



CONVENTION ON INTERNATIONAL TRADE IN ENDANGERED SPECIES
OF WILD FAUNA AND FLORA



NOTIFICATION TO THE PARTIES

REPUBLIC OF ARMENIA

BIENNIAL REPORT

2009-2010

A. General information

Party	ARMENIA
Period covered in this report: 1 January 2003 to 31 December 2004	01 January 2009 to 31 December 2010
Details of agency preparing this report	CITES Management Authority Department of Dendroparks Management of the Agency of Bioresources Management of the Ministry of Nature Protection of RA Government Bldg. 3, Republic Sq., Yerevan 0010, Republic of Armenia Tel: + (374 10) 580 711 Mob: + (374 94) 509803
Contributing agencies, organizations or individuals	

B. Legislative and regulatory measures

1	Has information on CITES-relevant legislation already been provided under the CITES National Legislation Project? If yes, ignore questions 2, 3 and 4.	Yes (fully) <input type="checkbox"/> Yes (partly) <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No information/unknown <input type="checkbox"/>
2	If any CITES-relevant legislation has been planned, drafted or enacted, please provide the following details: Title and date: Status: 1. Decision of the Government of Republic of Armenia No 1281-N, 22.10.2009 Enacted On approval of the Permit (Certificate) and Application forms and Regulation on issuing of the Permits(Certificates) to export from the Republic of Armenia and the import to the Republic of Armenia of wild fauna and flora species, their parts and derivatives regulated by CITES 2. Order of The Minister of Nature Protection of Armenia on 24 January 2011 No 15-A on approval of Regulation on conducting CITES registry procedures. Enacted Brief description of contents:	
3	Is enacted legislation available in one of the working languages of the Convention?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No information <input type="checkbox"/>

4	If yes, please attach a copy of the full legislative text or key legislative provisions that were gazetted.	legislation attached <input type="checkbox"/> provided previously <input type="checkbox"/> not available, will send later <input type="checkbox"/>																																																		
5	Which of the following issues are addressed by any stricter domestic measures adopted for CITES-listed species (in accordance with Article XIV of the Convention)?	Tick all applicable																																																		
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7	If no review or assessment has taken place, is one planned for the next reporting period?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> No information <input type="checkbox"/>																																																		
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8	Has there been any review of legislation on the following subjects in relation to implementation of the Convention? Tick all applicable			
	Subject	Yes	No	No information
	Access to or ownership of natural resources	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Harvesting	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Transporting of live specimens	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Handling and housing of live specimens	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Please provide details if available:				
9	<p>Please provide details of any additional measures taken:</p> <p>Since 2002 the export and import of wild plants and animals in Armenia is regulated by 2 separate regulations, adopted by Government of Republic of Armenia in 2002 18 July N1173-N & N 1174-N. In relation to implementation of the Convention the Government of Armenia in 2009 has adopted the new decision "On approval of permit/certificate and application forms and the regulation on issuing the permits/certificates of export and import of wild fauna and flora species, their parts derivatives, regulated by the CITES", as well as has been removed from the framework of the mentioned existing regulations the species and specimens listed in appendices of the CITES.</p>			

C. Compliance and enforcement measures

	Yes	No	No information
1	Have any of the following compliance monitoring operations been undertaken?		
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Review of reports and other information provided by traders and producers:		
	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Inspections of traders, producers, markets		
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Border controls		
	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Other (specify)		
2	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	Have any administrative measures (e.g. fines, bans, suspensions) been imposed for CITES-related violations?		
3	If Yes, please indicate how many and for what types of violations? If available, please attach details.		
4	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	Have any significant seizures, confiscations and forfeitures of CITES specimens been made?		
5	If information available:		
	<input type="checkbox"/> Significant seizures/confiscations		
	<input type="checkbox"/> Total seizures/confiscations		
	If possible, please specify per group of species or attach details.		
	Number		

