A. General information

Party	Norway
Period covered in this report: 1 January 2003 to 31 December 2004	2003-2004
Details of agency preparing this report	Directorate for Nature Management
Contributing agencies, organizations or individuals	Øystein Størkersen

B. Legislative and regulatory measures

1	Has information on CITES-relevant legislation already been provided under the CITES National Legislation					Yes (fully) Yes (partly)			
	Project?	10 011 20	Logislation	No	artiy)				
	If yes, ignore questions	s 2, 3 and	d 4.		_	ormatio	n/unknown		
	16 01750 1 11								
2	If any CITES-relevant I the following details:	ed or ena	icted, p	lease provid	le				
	Title and date:			Status:					
	Brief description of contents:								
3	Is enacted legislation a		n one of	the working	Yes				
	languages of the Conv	ention?			No				
					No info	ormatio	n		
4	If yes, please attach a			•	legislation attached			_ 🔲	
	key legislative provisio	ns that w	ere gaze	tted.	provided previously			- ∐	
						vailable	e, will send	Ш	
					later				
5	Which of the following			• •			ick all applic	able	
	domestic measures ad with Article XIV of the	•		sted species (in	accordar	ice			
			ne condit	ions for:	The co	mplete	prohibition	of:	
	Issue	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No informa		
				information					
	Trade								
	Taking	\boxtimes							
	Possession	\boxtimes							
	Transport								
	Other (specify)					\boxtimes			
	Additional comments								

6	What were the results of any review or assessment of the effectiveness of CITES legislation, with regard to the following items?					
	Item	Adequate	Partially Inadequate	Inadequate	No information	
	Powers of CITES authorities				\boxtimes	
	Clarity of legal obligations				\boxtimes	
	Control over CITES trade				\boxtimes	
	Consistency with existing policy on wildlife management and use					
	Coverage of law for all types of offences					
	Coverage of law for all types of penalties					
	Implementing regulations				\boxtimes	
	Coherence within legislation				\boxtimes	
	Other (please specify):				\boxtimes	
	Please provide details if available	e:				
7	If no review or assessment has	taken place, is	one planned	Yes		
	for the next reporting period?			No		
				No inf	formation	
	Please provide details if available	e:				
8	Has there been any review of le in relation to implementation of	-	_	bjects Ti	ck all applicable	
	Subject		Yes	No	No information	
	Access to or ownership of natur	ral resources				
	Harvesting					
	Transporting of live specimens					
	Handling and housing of live spe	ecimens				
	Please provide details if available	e:				
9	Please provide details of any a Welfare Act	additional mea	sures taken:	Ongoing rev	ision of Animal	

C. Compliance and enforcement measures

		Yes	No inf	No ormation		
1	Have any of the following compliance monitoring opera	tions been (ons been undertaken?			
	Review of reports and other information provided by traders and producers:		\boxtimes			
	Inspections of traders, producers, markets	\boxtimes				
	Border controls	\boxtimes				
	Other (specify)					
2	Have any administrative measures (e.g. fines, bans, suspensions) been imposed for CITES-related violations?					
3	If Yes, please indicate how many and for what types of attach details. illegal imports ca. 20 + 30, fines issued		If available	, please		
4	Have any significant seizures, confiscations and forfeitures of CITES specimens been made?					
5	If information available:		Number	•		
	☐ Significant seizures/confiscations					
	☐ Total seizures/confiscations					
	If possible, please specify per group of species or attach details.					
6	Have there been any criminal prosecutions of significant CITES-related violations?					
7	If Yes, how many and for what types of violations? If a as Annex. Repeated illegal imports by zoo 1999-2001.	vailable, ple	ease attach	details		
8	Have there been any other court actions of CITES-related violations?					
9	If Yes, what were the violations involved and what were as Annex.	the results?	Please attac	ch details		
10	How were the confiscated specimens usually disposed	of?	Tick if a	pplicable		
	 Return to country of export 					
	- Public zoos or botanical gardens			\boxtimes		
	Designated rescue centres					
	Approved, private facilities					
	– Euthanasia					
	- Other (specify)					
	Comments: Own storage					

