



NOTIFICATION TO THE PARTIES

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CONCERNING:

DIGITAL ACCESS TO INTERNATIONAL AIR TRANSPORT ASSOCIATION (IATA) LIVE ANIMALS REGULATION (LAR)

1. The Secretariat is pleased to announce that, in accordance with Decision 19.159 on *Transport of live specimens*, it has secured 160 single-user access licenses for the [IATA LAR 2025 edition](#) in English, French and Spanish, specifically for developing country Parties.
2. The access codes will be allocated to the Management Authorities of developing country Parties, based on the levels or type of trade in live animals with priority to least developed countries, landlocked developing countries and Small Island Developing States. Each eligible Party will receive a maximum of two single-user access licenses to the LAR 2025 edition.
3. Interested Management Authorities are kindly requested to send an email to panida.charotok@cites.org, with a copy to khan.salehin@cites.org, with subject line: "Single User Access to IATA LAR [Country Name]".
4. The email should include volumes of trade in live animals (e.g. percentage of total trade), type of trade (e.g. high-value, low volume) and specific challenges for transporting animals due to lack of accessibility to IATA LAR. It must also include number (one or two) of access required and the preferred language. Emails must be submitted as soon as possible and **no later than 24 February 2025**.
5. The Secretariat extends its gratitude to Germany for their generous financial support, which made the procurement of this digital access possible.

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