



NOTIFICATION TO THE PARTIES

No. 2024/127

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CONCERNING:

PERU

Actions undertaken by Peru due to the inclusion of species of the genera Dipteryx spp. and Handroanthus spp. in CITES Appendix II

- 1. The present Notification is published at the request of Peru regarding the actions that it has been implementing in relation to the inclusion of species of *Dipteryx* spp. and *Handroanthus* spp. in CITES Appendix II, which will enter into force on 25 November 2024 (see <u>Notification to the Parties</u> <u>No. 2023/005</u>).
- Peru reports that it adopted the Action Plan for the proper implementation of the inclusion of Shihuahuaco (genus *Dipteryx*) and Tahuari (genus *Handroanthus*) in CITES Appendix II, years 2023 and 2024 (see <u>information document PC27 Inf. 13</u>), under which the Servicio Nacional Forestal y de Fauna Silvestre – SERFOR – has undertaken the following actions, among others:
 - Evaluation of the volume of stockpiles of timber products in primary processing centres, depots and/or commercial outlets, as well as the assessment of the management plans for species of *Dipteryx* and *Handroanthus*, in accordance with Annotation #17.
 - Adoption of the Sworn Declaration Form for Stockpiles of timber products of *Dipteryx* spp. and *Handroanthus* spp. for export purposes; moreover, the periods for declaring stockpiles of pre-Convention timber have been set: the ordinary period expired on 30 September 2024 and the extraordinary period is from 1 October to 24 November 2024. Declared products will be verified *in situ* to confirm their legal origin so that a CITES pre-Convention certificate can be granted if appropriate (<u>Resolución de Dirección Ejecutiva Nº D000182-2024-MIDAGRI-SERFOR-DE</u>).
- 3. From 25 November 2024, all shipments of these species exported from Peru will be accompanied by the respective CITES permits or pre-Convention certificates issued by the Servicio Nacional Forestal y de Fauna Silvestre SERFOR –, as the Management Authority of Peru.
- 4. The Government of Peru recommends that importing Parties take note of the provisions implemented by Peru.

Secretariat of the Convention on International Trade in Endangered Species of Wild Fauna and Flora (CITES)

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