11	Has detailed information been provided to the Secretariat on significant cases of illegal trade (e.g. through an	Yes No	
	ECOMESSAGE or other means), or information on convicted illegal traders and persistent offenders?	Not applicable	
	megai traders and persistent offenders:	No information	
	Comments:	•	
12	Have there been any cooperative enforcement activities with	Yes	\boxtimes
	other countries	No	
	(e.g. exchange of intelligence, technical support, investigative assistance, joint operation, etc.)?	No information	
13	If Yes, please give a brief description:		
14	Have any incentives been offered to local communities to	Yes	
	assist in the enforcement of CITES legislation, e.g. leading to	No	
	the arrest and conviction of offenders?	No information	
15	If Yes, please describe:		
16	Has there been any review or assessment of CITES-related	Yes	
	enforcement?	No	\boxtimes
		Not applicable	
		No information	
	Comments:		
17	Please provide details of any additional measures taken:		

D. Administrative measures

D1 Management Authority (MA)

1	Have there been any changes in the designation of or contact information for the MA(s) which are not yet	Yes No	
	reflected in the CITES Directory?		
2	If Yes, please use the opportunity to provide those changes he	ere.	
3	If there is more than one MA in your country, has a lead MA been designated?	Yes No No information	
4	If Yes, please name that MA and indicate whether it is identific CITES Directory.	ed as the lead MA	in the

5	How many staff work in each MA? 2		
6	Can you estimate the percentage of time they spend on	Yes	\boxtimes
	CITES-related matters?	No	
	If yes, please give estimation 50% + 20%	No information	
7	What are the skills/expertise of staff within the MA(s)?	Tick if appl	icable
	 Administration 		
	- Biology		
	Economics/trade		
	Law/policy		
	Other (specify)		
	 No information 		
8	Have the MA(s) undertaken or supported any research	Yes	
	activities in relation to CITES species or technical issues	No	\boxtimes
	(e.g. labelling, tagging, species identification) not covered in D2(8) and D2(9)?	No information	
9	If Yes, please give the species name and provide details of the	kind of research	
	involved.		
10	Please provide details of any additional measures taken:		

D2 Scientific Authority (SA)

1	Have there been any changes in the designation of or	Yes	
	contact information for the SA(s) which are not yet reflected	No	\boxtimes
	in the CITES Directory?	No information	
2	If Yes, please use the opportunity to provide those changes he	ere.	
3	Is the designated Scientific Authority independent from the	Yes	
	Management Authority?	No	\boxtimes
		No information	
4	What is the structure of the SA(s)?	Tick if app	licable
	 Government institution 		\boxtimes
	Academic or research institution		
	- Permanent committee		
	 Pool of individuals with certain expertise 		
	- Other (specify)		
5	How many staff work in each SA on CITES issues? 2		·

6	Can you estimate the percentage of time they spend on Yes CITES-related matters							
		ase give estima	tion FOO/ + 20	0/		No		Ц
	-	No informa						
7	What are	the skills/expert	ise of staff with	in the SA	(s)?	Tick	if appli	cable
	- Botany	,						
	- Ecology							
	- Fisherie	es						
	Forestr	У						
	 Welfare 	е						
	- Zoolog	У						\boxtimes
	- Other (specify)						
	– No info	ormation						
8	Have any	research activit	ies been underta	aken by th	e SA(s) in	Yes		
	relation to	CITES species	?			No		\boxtimes
	No information							
9	If Yes, ple involved.	ease give the sp	ecies name and	provide de	etails of the	kind of resea	arch	
	Species	Populations	Distribution	Off	Legal	Illegal	Oth	ner
	name	Fopulations	DISTIDUTION	take	trade	trade	(spe	cify)
	[Please co	ontinue on separ	ate sheet, as ne	ecessary.]	.	No informa	tion	
10	_	project proposa				Yes		
	submitted	to the Secretar	iat under Resolu	ition Conf	. 12.2?	No		\boxtimes
						No informa	tion	
11	Please pro	ovide details of a	any additional m	easures ta	aken:			

