

Convention on the Conservation of Migratory Species of Wild Animals



RECOMMENDATION 7.1

COOPERATIVE ACTIONS FOR APPENDIX II SPECIES

Adopted by the Conference of the Parties at its Seventh Meeting (Bonn, 18-24 September 2002)

Noting that there are species or populations of species listed in Appendix II that have an unfavourable conservation status and which require urgent cooperation at the international level for their conservation and management;

Aware that not all such species are currently the object of an Agreement or can reasonably be expected to become the object of an Agreement to assist with their conservation; and

Noting further the conclusions and recommendations of the 11th meeting of the Scientific Council (Bonn, 14-17 September 2002);

The Conference of the Parties to the Convention on the Conservation of Migratory Species of Wild Animals

- 1. *Recommends* that the Parties undertake cooperative action to improve the conservation status of these species;
- 2. *Instructs* the Scientific Council to prepare for each meeting of the Conference of the Parties a list of such Appendix II species requiring special attention within the forthcoming reporting period;
- 3. *Directs* the Secretariat to assist the Scientific Council in establishing this review process, ensuring that a regular update of status is provided by the relevant focal point Councillor;
- 4. *Endorses* the recommendation of the Scientific Council at its 11th meeting that activities for species covered by Recommendations 5.2 and 6.2 be continued for a further three years (2003-2005), such that the list of species for which cooperative actions should either be continued or commence, as appropriate, is as appears in the table attached to this recommendation;
- 5. Recommends that the following species should also be the subject of cooperative action: Marine mammals: the porpoise Neophocoena phocaenoides; the dolphins Sousa chinensis, Tursiops aduncus, Stenella attenuata, Stenella longirostris, Lagenodelphis hosei and Orcaella brevirostris; and the Dugong Dugong dugon; Birds: Polystictus pectoralis pectoralis, Sporophila ruficollis, Pseudocolopteryx dinellianus; and
- 6. *Instructs* the Scientific Council to review the current practice in relation to the identification and implementation of cooperative actions for Appendix II species and to agree, at its 12th meeting, an amended procedure in this regard, taking into account the comparable review undertaken at its 11th meeting with respect to Concerted Action species, to be submitted to the Eighth Meeting of the Conference of the Parties.

SPECIES DESIGNATED FOR COOPERATIVE ACTIONS BY THE $5^{\rm th}$, $6^{\rm th}$ and $7^{\rm th}$ MEETINGS OF THE CONFERENCE OF THE PARTIES TO CMS

Year of adoption	Recommendation	Scientific name
1997	5.2	Crex crex
	5.2	Coturnix coturnix
	5.2	Cygnus melanocorypha
1999	6.2	Macronectes halli
	6.2	Macronectes giganteus
	6.2	Procellaria aequinoctialis
	6.2	Procellaria conspicillata
	6.2	Procellaria cinerea
	6.2	Procellaria parkinsoni
	6.2	Procellaria westlandica
	6.2	All Albatrosses
	6.2	Rhincodon typus
	6.2	Acipenser baerii baicalensis
	6.2	Acipenser gueldenstaedtii
	6.2	Acipenser medirostris
	6.2	Acipenser mikadoi
	6.2	Acipenser naccarii
	6.2	Acipenser nudiventris
	6.2	Acipenser pericus
	6.2	Acipenser ruthenus
	6.2	Acipenser schrenckii
	6.2	Acipenser sinensis
	6.2	Acipenser stellatus
	6.2	Acipenser sturio
	6.2	Huso dauricus
	6.2	Huso huso
	6.2	Pseudoscaphirhynchus fedtschenkoi
	6.2	Pseudoscaphirhynchus hermanni
	6.2	Pseudoscaphirhynchus kaufmann
	6.2	Psephurus gladius
	6.2	Loxodonta africana
	6.2	Spheniscus demersus
	6.2	Pontoporia blainvillei
	6.2	Lagenorhynchus australis
	6.2	Lagenorhynchus obscurus
	6.2	Phocoena spinipinnis
	6.2	Phocoena dioptrica
	6.2	Cephalorhynchus commersonii
	6.2	Cephalorhynchus eutropia
2002	7.1	Neophocoena phocaenoides
2002	7.1	Sousa chinensis
	7.1	Tursiops aduncus
	7.1	Stenella attenuata
	7.1	Stenella longirostris
	7.1	Lagenodelphis hosei
	7.1	Orcaella brevirostris
	7.1	Dugong dugon
	7.1	Polystictus pectoralis pectoralis
	7.1	Sporophila ruficollis
	7.1	Pseudocolopteryx dinellianus
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