



NOTIFICATION TO THE PARTIES

No. 2025/068 Geneva, 14 May 2025

CONCERNING:

<u>CITES Tree Species Project:</u> Webinars to support the preparation of project proposals

- 1. In line with Notification to the Parties No. 2025/059 issued on 25 April 2025, concerning the *Call for Project Proposals under the CITES Tree Species Project (CTSP)*, the CITES Secretariat will host a 90-minute webinar in each CITES working language to support interested Parties in preparing project proposals using the template provided in the Annex to that Notification.
- 2. The webinar is intended for CITES Management Authorities and national counterparts from ODAeligible CITES Parties that are range States of commercially important CITES-listed tree species. The webinar will provide guidance on project eligibility, explain the content of the project proposal template as outlined in the Annex to the above-mentioned Notification, and offer advice on developing high-quality proposals that meet the eligibility criteria and relevant requirements.
- 3. The webinar will be offered on the Microsoft Teams platform in the three official working languages of the Convention on the following dates:
 - English: Friday 23 May 2025, 10:00–11:30 CEST Please confirm your participation by registering by Wednesday 21 May 2025.
 - French: Wednesday 28 May 2025, 13:00–14:30 CEST Please confirm your participation by registering by Monday 26 May 2025.
 - Spanish: Friday 30 May 2025, 16:00–17:30 CEST
 Please confirm your participation by registering by Wednesday 28 May 2025.
- 4. Interested participants are invited to register via the online <u>registration form</u>. The Secretariat will provide further information and the meeting link to registered participants via email.
- 5. All webinars will be recorded and be made available on the CITES website to ensure that Parties not able to join the webinars have access to the recordings.
- 6. For any questions or technical difficulties, please contact: deleuil@cites.org.