D3 Enforcement Authorities

1	Has the Secretariat been informed of any enforcement authorities that have been designated for the receipt of confidential enforcement information related to CITES?	Yes No No information	
2	If No, please designate them here (with address, phone, fax	c and email).	
3	Is there a specialized unit responsible for CITES-related enforcement (e.g. within the wildlife department, Customs, the police, public prosecutor's office)?	Yes No Under consideration	
4	If Yes, please state which is the lead agency for enforceme	No information nt: The Police	
5	Please provide details of any additional measures taken:		

D4 Communication, information management and exchange

1	To what extent is	Tick if applicable					
	- Monitoring and	l report	ing of dat	ta on lega	ıl trad	е	
	- Monitoring and	l report	ing of dat	ta on illeg	al trad	de	
	- Permit issuance						
	 Not at all 						
	- Other (specify)						
2	Do the following a	authorit	ties have	access to	the I	nternet	? Tick if applicable
	Authority	Yes, continuous and unrestricted	Yes, but only through a dial-up connection	Yes, but only through a different office	Some offices only	Not at all	Please provide details where appropriate
	Management Authority	\boxtimes					
	Scientific Authority	\boxtimes					
	Enforcement Authority	\boxtimes					

3	Is there an electronic information system	nation `	Yes	\boxtimes	
	on CITES species?		I	No	
				No	
				information	
4	If Yes, does it provide information on:			Tick if applic	cable
	 Legislation (national, regional or internation) 	ational)?			\boxtimes
	 Conservation status (national, regional) 	I, international)?			\boxtimes
	– Other (please specify)?				
5	Is it available through the Internet:		•	Yes	\boxtimes
			I	No	
			ļ	Not applicable	
				No	
			i	information	
	Please provide URL: http://www.miljostatus.no	tp://www.dirnat.	no -	+	
6	Do the authorities indicated have access publications?	to the following		Tick if applic	able
	Publication	Management	Scientific		
		Authority	Authority	y Authori	ty
	2003 Checklist of CITES Species (book)				
	2003 Checklist of CITES Species and Annotated Appendices (CD-ROM)				
	Identification Manual	\square	\boxtimes		
	CITES Handbook		\boxtimes		
7	If not, what problems have been encoun	tered to access t	his inform	ation?	
8	Have enforcement authorities reported to Authority on:	the Managemer	nt	Tick if app	icable
	– Mortality in transport?				
	– Seizures and confiscations?				\boxtimes
	 Discrepancies in number of items in pactually traded? 	ermits and numb	er of items	S	
	Comments:				
9	Is there a government website with infor	mation on CITES	and Y	es	\boxtimes
	its requirements?		N	o	
			N	o information	
	If Yes, please give the URL: http://www.	dirnat.no/CITES			

Registration of traders

Registration of producers

10	Have CITES authorities been involved in any of t activities to bring about better accessibility to an understanding of the Convention's requirements public?	nd	Ū	Tick if applic	cable
	- Press releases/conferences				\boxtimes
	Newspaper articles, radio/television appearar	nces			\boxtimes
	- Brochures, leaflets				
	- Presentations				\square
	– Displays				\boxtimes
	 Information at border crossing points 				\boxtimes
	- Telephone hotline				
	- Other (specify)				
	Please attach copies of any items. Sent previous	ly			•••
11	Please provide details of any additional measures	s taken:			
D5 Pei	rmitting and registration procedures				
1	Have any changes in permit format or the designation	ation and		Yes	\square
ı	signatures of officials empowered to sign CITES	ation and		No	
	permits/certificates been reported previously to the	ne Secreta	riat?	Not applicable	
				No information	
	If no, please provide details of any:				
	Changes in permit format:				
	Changes in designation or signatures of re Sent previously	elevant of	ficials:		
2	To date, has your country developed written perr for any of the following?	nit proced	lures	Tick if applicable	e
		Yes	No	No information	on
	Permit issuance/acceptance				

