of Commission	Yes	
new	Regulation (EC) No. 865/2006?	No	\boxtimes
	If yes, please provide details.	No information	
18	Have Caviar (re-)packaging plants been licensed in accordance with Article 66	Yes	
new	(7) of Commission Regulation (EC) No. 865/2006?	No	\boxtimes
	If yes, please provide details. One plant is being registered in the year 2009	No information	
19	Are phytosanitary certificates used in accordance with Article 17 of	Yes	\boxtimes
new	Commission Regulation (EC) No. 865/2006?	No	
	If yes, please provide details.	No information	
20	Have cases occurred where export permits and re-export certificates were	Yes	
new	issued retrospectively in accordance with Article 15 of Commission	No	\boxtimes
	Regulation (EC) No. 865/2006?	No information	
	If yes, please provide details.		

D8 Areas for future work

2b	Has your country encountered any difficulties in implementing specific	Yes	
	suspensions or negative opinions adopted by the European Commission? (In	No	\boxtimes
	accordance with Article 4 (6)).	No information	
4b	Have any constraints to implementation of the Regulation, not reported under	Yes	
	question D8 (4), arisen in your country requiring attention or assistance?	No	\boxtimes
		No information	