

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

Forty-ninth meeting of the Standing Committee
Geneva (Switzerland), 22-25 April 2003

Strategic and administrative matters

AGENDA
(provisional)

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| 1. | Opening remarks by the Chairman | (no document) |
| <u>Strategic and administrative matters</u> | | |
| 2. | Rules of Procedure | SC49 Doc. 2 |
| 3. | Adoption of the Agenda | SC49 Doc. 3 (Rev. 2) |
| 4. | Credentials | (no document) |
| 5. | Admission of observers | SC49 Doc. 5 |
| 6. | Memoranda of Understanding | |
| 6.1 | Memorandum of Understanding with the United Nations Environment Programme (UNEP) | (no document) |
| 6.2 | Memorandum of Understanding with the Convention on the Conservation of Migratory Species of Wild Animals (CMS) | SC49 Doc. 6.2 |
| 6.3 | Memorandum of Understanding with the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (FAO) | SC49 Doc. 6.3 |
| 7. | Process for consideration of technical implementation issues | SC49 Doc. 7 |
| 7.1 | Terms of reference of the Working Group on technical Implementation Issues | SC49 Doc. 7.1 |
| 8. | Economic incentives and trade policy | SC49 Doc. 8 |
| 9. | Financial and administrative matters | |
| 9.1 | Development of containment strategies | SC49 Doc. 9.1 |
| 9.2 | Budget cycle | SC49 Doc. 9.2 |
| <u>Interpretation and implementation of the Convention</u> | | |
| 10. | Asian big cats | SC49 Doc. 10 |

11.	Elephants	
11.1	Control of internal ivory trade	SC49 Doc. 11.1
11.2	Baseline information from MIKE	SC49 Doc. 11.2 (Rev. 1)
11.3	Measures for improving law enforcement coordination between ivory producing and ivory importing States	SC49 Doc. 11.3
11.4	Elephants and ivory trade (Kenya)	SC49 Doc. 11.4
12.	Export quotas	SC49 Doc. 12
13.	Significant trade in specimens of Appendix-II species	SC49 Doc. 13
14.	Use of certificates in connection with ATA or TIR carnets	(no document)
15.	National reports	SC49 Doc. 15
16.	Guidelines on compliance with the Convention	SC49 Doc. 16
17.	Enforcement matters	(no document)
18.	National Legislation Project	SC49 Doc. 18
19.	Criteria for amendment of Appendices I and II	SC49 Doc. 19
20.	Periodic review of the Appendices	SC49 Doc. 20
20.1	Revised recommendations	SC49 Doc. 20.1
21.	Rescue of live specimens in special circumstances	SC49 Doc. 21
<u>Reports</u>		
22.	Financial report for 2002	SC49 Doc. 22
23.	Report of UNEP	SC49 Doc. 23
24.	Reports of regional representatives	
24.1	Africa	SC49 Doc. 24.1 (Rev. 1)
24.2	Asia	(no document)
24.3	Central and South America and the Caribbean	SC49 Doc. 24.3
24.4	Europe	SC49 Doc. 24.4
24.5	North America	SC49 Doc. 24.5
24.6	Oceania	SC49 Doc. 24.6
<u>Concluding items</u>		
25.	Any other business	(no document)
26.	Determination of the time and venue of the next meeting	(no document)
27.	Closing remarks	(no document)