 \boxtimes

3	Please indicate how many CITES documents were issued and denied in the two year							
	period? (Note that actual	trade is report	ed in the	Annua	al Re	port b	y some Parties.	This
	question refers to issued		¥	1	r			
	Year 1	Import or introduction from the sea	Export	Re- expo		Other	Comment	s
	How many documents were issued?		48	57				
	How many applications were denied because of serious omissions or misinformation?		Ο.	Ο.				
	Year 2							
	How many documents were issued?		56	86				
	How many applications were denied because of serious omissions or misinformation?		Ο.	Ο.				
4	Were any CITES documents that were issued later cancelled and Yes replaced because of serious omissions or misinformation? No No information							
5	If Yes, please give the rea	asons for this.						
6	Please give the reasons for other countries.	or rejection of (CITES do	cumen	ts fro	om	Tick if app	olicable
	Rea	ason		,	Yes	No	No informa	tion
	Technical violations							
	Suspected fraud							
	Insufficient basis for findi	ng of non-detri	ment					
	Insufficient basis for findi	ng of legal acq	uisition					
	Other (specify)							
7	Are harvest and/or export	•	anageme	ent too	l in t	he	Yes	
	procedure for issuance of	permits?					No	片
	Commente Wheling avert	20					No information	ı 🗀
8	Comments Whaling quota		ority hee	n regu	ASTA	d to pr	rovide oninions?	Daily
8	How many times has the Scientific Authority been requested to provide opinions? Daily							

9	Has the MA charged fees for permirelated CITES activities?	t issuar	nce, registration or	Tick if appl	licable
	 Issuance of CITES documents: 				
	 Licensing or registration of operation species: 	ations t	hat produce CITES		
	 Harvesting of CITES-listed speci 	es:			
	Use of CITES-listed species:				
	 Assignment of quotas for CITES 	-listed	species:		
	 Importing of CITES-listed specie 				
	- Other (specify):				
10	If Yes, please provide the amounts	of such	n fees.		
11	Have revenues from fees been used CITES or wildlife conservation?			Tick if appl	licable
	- Entirely:				
	- Partly:				
	- Not at all:				
	Not relevant:				
	Comments:				
12	Please provide details of any add	litional	measures taken:		
D6 Ca	pacity building				
1	Have any of the following activities effectiveness of CITES implementation			Tick if appli	icable
	Increased budget for activities		Improvement of national networks		
	Hiring of more staff		Purchase of technical equi monitoring/enforcement	pment for	
	Development of implementation		Computerization		
	tools		,		
	- Other (specify)				

2	Have the CITES authorities received or benefited from any of the following capacity building activities provided by external sources?						
	Please tick boxes to indicate which target group and which activity. Target group	Oral or written advice/guidance	Technical assistance	Financial assistance	Training	Other (specify)	What were the external sources?
	Staff of Management Authority						
	Staff of Scientific Authority						
	Staff of enforcement authorities				\boxtimes		
	Traders						
	NGOs						
	Public						
	Other (specify)						
3	Have the CITES authorities been th activities?	e <i>provi</i>	ders of	any of	the	follo	wing capacity building
	Please tick boxes to indicate which target group and which activity.	Oral or written advice/guidance	Technical assistance	Financial assistance	Training	Other (specify)	Details
	Target group Staff of Management Authority	O è	— ю —	ш ю	<u> </u>	0	
	Staff of Scientific Authority						
	Staff of enforcement authorities						
	Traders						
	NGOs						
	Public	\boxtimes					
	Other parties/International meetings						
	Other (specify)						
4	Please provide details of any addition	onal me	easures	taken:			

