



**Convention on the Conservation of Migratory Species  
of Wild Animals**



**REPORT OF THE 12th MEETING OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE**

**NAIROBI, 11 JUNE 1994**

**Members present**

AUSTRALIA (Oceania): Dr. Peter Bridgewater  
GERMANY (Depositary): Mr. Gerhard Adams  
SAUDI ARABIA (Asia): Dr. Hany Tatwany; Mr. Muhammad Zuhair Hassanain  
NIGER (Africa): Mr. François Codjo Sessou  
PANAMA (America and the Caribbean): Mr. Roberto Arango  
NETHERLANDS (Europe): Dr. Gerard Boere

**Report of the meeting**

1. The newly reconstituted Standing Committee met during the closing stages of the fourth meeting of the Conference of the Parties, for the purpose of electing a Chairman. The representative of the Depositary, Mr. Adams, chaired the meeting.
2. The Netherlands, seconded by Panama, nominated Australia as Chairman of the Standing Committee. Australia was elected by acclamation.
3. The election of a Vice-Chairman was deferred until the next meeting of the Committee.
4. The meeting noted that the positions of Chairman and Vice-Chairman rested with the Parties concerned.
5. The Chairman undertook to contact members to arrange a formal meeting of the Committee at an appropriate opportunity. There being no other business, the Chairman closed the meeting.