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OF WILD FAUNA AND FLORA

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Consideration of Proposals for Amendment of Appendices I and II

Other Proposals

AMENDMENT OF THE SOMALI PROPOSAL FOR AMENDMENT OF APPENDICES I AND II  
- TRANSFER OF LOXODONTA AFRICANA FROM APPENDIX II TO APPENDIX I

This amendment is submitted by the delegation of Somalia.

Transfer of all populations of Loxodonta africana from Appendix II to Appendix I, with the provision that the seventh meeting of the Conference of the Parties shall establish a panel of experts, from a list submitted by UNEP, IUCN and TRAFFIC, to advise the Parties on requests for transfer of particular elephant populations back to Appendix II.

In accordance with Article XV of the Convention, any Party may propose such transfer back to Appendix II, and the Parties may approve such a proposal, after receiving a report from the panel of experts on the status of elephant conservation in each Party included in the proposal. This report shall address the status of elephant populations, the effectiveness of elephant conservation measures, and the degree of control of the movement of ivory within and through the Parties, for each Party included in the proposal, in accordance with criteria adopted at the seventh meeting of the Conference of the Parties.