D7 Collaboration/co-operative initiatives

1	Is there an inter-agency or inter-sectoral committee on CITES? Yes								
							No		\boxtimes
							No inform	ation	
2	If Yes, which agencies are represented and how often does it meet?								
3	If No, please indicated the frequency of meetings or consultancies used by Management Authority to ensure co-ordination among CITES authorities (e. MAs, SAs, Customs, police, others):								er
		Daily	Weekly	Monthly	Annually	None	No information	Oth (spec	
	Meetings								
	Consultations				\boxtimes				
4	At the national collaborate with		ave there I	peen any e	efforts to	Tick if	applicable	Deta avail	
	Agencies for de	velopm	ent and tr	ade			\boxtimes		
	Provincial, state	e or terr	itorial autl	norities					
	Local authoritie	s or co	mmunities						
	Indigenous peo	ples							
	Trade or other p	orivate	sector ass	ociations			\boxtimes		
	NGOs								
	Other (specify)								
5	To date, have a arrangements for agreed between agencies?	or instit	utional co	operation	related to C	ITES be		if appli	cable
	Scientific Author	ority							
	Customs								
	Police								
	Other border au	ıthoritie	s (specify)					
	Other governme	ent age	ncies						
	Private sector b	odies							
	NGOs								
	Other (specify)								

6	Have Government staff participated in any regional activities related to CITES?	Tick if appli	cable
	Workshops		
	Meetings		
	Other (specify)		
7	Has there been any effort to encourage any non-Party to	Yes	
	accede to the Convention?	No	
		No information	
8	If Yes, which one(s) and in what way?		
9	Has technical or financial assistance been provided to	Yes	
	another country in relation to CITES?	No	
		No information	
10	If Yes, which country(ies) and what kind of assistance was pro	vided? Iceland	
11	Has any data been provided for inclusion in the CITES	Yes	
	Identification Manual?	No	\boxtimes
		No information	
12	If Yes, please give a brief description.	_	
13	Have measures been taken to achieve co-ordination and	Yes	
	reduce duplication of activities between the national authorities for CITES and other multilateral environmental	No	\boxtimes
	agreements (e.g. the biodiversity-related Conventions)?	No information	
14	If Yes, please give a brief description.		
15	Please provide details of any additional measures taken:		

D8 Areas for future work

1	Are any of the following activities needed to enhance effectiveness of CITES implementation at the national level and what is the respective level of priority?								
	Activity	High	Medium	Low					
	Increased budget for activities								
	Hiring of more staff			\boxtimes					
	Development of implementation tools								
	Improvement of national networks								
	Purchase of new technical equipment for monitoring and enforcement			\boxtimes					
	Computerization			\boxtimes					
	Other (specify)								

2	Were any difficulties encountered in implementing specific Resolutions or Decisions adopted by the Conference of the Parties?	Yes No	
	T di tioo.	No information	
3	If Yes, which one(s) and what is the main difficulty?		
4	Have any constraints to implementation of the Convention	Yes	
	arisen in your country requiring attention or assistance?	No	\boxtimes
		No information	
5	If Yes, please describe the constraint and the type of attention required.	n or assistance that	is
6	Have any measures, procedures or mechanisms been	Yes	
	identified within the Convention that would benefit from	No	
	review and/or simplification?	No information	
7	If Yes, please give a brief description.		
8	Please provide details of any additional measures taken:		

E. General feedback

Please provide any additional comments you would like to make, including comments on this format.

Thank you for completing the form. Please remember to include relevant attachments, referred to in the report. For convenience these are listed again below:

Question	Item		
B4	Copy of full text of CITES-relevant legislation	Enclosed	
		Not available	
		Not relevant	\boxtimes
С3	Details of violations and administrative measures imposed	Enclosed	
		Not available	
		Not relevant	\boxtimes
C5	Details of specimens seized, confiscated or forfeited	Enclosed	
		Not available	
		Not relevant	\boxtimes
C7	Details of violations and results of prosecutions	Enclosed	
		Not available	
		Not relevant	\boxtimes
C9	Details of violations and results of court actions	Enclosed	
		Not available	
		Not relevant	
D4(10)	Details of nationally produced brochures or leaflets on CITES	Enclosed	
	produced for educational or public awareness purposes	Not available	
		Not relevant	
	Comments CITES regulation: http://lovdata.no/for/sf/vd/xd-20021115-1276.html + http://www.dirnat.no/wbch3.exe?d = 10031&toppgif = dyrog planter (pdf file)		