



NOTIFICATION TO THE PARTIES

No. 2022/012

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CONCERNING:

THAILAND

E-permitting for terrestrial animals

1. This Notification is published at the request of Thailand.
2. The CITES Management Authority of Thailand wishes to inform Parties of the implementation of the CITES E-Permitting System for terrestrial animals only, which took effect on 1 February 2022.
3. The e-permitting system can be accessed at the following address: <http://cites.dnp.go.th/>.
4. Previously, the CITES Management Authority of Thailand for terrestrial animals has operated an e-permitting system for applicants to submit requests for CITES permits. The CITES permit was printed in multiple copies and signed by an authorized person by handwriting. Following complete development of the system, the original CITES permit can be printed on secure paper with a tracking QR code at a wildlife checkpoint. The CITES permit will be signed by an authorized officer with an electronic signature. The permit will be endorsed by the wildlife checkpoint officer. In addition, the applicant can print out a copy of the permit by themselves through the e-permitting system. At present, the CITES permit is designed for both CITES-listed species and non-CITES-listed species which are announced under the provision of the Wildlife Conservation and Protection Act, BE 2562 (2019).
5. The sample permit can be found on the secure area of the CITES website (access is only available to CITES authorities).
6. If the Parties have any additional questions, please contact the CITES Management Authority of Thailand directly (see: <https://cites.org/eng/parties/country-profiles/th/national-authorities>).