6	Have there been any criminal prosecutions of significant CITES-related violations?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
7	If Yes, how many and for what types of violations? If available, please attach details as Annex.			
8	Have there been any other court actions of CITES-related violations?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
9	If Yes, what were the violations involved and what were the results? Please attach details as Annex.			
10	How were the confiscated specimens usually disposed of?	Tick if applicable		
	– Return to country of export			<input type="checkbox"/>
	– Public zoos or botanical gardens			<input type="checkbox"/>
	– Designated rescue centres			<input type="checkbox"/>
	– Approved, private facilities			<input type="checkbox"/>
	– Euthanasia			<input type="checkbox"/>
	– Other (specify)			<input type="checkbox"/>
	Comments:			
11	Has detailed information been provided to the Secretariat on significant cases of illegal trade (e.g. through an ECOMESSAGE or other means), or information on convicted illegal traders and persistent offenders?	Yes		<input type="checkbox"/>
		No		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
		Not applicable		<input type="checkbox"/>
		No information		<input type="checkbox"/>
	Comments:			
12	Have there been any cooperative enforcement activities with other countries (e.g. exchange of intelligence, technical support, investigative assistance, joint operation, etc.)?	Yes		<input type="checkbox"/>
		No		<input type="checkbox"/>
		No information		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
13	If Yes, please give a brief description:			
14	Have any incentives been offered to local communities to assist in the enforcement of CITES legislation, e.g. leading to the arrest and conviction of offenders?	Yes		<input type="checkbox"/>
		No		<input type="checkbox"/>
		No information		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
15	If Yes, please describe:			
16	Has there been any review or assessment of CITES-related enforcement?	Yes		<input type="checkbox"/>
		No		<input type="checkbox"/>
		Not applicable		<input type="checkbox"/>
		No information		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	Comments:			

17	Please provide details of any additional measures taken:
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D. Administrative measures

D1 Management Authority (MA)

1	Have there been any changes in the designation of or contact information for the MA(s) which are not yet reflected in the CITES Directory?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No information <input type="checkbox"/>
2	If Yes, please use the opportunity to provide those changes here.			
3	If there is more than one MA in your country, has a lead MA been designated?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No information <input type="checkbox"/>
4	If Yes, please name that MA and indicate whether it is identified as the lead MA in the CITES Directory.			
5	How many staff work in each MA? 6 people in Agency of Bioresources Management			
6	Can you estimate the percentage of time they spend on CITES-related matters? If yes, please give estimation	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No information <input type="checkbox"/>
7	What are the skills/expertise of staff within the MA(s)?	Tick if applicable		
	– Administration	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	– Biology	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	– Economics/trade	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	– Law/policy	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	– Other (specify)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	– No information	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
8	Have the MA(s) undertaken or supported any research activities in relation to CITES species or technical issues (e.g. labelling, tagging, species identification) not covered in D2(8) and D2(9)?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No information <input type="checkbox"/>
9	If Yes, please give the species name and provide details of the kind of research involved.			
10	Please provide details of any additional measures taken:			

D2 Scientific Authority (SA)

1	Have there been any changes in the designation of or contact information for the SA(s) which are not yet reflected in the CITES Directory?	Yes No No information	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
2	If Yes, please use the opportunity to provide those changes here.		
3	Is the designated Scientific Authority independent from the Management Authority?	Yes No No information	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
4	What is the structure of the SA(s)?	Tick if applicable	
	– Government institution		<input type="checkbox"/>
	– Academic or research institution		<input type="checkbox"/>
	– Permanent committee		<input type="checkbox"/>
	– Pool of individuals with certain expertise		<input type="checkbox"/>
	– Other (specify)		<input type="checkbox"/>
5	How many staff work in each SA on CITES issues?		
6	Can you estimate the percentage of time they spend on CITES-related matters If yes, please give estimation	Yes No No information	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
7	What are the skills/expertise of staff within the SA(s)?	Tick if applicable	
	– Botany		<input type="checkbox"/>
	– Ecology		<input type="checkbox"/>
	– Fisheries		<input type="checkbox"/>
	– Forestry		<input type="checkbox"/>
	– Welfare		<input type="checkbox"/>
	– Zoology		<input type="checkbox"/>
	– Other (specify)		<input type="checkbox"/>
	– No information		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
8	Have any research activities been undertaken by the SA(s) in relation to CITES species?	Yes No No information	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

9	If Yes, please give the species name and provide details of the kind of research involved.						
	Species name	Populations	Distribution	Off take	Legal trade	Illegal trade	Other (specify)
	[Please continue on separate sheet, as necessary.]					No information	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
10	Have any project proposals for scientific research been submitted to the Secretariat under Resolution Conf. 12.2?					Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>
						No	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
						No information	<input type="checkbox"/>
11	Please provide details of any additional measures taken:						

