



## CITES AFRICA REGIONAL WORKSHOP ON ELECTRONIC CITES PERMITTING SYSTEMS

09 - 10 October 2024

Conference Room 9 (Roof Top), United Nations Office Nairobi

### Programme

#### Wednesday, 09 October

09:00* – 09:30	Opening Session Juan Carlos Vasquez (moderator), Biodiversity and Land Branch, Ecosystems Division, UNEP Salehin Khan, Outreach and Projects Unit, CITES Secretariat
09:30 – 10:15	Electronic CITES Permitting (eCITES) Systems – Implications for a Legal, Sustainable and Traceable Trade – Juan Carlos Vasquez
10:15 – 10:45	<i>Break</i>
10:45 – 11:15	Implementation of the eCITES Systems – Salehin Khan
11:15 – 12:15	Electronic CITES Toolkit Version 3.0 and International Standards – Sue Probert, Domain Coordinator, UN/CEFACT
12:15 – 13:45	<i>Lunch Break</i>
13:45 – 14:45	Country Presentations – Mozambique
14:45 – 15:15	<i>Break</i>
15:15 – 16:15	Integration of eCITES systems with National Single Windows – Ibrahima Diagne, GAINDE2000 ( <a href="#">online</a> )
16:15 – 16:45	E-permitting system demonstration: Morocco
16:45 – 17:00	<i>Close of Day 1</i>

#### Thursday, 10 October

09:00 – 10:30	Country Presentations: South Africa, Uganda,
10:30 – 10:45	<i>Break</i>
10:45 – 11:45	Alternatives for physical endorsements/Use of two-dimensional barcodes (2D) in CITES permits – Henri Barthel ( <a href="#">online</a> )
11:45 – 12:45	HS Codes and Electronic Permit Information Exchange (EPIX) - Mathias Lörtscher (presented by Salehin Khan and Sylvia Probert)
12:45 – 14:00	<i>Lunch Break</i>
14:00 – 14:30	Moderator – Thea Caroll, Biodiversity and Land Branch, Ecosystems Division, UNEP Country Presentation: Kenya
14:30 – 15:30	Country Presentation: Madagascar, Sudan
15:30 – 16:30	ASYCUDA eCITES Solution – Olivio Correia Borges, Regional Coordinator, UNCTAD
16:30 – 16:45	<i>Close of workshop</i>

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