



# **CITES E Permitting**

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# Management Authorities



- Provincial Management Authority
- Implementation of CITES in specific Provinces
- Registration of facilities
- Issuing of permits for:
  - Private Individuals and Institutions
- Compliance & Enforcement in the province



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# CIPS system

- Online system(Java, MYSQL)
- Application to endorsement (online)
- Registration of breeding facilities for appendix I (breeding stock management online)
- Cross Provincial (scientific authority) verification
- QR code for tracking (verification)
- Time frames alert
- **Phase 2**
  - GIS integration
  - SARS integration
  - Regional & International integration



# Challenges

- Change Management
  - Roles
  - Delegations
- Infrastructure assessment
- Training (internal and external)
- Managing Captive breeding registrations
- Support (IT and Technical)
- Original CITES permit ??



# THANK YOU!

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