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Notification to the Signatory and Acceding States to the Convention on International Trade in Endangered Species of Wild Fauna and Flora (CITES), concluded in Washington on 3 March 1973

I. Reservation made by Hungary

On 4 December 2012, Hungary entered, pursuant to Article XVI, paragraph 2, of the CITES, a reservation with respect to the following listing in Appendix III of the Convention:

- Vulpes vulpes griffithii
- Vulpes vulpes montana
- Vulpes vulpes pusilla
- Mustela altaica
- Mustela erminea ferghanae
- Mustela kathiah
- Mustela sibirica

II. Accession to the CITES and acceptance of the amendment of Gaborone by the Republic of Maldives

On 12 December 2012, the Republic of Maldives deposited with the Swiss Federal Council an instrument of accession to the CITES.

According to its article XXII, paragraph 2, the Convention, amended in Bonn on 22 June 1979, will enter into force for the Republic of Maldives 90 days after the deposit of the instrument of accession, i.e. on 12 March 2013.

On 12 December 2012, the Republic of Maldives declared also its acceptance of the amendment of article XXI of the CITES, adopted at Gaborone on 30 April 1983.

This amendment has not entered into force yet.

III. Acceptance of the amendment of Gaborone by the Republic of Cameroon

On 12 December 2012, the Republic of Cameroon deposited with the Swiss Federal Council an instrument of acceptance of the amendment of article XXI of the CITES, adopted at Gaborone on 30 April 1983.

The amendment of Gaborone has not entered into force yet.

The present notification is addressed to the Governments of the Signatory and Acceding States by the Depositary (www.fdfa.admin.ch/depositary) in conformity with article XXV, paragraph 2, of the CITES.

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