

AMENDMENTS TO APPENDICES I AND II OF THE CONVENTION

A. PROPOSAL

Deletion of Dipodomys phillipsii phillipsii from Appendix II.

B. PROPONENT

The Swiss Confederation.

C. SUPPORTING STATEMENT

1. Taxonomy

- 11. Class: Mammalia
- 12. Order: Rodentia
- 13. Family: Heteromyidae
- 14. Species: Dipodomys phillipsii phillipsii
- 15. Common Names: English: Phillips' kangaroo rat
French: rat-kangourou de Phillip
Spanish: Rata-canguro de Phillip
- 16. Code Numbers: 110.004.001.018 (ID Manual)

2. Biological Data

21. Distribution: Mexico. Range of the species (including ornatus):
NW Oaxaca to Durango.

22. Population: Not included in IUCN Red Data Book (1982).

There are no captive specimens recorded by the International Zoo
Yearbook Vol. 24/25.

23. Habitat: No information available.

3. Trade Data

31. National Utilization: No information available. Unlikely to be
any.

32. Legal International Trade: Has never been recorded in trade
since 1975.

33. Illegal Trade: No evidence.

34. Potential Trade Threats: None.

4. Protection Status

Commercial exports from Mexico are prohibited since 1982. For
non-commercial exports a permit is required.

CITES history: Listed at Washington, D.C., 1973. Has never been
reviewed.

5. Information on Similar Species

There are 20 other Dipodomys species which are not listed in CITES appendices. There is no Identification Manual data sheet on the listed subspecies.

6. Comments from Countries of Origin

Solicited but not received.

7. Additional Remarks

8. References

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Washington, D.C.

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Kansas.