D3 Enforcement Authorities

1	Has the Secretariat been informed of any enforcement authorities that have been designated for the receipt of confidential enforcement information related to CITES?	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>
		No	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
		No information	<input type="checkbox"/>
2	If No, please designate them here (with address, phone, fax and email).		
3	Is there a specialized unit responsible for CITES-related enforcement (e.g. within the wildlife department, Customs, the police, public prosecutor's office)?	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>
		No	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
		Under consideration	<input type="checkbox"/>
		No information	<input type="checkbox"/>
4	If Yes, please state which is the lead agency for enforcement:		
5	Please provide details of any additional measures taken:		

D4 Communication, information management and exchange

1	To what extent is CITES information computerized?	Tick if applicable
	- Monitoring and reporting of data on legal trade	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	- Monitoring and reporting of data on illegal trade	<input type="checkbox"/>
	- Permit issuance	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	- Not at all	<input type="checkbox"/>
	- Other (specify)	<input type="checkbox"/>

2	Do the following authorities have access to the Internet? Tick if applicable						
	Authority	Yes, continuous and unrestricted	Yes, but only through a dial-up connection	Yes, but only through a different office	Some offices only	Not at all	Please provide details where appropriate
	Management Authority	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
	Scientific Authority	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Enforcement Authority	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		
3	Is there an electronic information system providing information on CITES species? Tick if applicable						
Yes						<input type="checkbox"/>	
No						<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
No information						<input type="checkbox"/>	
4	If Yes, does it provide information on: Tick if applicable						
– Legislation (national, regional or international)?						<input type="checkbox"/>	
– Conservation status (national, regional, international)?						<input type="checkbox"/>	
– Other (please specify)?						<input type="checkbox"/>	
5	Is it available through the Internet: Tick if applicable						
Yes						<input type="checkbox"/>	
No						<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Not applicable						<input type="checkbox"/>	
No information						<input type="checkbox"/>	
Please provide URL:							
6	Do the authorities indicated have access to the following publications? Tick if applicable						
Publication				Management Authority	Scientific Authority	Enforcement Authority	
<i>2003 Checklist of CITES Species</i> (book)				<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
<i>2003 Checklist of CITES Species and Annotated Appendices</i> (CD-ROM)				<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
<i>Identification Manual</i>				<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
<i>CITES Handbook</i>				<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	

7	If not, what problems have been encountered to access this information?		
8	Have enforcement authorities reported to the Management Authority on:	Tick if applicable	
	- Mortality in transport?		<input type="checkbox"/>
	- Seizures and confiscations?		<input type="checkbox"/>
	- Discrepancies in number of items in permits and number of items actually traded?		<input type="checkbox"/>
	Comments:		
9	Is there a government website with information on CITES and its requirements?	Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
		No	<input type="checkbox"/>
		No information	<input type="checkbox"/>
	If Yes, please give the URL: http://www.mnp.am		
10	Have CITES authorities been involved in any of the following activities to bring about better accessibility to and understanding of the Convention's requirements to the wider public?	Tick if applicable	
	- Press releases/conferences		<input type="checkbox"/>
	- Newspaper articles, radio/television appearances		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	- Brochures, leaflets		<input type="checkbox"/>
	- Presentations		<input type="checkbox"/>
	- Displays		<input type="checkbox"/>
	- Information at border crossing points		<input type="checkbox"/>
	- Telephone hotline		<input type="checkbox"/>
	- Other (specify)		<input type="checkbox"/>
	Please attach copies of any items.		
11	Please provide details of any additional measures taken:		

D5 Permitting and registration procedures

1	Have any changes in permit format or the designation and signatures of officials empowered to sign CITES permits/certificates been reported previously to the Secretariat?	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>
		No	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Not applicable	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
		No information	<input type="checkbox"/>
	If no, please provide details of any:		
	Changes in permit format:		
	Changes in designation or signatures of relevant officials:		
2	To date, has your country developed written permit procedures for any of the following?	Tick if applicable	

		Yes	No	No information		
	Permit issuance/acceptance	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		
	Registration of traders	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		
	Registration of producers	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		
3	Please indicate how many CITES documents were issued and denied in the two year period? (Note that actual trade is reported in the Annual Report by some Parties. This question refers to issued documents).					
	Year 1	Import or introduction from the sea	Export	Re-export	Other	Comments
	How many documents were issued?		2			Decision of the Government of Republic of Armenia No 1281-N on 22.10.2009 entered into force in 06.12.2009
	How many applications were denied because of serious omissions or misinformation?					
	Year 2					
	How many documents were issued?	3	121	8		
	How many applications were denied because of serious omissions or misinformation?					
4	Were any CITES documents that were issued later cancelled and replaced because of serious omissions or misinformation?			Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	
				No	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
				No information	<input type="checkbox"/>	
5	If Yes, please give the reasons for this.					
6	Please give the reasons for rejection of CITES documents from other countries.			Tick if applicable		
	Reason	Yes	No	No information		
	Technical violations	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		
	Suspected fraud	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		
	Insufficient basis for finding of non-detriment	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		
	Insufficient basis for finding of legal acquisition	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		
	Other (specify)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		
7	Are harvest and/or export quotas as a management tool in the procedure for issuance of permits?			Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	
				No	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
				No information	<input type="checkbox"/>	
	Comments I					

