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Reservations following CITES CoP18

To the CITES Depositary,

Any Party (member State) of Convention on International Trade in Endangered Species of Wild Fauna and Flora (CITES), concluded in Washington on 3 March 1973, may make a unilateral statement that it will not be bound by the provisions of the Convention relating to trade in a particular species listed in the Appendices (or in a part or derivative listed in Appendix III). These statements are called reservations and may be made in accordance with Articles XV, XVI and XXIII of the Convention. As described in Articles XV and XVI of the text of the Convention, the reservations mentioned therein must be made by notification in writing to the Depositary Government within 90 days after the meeting of the Conference of the Parties i.e. by 26 November 2019.

Norway hereby enters reservations with reference to amendments made to Appendix II of the of the Convention, as adopted at the eighteenth Session of the Conference of the Parties (Geneva, Switzerland, 17-28 August 2019), concerning the following species:

- Isurus oxyrinchus
- Isurus paucus

Yours sincerely,

Norwegian Environment Agency, CITES Management Authority

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