



NOTIFICATION TO THE PARTIES

No. 2007/037

Geneva, 12 November 2007

CONCERNING:

CITES Enforcement Expert Group

1. At its 14th meeting (The Hague, 2007), the Conference of the Parties instructed the Secretariat to convene a meeting of the CITES Enforcement Expert Group to examine a number of issues. One of the tasks for the Group will be to assess available information relating to any national action plans formulated in accordance with Resolution Conf. 11.3 (Rev. CoP14) (Compliance and enforcement).
2. The Secretariat is aware that some Parties have established national enforcement action plans or have undertaken work to prepare strategies and set priorities in relation to enforcement. It is also aware that some States have prepared documents that are equivalent to a regional action plan.
3. The Secretariat requests any Party or Parties that have undertaken such work to submit a copy of any relevant documents to the Secretariat, so that these can be considered by the CITES Enforcement Expert Group when it meets. It is requested that any relevant material be submitted by 31 January 2008.