8	How many times has the Scientific Authority been requested to provide opinions? In accordance of provisions of the regulation (Decision of the Government of Republic of Armenia No 1281-N, 22.10.2009) the permits/certificates issued in 2009-2010, have not been subjects for issuance of opinions of the Scientific Authority.
9	Has the MA charged fees for permit issuance, registration or related CITES activities? Tick if applicable <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Issuance of CITES documents: <input type="checkbox"/> - Licensing or registration of operations that produce CITES species: <input type="checkbox"/> - Harvesting of CITES-listed species : <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> - Use of CITES-listed species: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> - Assignment of quotas for CITES-listed species: <input type="checkbox"/> - Importing of CITES-listed species: <input type="checkbox"/> - Other (specify): <input type="checkbox"/>
10	If Yes, please provide the amounts of such fees. The fees for use of natural resources (harvesting and hunting) are different for various animals or plants.
11	Have revenues from fees been used for the implementation of CITES or wildlife conservation? Tick if applicable <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Entirely: <input type="checkbox"/> - Partly: <input type="checkbox"/> - Not at all: <input type="checkbox"/> - Not relevant: <input type="checkbox"/> Comments:
12	Please provide details of any additional measures taken: The fees for use of natural resources (harvesting and hunting) are paid to State budget and aimed at effective and targeted use of natural resources.

D6 Capacity building

1	Have any of the following activities been undertaken to enhance effectiveness of CITES implementation at the national level? Tick if applicable																
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- Other (specify)			<input type="checkbox"/>														

2	<p>Have the CITES authorities received or benefited from any of the following capacity building activities provided by external sources?</p>						
<p>Please tick boxes to indicate which target group and which activity.</p>	<table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th data-bbox="737 385 821 656">Oral or written advice/guidance</th> <th data-bbox="821 385 911 656">Technical assistance</th> <th data-bbox="911 385 1000 656">Financial assistance</th> <th data-bbox="1000 385 1074 656">Training</th> <th data-bbox="1074 385 1123 656">Other (specify)</th> </tr> </thead> </table>	Oral or written advice/guidance	Technical assistance	Financial assistance	Training	Other (specify)	<p>What were the external sources?</p>
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Staff of Scientific Authority	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<p>1. CITES secretariat</p> <p>Participation of the representative of MA of Armenia in 15th meeting of the Conference of the Parties to CITES, Doha (Qatar), 2010 .</p> <p>2. IWMC,</p> <p>Participation of representative of MA in Workshop for the Eastern European Members of the CITES, Doha (Qatar), 2010.</p> <p>3. The International Fund for Animal Welfare (IFAW),</p> <p>- 2 representatives of MA of Armenia attended in training workshop on the theme "Prevention of Illegal Wildlife Trade and Law Enforcement" Tbilisi, (Georgia) 2010,</p> <p>- Technical assistance (computer equipments valued at \$ 1,347 USD) for MA of Armenia.</p>
Staff of enforcement authorities	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Traders	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
NGOs	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Public	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Other (specify)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	

3	Have the CITES authorities been the <i>providers</i> of any of the following capacity building activities?						Details
	Please tick boxes to indicate which target group and which activity.						
	Target group	Oral or written advice/guidance	Technical assistance	Financial assistance	Training	Other (specify)	
	Staff of Management Authority	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
	Staff of Scientific Authority	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
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Public	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		
Other parties/International meetings	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		
Other (specify)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		
4	Please provide details of any additional measures taken:						

