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OF WILD FAUNA AND FLORA



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NORTH AMERICA

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## CITES PLANTS SUB-DIRECTORY 2002

### NORTH AMERICA

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***THIS SUBDIRECTORY COMPILES INFORMATION ABOUT EXPERTS IN THE NORTH-AMERICAN REGION (CANADA, MEXICO, UNITED STATES OF AMERICA) WHO ARE DIRECTLY INVOLVED IN PLANT ISSUES.***

***IT ALSO LISTS MANAGEMENT AND SCIENTIFIC AUTHORITIES AND THEIR HEADS.***

***CONTACT SHOULD BE MADE WITH THE MANAGEMENT OR SCIENTIFIC AUTHORITIES OF THE RELEVANT COUNTRY FIRST (UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED). THOSE AUTHORITIES WILL FORWARD THE LETTER / FAX OR EMAIL TO THE MOST APPROPRIATE EXPERT.***

***THE PLANTS COMMITTEE REGIONAL REPRESENTATIVE WOULD APPRECIATE TO RECEIVE COPY OF ANY CORRESPONDENCE IN ORDER TO BE ABLE TO FOLLOW AND ASSIST IN THE DIFFERENT ACTIONS.***

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