



NOTIFICATION TO THE PARTIES

No. 2021/022

Geneva, 2 March 2021

CONCERNING:

Reservations with respect to the amendments to the Appendices

1. In 1990, the Secretariat informed Parties that Malawi had entered a reservation with respect to the transfer of the African elephant *Loxodonta africana* from Appendix II to Appendix I. The Depositary Government (Government of the Swiss Confederation) has informed the Secretariat that, on 26 January 2021, it received a letter from Malawi dated 5 January 2021 advising that it withdrew its reservation with respect to the transfer of the African elephant *Loxodonta africana* from Appendix II to Appendix I.
2. The Depositary Government has further informed the Secretariat that on 12 February 2021, it received a letter from United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland dated 11 February 2021 advising that was entering a reservation with respect to the inclusion of the following species in Appendix III: *Calotes ceylonensis*, *Calotes desilvai*, *Calotes liocephalus*, *Calotes liolepis*, *Calotes manamendrai*, *Calotes nigrilabris*, *Calotes pethiyagodai*, *Goniurosaurus kuroiwae*, *Goniurosaurus orientalis*, *Goniurosaurus sengokui*, *Goniurosaurus splendens*, *Goniurosaurus toyamai*, *Goniurosaurus yamashinae* and *Echinotriton andersoni*. This reservation applies to Bermuda, British Virgin Islands, Cayman Islands, Bailiwick of Guernsey, Isle of Man, Bailiwick of Jersey and Montserrat and to Northern Ireland.
3. In accordance with Article XXV, paragraph 2, of the Convention, the above information has been communicated officially to the signatory and acceding States of the Convention through a notification from the Depositary Government.
4. The most recent version of the "Specific reservations entered by Parties" is available on the CITES website under "[Reservations](#)".