D7 Collaboration/co-operative initiatives

1	Is there an inter-agency or inter-sectoral committee on CITES?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No information <input type="checkbox"/>				
2	If Yes, which agencies are represented and how often does it meet?							
3	If No, please indicated the frequency of meetings or consultancies used by the Management Authority to ensure co-ordination among CITES authorities (e.g. other MAs, SAs, Customs, police, others):							
		Daily	Weekly	Monthly	Annually	None	No information	Other (specify)
	Meetings	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Consultations	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		
4	At the national level have there been any efforts to collaborate with:		Tick if applicable		Details if available			
	Agencies for development and trade		<input type="checkbox"/>					
Provincial, state or territorial authorities		<input type="checkbox"/>						

	Local authorities or communities	<input type="checkbox"/>	
	Indigenous peoples	<input type="checkbox"/>	
	Trade or other private sector associations	<input type="checkbox"/>	
	NGOs	<input type="checkbox"/>	
	Other (specify)	<input type="checkbox"/>	
5	To date, have any Memoranda of Understanding or other formal arrangements for institutional cooperation related to CITES been agreed between the Management Authority and the following agencies?		Tick if applicable
	Scientific Authority	<input type="checkbox"/>	
	Customs	<input type="checkbox"/>	
	Police	<input type="checkbox"/>	
	Other border authorities (specify)	<input type="checkbox"/>	
	Other government agencies	<input type="checkbox"/>	
	Private sector bodies	<input type="checkbox"/>	
	NGOs	<input type="checkbox"/>	
	Other (specify)	<input type="checkbox"/>	
6	Have Government staff participated in any regional activities related to CITES?		Tick if applicable
	Workshops	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
	Meetings	<input type="checkbox"/>	
	Other (specify)	<input type="checkbox"/>	
7	Has there been any effort to encourage any non-Party to accede to the Convention?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No information <input type="checkbox"/>	
8	If Yes, which one(s) and in what way?		
9	Has technical or financial assistance been provided to another country in relation to CITES?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No information <input type="checkbox"/>	
10	If Yes, which country(ies) and what kind of assistance was provided?		
11	Has any data been provided for inclusion in the CITES Identification Manual?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No information <input type="checkbox"/>	
12	If Yes, please give a brief description.		
13	Have measures been taken to achieve co-ordination and reduce duplication of activities between the national authorities for CITES and other multilateral environmental agreements (e.g. the biodiversity-related Conventions)?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No information <input type="checkbox"/>	

14	If Yes, please give a brief description.
15	Please provide details of any additional measures taken:

D8 Areas for future work

1	Are any of the following activities needed to enhance effectiveness of CITES implementation at the national level and what is the respective level of priority?			
	Activity	High	Medium	Low
	Increased budget for activities	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Hiring of more staff	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Development of implementation tools	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Improvement of national networks	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Purchase of new technical equipment for monitoring and enforcement	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	Computerization Other (specify)	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
2	Were any difficulties encountered in implementing specific Resolutions or Decisions adopted by the Conference of the Parties?	Yes		<input type="checkbox"/>
		No		<input type="checkbox"/>
		No information		<input type="checkbox"/>
3	If Yes, which one(s) and what is the main difficulty?			
4	Have any constraints to implementation of the Convention arisen in your country requiring attention or assistance?	Yes		<input type="checkbox"/>
		No		<input type="checkbox"/>
		No information		<input type="checkbox"/>
5	If Yes, please describe the constraint and the type of attention or assistance that is required.			
6	Have any measures, procedures or mechanisms been identified within the Convention that would benefit from review and/or simplification?	Yes		<input type="checkbox"/>
		No		<input type="checkbox"/>
		No information		<input type="checkbox"/>
7	If Yes, please give a brief description.			
8	Please provide details of any additional measures taken:			

E. General feedback

Please provide any additional comments you would like to make, including comments on this format.

Thank you for completing the form. Please remember to include relevant attachments, referred to in the report. For convenience these are listed again below:

Question	Item	Enclosed	<input type="checkbox"/>
B4	Copy of full text of CITES-relevant legislation	Not available	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
		Not relevant	<input type="checkbox"/>
C3	Details of violations and administrative measures imposed	Enclosed	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Not available	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
		Not relevant	<input type="checkbox"/>
C5	Details of specimens seized, confiscated or forfeited	Enclosed	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Not available	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
		Not relevant	<input type="checkbox"/>
C7	Details of violations and results of prosecutions	Enclosed	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Not available	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
		Not relevant	<input type="checkbox"/>
C9	Details of violations and results of court actions	Enclosed	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Not available	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
		Not relevant	<input type="checkbox"/>
D4(10)	Details of nationally produced brochures or leaflets on CITES produced for educational or public awareness purposes	Enclosed	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Not available	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
		Not relevant	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Comments		