

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

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DRAFT DECISIONS LINKED TO RESOLUTION CONF. 12.7 (STURGEON)

Prepared by a working groups of Committee II to replace the draft decisions present in Com. II. 19.

Directed to Parties

- 13.xxx In consultation with the CITES Secretariat and relevant experts, interested Party/ies will undertake an assessment of the technical and legal feasibility to establish a database concerning trade in sturgeon specimens subject to annual quotas as outlined in Resolution Conf. 12.7 (Rev. CoP13). This database would be updated regularly and could include ~~for instance, pending needs identifies under the assessment~~, information on species, specimens, volumes exported as well as status of export quotas, and country, date of issuance and number of export permits and re-export certificates that are sent to the CITES Secretariat by relevant Parties.
- 13.xxx Pending results of the assessment referred to in Decision 13.xxx, and subject to the availability of funds, ~~submit~~ the interested Party/ies [may] [should] submit a proposal~~concept~~ for a pilot project on the provision of a database referred to in Decision 13.xxx, to the Standing Committee at its 54th meetings.
- 13.xxx In accordance with the Standing Committee's regarding the ~~proposal~~concept referred to in Decision 13.xxx, the interested Party/ies concerned should report on the outcome of theis pilot project and its recommendation ~~on follow-up~~ to CoP14.

Directed to the Secretariat

- 13.xxx ~~Subject to the availability of funds~~Following and ~~conditional to~~ the Standing Committee's support ~~to~~for the proposed concept for the pilot project referred to in Decision 13.xxx ~~and to the availability of funds~~, all relevant information and documentation shall be forwarded on a regular basis [to the relevant Party] [to the experts] in charge, as approved by the Standing Committee at its 54th meeting.