

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



Twenty-ninth meeting of the Animals Committee
Geneva (Switzerland), 18-22 July 2017

Adoption of the agenda and working programme

WORKING PROGRAMME
(provisional)

Tuesday 18 July 2017

- 09h00–12h30 Opening of the meeting
1. Agenda
 2. Working programme
 3. Rules of Procedure
 - 3.1 Adoption of the Rules of Procedure
 - 3.2 Revision of the Rules of Procedure [Decisions 17.3, 17.4 and 17.5]
 4. Admission of observers
 5. Animals Committee strategic planning for 2017-2019 (CoP17-CoP18)
 - 5.1 Resolutions and Decisions directed to the Animals Committee
 - 5.2 Animals Committee workplan
 13. Review of Significant Trade in specimens of Appendix-II species [Resolution Conf. 12.8 (Rev. CoP17)]
 - 13.1 Overview of the Review of Significant Trade
 - 13.2 Species selected following CoP16
 - 13.3 Selection of species for trade reviews following CoP17
 33. Periodic Review of the Appendices [Resolution Conf. 14.8 (Rev. CoP17)]
 - 33.1 Overview of species under periodic review
 - 33.2 Selection of species for the Periodic Review

14. Captive-bred and ranched specimens [Resolution Conf. 17.7]
 - 14.1 Review of trade in animal specimens reported as produced in captivity [Resolution Conf. 17.7 and Decision 17.105]
 - 14.2 Non-detriment findings for specimens with source code W, R and F [Decision 17.104]

12h30–14h00 Lunch

- 14h00–17h30
 35. Report of the specialist on zoological nomenclature [Resolution Conf. 12.11 (Rev. CoP17)] and Decisions 17.308, 17.310, 17.312 and 17.313]
 23. Sharks and rays (Elasmobranchii spp.) [Resolution Conf. 12.6 (Rev CoP16) and Decision 17.211]
 20. Sturgeons and paddlefish (Acipenseriformes spp.)
 - 20.1 Conservation of and trade in sturgeons and paddlefish [Resolution Conf. 12.7 (Rev CoP17)]
 - 20.2 Identification of sturgeons and paddlefish specimens in trade [Decisions 16.137 (Rev. CoP17) and 17.183]
 22. Precious corals (Order Antipatharia and family Coralliidae) [Decision 17.192]
 25. Banggai cardinalfish (*Pterapogon kauderni*)
 - 25.1 Report of the Secretariat [Decision 17.262]
 - 25.2 Indonesia's initial progress report [Decision 17.259]
 26. Queen conch (*Strombus gigas*) [Decisions 17.287 and 17.288]
 31. Snakes (Serpentes spp.)
 - 31.1 Conservation, sustainable use of and trade in snakes [Resolution Conf. 17.12 and Decision 17.279]
 - 31.2 Information from Benin, Ghana, Honduras, Indonesia and Togo [Decision 17.279]
 - 31.3 Standards for pythons traceability

Wednesday 19 July 2017

- 09h00–12h30 Working group meetings
- 12h30–14h00 Lunch
- 14h00–17h30 Working group meetings

Thursday 20 July 2017

- 09h00–12h30 Working group meetings
- 12h30–14h00 Lunch
- 14h00–15h30 Working group meetings
- 15h30–16h00 Break

- 16h00-17h30
21. Eels (*Anguilla* spp.) [Decision 17.188]
 24. Freshwater stingrays (Potamotrygonidae spp.) [Decisions 16.131 and 16.132]
 27. Black Sea bottlenose dolphin (*Tursiops truncatus ponticus*) [Decision 17.300]
 32. Tortoises and freshwater turtles (Testudines spp.) [Decision 17.293]
 29. African lion (*Panthera leo*) [Decision 17.242]
 28. African wild dog (*Lycaon pictus*) [Decision 17.238]
 16. Quotas for leopard hunting trophies [Decision 17.115]
 30. African grey parrots from DRC (*Psittacus erithacus*) [SC67 Summary Record, item 12.2]
 18. Definition of the term 'appropriate and acceptable destinations' [Decision 17.179]
 19. Progress in the development of an identification guide for the species of the genus *Abronia* (Alligator lizards)
- Working group reports

Friday 21 July 2017

- 09h00–12h30 Agenda and working group reports: continued
- 12h30–14h00 Lunch
- 14h00–17h30 Agenda and working group reports: continued
37. Regional reports
 - 37.1 Africa
 - 37.2 Asia
 - 37.3 Central and South America and the Caribbean
 - 37.4 Europe
 - 37.5 North America
 - 37.6 Oceania
 38. Any other business

Saturday 22 July 2017

- 09h00–10h00 *Opening session of the 23rd meeting of the Plants Committee*
- 10h10–12h30 Joint session with the 23rd meeting of the Plants Committee
6. Review of Terms of Reference of the Animals and Plants Committees contained in Resolution Conf. 11.1 (Rev. CoP17) [Decision 17.9]
 7. CITES Strategic vision [Decision 17.18]
 8. Appendix I-listed species [Decision 17.24]
 15. Specimens produced from synthetic or cultured DNA [Decision 17.90]

17. Transport of live specimens [Resolution Conf. 10.21 (Rev CoP16)]

36. Annotations [Decision 16.162 (Rev CoP17)]

12h30–14h00 Lunch

14h00–17h30 Joint session with the 23rd meeting of the Plants Committee

11. Intergovernmental Science-Policy Platform on Biodiversity and Ecosystem services (IPBES) [Decision 16.15 (Rev. CoP17)]

12. Strengthening conservation and sustainable production of selected Appendix II species in North America – synergies with the Commission for Environmental Cooperation

34 Appendix III listings [Decision 17.306]

13. Review of Significant Trade in specimens of Appendix-II species [Resolution Conf. 12.8 (Rev. CoP17)]

13.4 Country-wide significant trade reviews [Decision 17.111]

9. Capacity building and identification materials [Decisions 17.32 and 17.33]

10. Non-detriment findings [Resolution Conf. 16.7 (Rev. CoP17)]

Closing remarks of the joint session with the 23rd meeting of the Plants Committee

Closing session of the 29th meeting of the Animals Committee

39. Time and venue of the 30th meeting of the Animals Committee

40 Closing remarks