

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

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Seventieth meeting of the Standing Committee  
Rosa Khutor, Sochi (Russian Federation), 1-5 October 2018

Administrative and financial matters

ADMISSION OF OBSERVERS

1. This document has been prepared by the Secretariat.
2. In accordance with Rule 4, paragraph 2, of the Rules of Procedure of the Standing Committee, any body or agency technically qualified in protection, conservation or management of wild fauna and flora wishing to be represented at a meeting of the Committee by observers shall submit a request to the Secretariat at least 30 days before the meeting.
3. After having received from these organizations the relevant information concerning their technical qualifications or the approval of the State in which they are located, the Secretariat sent these requests to the Chair of the Standing Committee. No objection was received to the participation of the organizations that had requested to participate.
4. In consequence, the Secretariat, on behalf of the Chair of the Standing Committee, sent to the organizations listed in the Annex to the present document an invitation to attend the 70th meeting.
5. The above procedure does not apply to observers representing States not party to the Convention, nor to the United Nations, its Specialized Agencies or the International Atomic Energy Agency, which are entitled to be represented at meetings of the Standing Committee in accordance with Rule 3 of the Rules of Procedure.

A Observer, Intergovernmental Organization / Observador, Organización intergubernamental / Observateur, Organisation intergouvernementale

- CIC – International Council for Game and Wildlife Conservation
- ITTO – International Tropical Timber Organization
- IUCN – International Union for Conservation of Nature
- WCO – World Customs Organization

B Observer, NGO / Observador, ONG / Observateur, ONG

- Alliance of Marine Mammal Parks and Aquariums
- Americas Fur Resources Council
- Animal Welfare Institute
- Annamiticus
- Association for the Conservation of Threatened Parrots e.V.
- Association of Northeast Fish and Wildlife Agencies
- Association of Zoos and Aquariums
- Avocats et Droits de l'Animal
- Bloom Association
- Born Free Foundation
- Born Free USA
- Center for Biological Diversity
- Center for International Environmental Law
- Cheetah Conservation Fund
- China Aquatic Products Processing and Marketing Alliance
- China Association of Traditional Chinese Medicine
- China Wildlife Conservation Association
- Conservation Alliance of Kenya
- Conservation Force
- David Shepherd Wildlife Foundation
- Defenders of Wildlife
- Elephant Family
- Environmental Investigation Agency (UK)
- Environmental Investigation Agency (USA)
- Eurogroup for Animals
- European Alliance of Rescue Centres & Sanctuaries (EARS)
- European Association of Zoos and Aquaria
- Fondation Franz Weber
- Global Eye
- Global Guardian Trust
- Humane Society International
- International Elephant Foundation
- International Fund for Animal Welfare
- International Professional Hunters Association
- International Wood Products Association
- IWMC-World Conservation Trust
- Japan Tiger and Elephant Fund
- Japan Wildlife Conservation Society
- League of American Orchestras
- Lewis & Clark – International Environmental Law Project
- Louisiana Alligator Advisory Council
- Natural Resources Defense Council
- OCEANA Inc.
- OPES OCEANI
- Parrot Breeders Association of Southern Africa
- Pet Industry Joint Advisory Council
- ProWildlife

- Safari Club International
- Safari Club International Foundation
- San Diego Zoo Global
- Save our Seas Foundation
- Sea Shepherd Legal
- Species Survival Network
- Species360
- Stichting Animal Advocacy and Protection (AAP)
- Stiftung für das Tier im Recht (TIR)
- Stop Ivory
- Sustainable Eel Group
- The Blue Resources Trust
- The European Federation of Associations for Hunting & Conservation
- The Pew Charitable Trusts
- TRAFFIC
- Whale and Dolphin Conservation
- Wildlife Conservation Society
- Wildlife Protection Society of India
- World Animal Protection
- World Association of Zoos and Aquariums
- World Resources Institute
- World Wildlife Fund (WWF)
- Youth For Wildlife Conservation
- Zoological Society of London

C Private sector / Sector privado / Secteur privé

- AsiaCat
- C.F. Martin & Co., Inc.
- Chambre Syndicale de la Façture Instrumentale (CSFI)
- Confédération des Industries Musicales Européennes (CAFIM)
- Fédération des Entreprises de la Beauté
- Fender Musical Instrument Corp.
- Florida International University
- ForestBased Solutions, LLC
- Justin Gosling, Law Enforcement Consultant
- Loro Piana
- Madinter Trade, S.L.
- Overseas Traders
- Paul Reed Smith Guitars, Limited Partnership
- Taylor Guitars
- Universidad Jorge Tadeo Lozano Colombia
- Yale University