A. General information

Party	
Period covered in this report (e.g. 1 January 2003 to 31 December 2004)	2007-2008
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 CI	ΓES-releva	ant legisla	ation already	Yes (fu	ılly)		
	been provided under the	ne CITES	National	Legislation	Yes (p	artly)		
	Project?				No			
	If yes, ignore question	s 2, 3 and	14.		No info	ormatio	n/unknown	
2	If any CITES-relevant I the following details:	egislation	has bee	n planned, draft	ed or ena	acted, p	lease provid	de
	av konvensjon 3. mars internasjonal handle m vill fauna og flora (CIT CITES). 15. Nov. 2002	andle med truete arter av ora (CITES) (Regulation on						
3	Is enacted legislation a				Yes			$\overline{\Box}$
	languages of the Conv				No			
					No information			
4	If yes, please attach a	copy of t	he full le	gislative text	legislation attached			
	or key legislative provi			-	provided previously			
						······	will send	
					later			
5	Which of the following domestic measures ad accordance with Articl	opted for	CITES-lis	sted species (in	eter	Т	ick all applic	able
		Th	ne condit	ions for:	The co	mplete	prohibition	of:
	Issue	Yes	No	No information	Yes	No	No informa	ation
	Trade					\boxtimes		
	Taking				\boxtimes			
	Possession							
	Transport							
	Other (specify)							
	Additional comments							-

6	What were the results of any review or assessment of the effectiveness of CITES legislation, with regard to the					
	following items?	action, with ros	gara to the			
	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 availabl	e:				
7	If no review or assessment has	•	one	Yes		
	planned for the next reporting p	eriod?		No	\boxtimes	
				No info	ormation	
	Please provide details if available					
8	Has there been any review of legislation on the following subjects in relation to implementation of the Convention?					
	Subject		Yes	No	No information	
	Access to or ownership of natu	ral resources				
	Harvesting					
	Transporting of live specimens					
	Handling and housing of live spe	ecimens				
	Please provide details if availabl	e: Revisons na	tional legislatio	on ongoing.		
9	Please provide details of any additional measures taken:					

C. Compliance and enforcement measures

		Yes	No info	No rmation
1	Have any of the following compliance monitoring operat	ions been u	undertaken?	
	Review of reports and other information provided by traders and producers		\boxtimes	
	Inspections of traders, producers, markets	\boxtimes		
	Border controls			
	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. 50, mainly fines issued.	violations.	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		52	
	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 as as Annex.	/ailable, ple	ease attach o	details
8	Have there been any other court actions of CITES-related violations?			
9	If Yes, what were the violations involved and what were t as Annex.	he results?	Please attac	h details
10	How were the confiscated specimens usually disposed of	of?	Tick if ap	plicable
	- Return to country of export			\boxtimes
	- Public zoos or botanical gardens			\boxtimes
	Designated rescue centres			
	Approved, private facilities			
	- Euthanasia			\boxtimes
	Other (specify): Products of specimens will be stored			
	Comments:			

11	Has detailed information been provided to the Secretariat on significant cases of illegal trade (e.g. through an ECOMESSAGE or other means), or information on convicted	Yes No	
	illegal traders and persistent offenders?	Not applicable	
		No information	
	Comments:		
12	Have there been any cooperative enforcement activities with	Yes	
	other countries (e.g. exchange of intelligence, technical	No	
	support, investigative assistance, joint operation, etc.)?	No information	
13	If Yes, please give a brief description: Neighbouring countries	& international sem	ninars.
14	Have any incentives been offered to local communities to	Yes	
	assist in the enforcement of CITES legislation, e.g. leading to the arrest and conviction of offenders?	No	
	the arrest and conviction of offenders:	No information	
15	If Yes, please describe: Through police investigations.		
16	Has there been any review or assessment of CITES-related	Yes	
	enforcement?	No	
		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 reflected in the CITES Directory?	Yes No No information	
2	If Yes, please use the opportunity to provide those changes I	nere.	
3	If there is more than one MA in your country, has a lead	Yes	
	MA been designated?	No	\boxtimes
		No information	
4	If Yes, please name that MA and indicate whether it is identically CITES Directory.	fied 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 CITES-related matters?	Yes No	
		No information	
	If yes, please give estimation: 50% + 20%		
7	What are the skills/expertise of staff within the MA(s)?	Tick if app	licable
	- 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	
	(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 involved.	e kind of research	
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		
	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	\boxtimes
	CITES-related matters	No	
		No information	
	If yes, please give estimation: 50% + 20%		

7	What are the skills/expertise of staff within the SA(s)? Tick if applicable						
	- Botany						
	- Ecology	У					
	- Fisherie	es					
	Forestr	У					
	 Welfare 	е					
	- Zoolog	У					\boxtimes
	- Other (specify):					
	No info	ormation					
8	_	research activiti		aken by th	e SA(s) in	Yes	
	relation to	CITES species?	?			No	
						No informa	
9	If Yes, ple involved.	ease give the spo	ecies name and	provide de	etails of the	kind of resea	arch
	Species	Populations	Distribution	Off	Legal	Illegal	Other
	name	- T Opdiations	Diotribation	take	trade	trade	(specify)
						No information	L:
10	Have one	nucicat nuccas	la far asiantifia :			No informati	tion 🔲
10	_	project proposa to the Secretar				Yes No	
	222				· · _ · _ ·	No informa	tion 🗀
11	Please pro	vide details of a	any additional m	easures ta	aken:	140 IIIIOIIIIa	
	i loddo pro	, viao aotalio di t	any additional m		41.011.		

D3 Enforcement Authorities

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

D4 Communication, information management and exchange

1	To what extent is	Tick if applicable						
	 Monitoring and 	report	ing of dat	ta on lega	l trade	е		
	 Monitoring and 	report	ing of dat	ta on illeg	al trac	de		
Ī	- Permit issuance	Э						
	- 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							
	Scientific Authority							
	Enforcement Authority							
3	Is there an electro		ormation	system pi	rovidir	ng info	rmation Yes	
	on CITES species?	?					No	
							No information	
4	If Yes, does it pro	vide in	formation	on:			Tick if applicable	
	 Legislation (nat 	ional, r	egional o	r internati	ional) ?	?		
	 Conservation s 	tatus (r	national, r	regional, i	nterna	ational)	?	
	 Other (please s 	pecify)	:					
5	Is it available thro	ugh the	e Internet	:			Yes	
							No	
							Not applicable	
							No information	
	Please provide UR	L: ww	w.dirnat.r	no/cites +	- ww	w.miljo	ostatus.no	

6	Do the authorities indicated have access publications?		Tick if applicable			
	Publication	Management Authority	Scientific Authority	Enforcement Authority		
	2003 Checklist of CITES Species (book)	\boxtimes				
	2003 Checklist of CITES Species and Annotated Appendices (CD-ROM)	\boxtimes				
	Identification Manual	\boxtimes	\boxtimes			
	CITES Handbook	\boxtimes	\boxtimes			
7	If not, what problems have been encount	tered to access t	his informati	on?		
8	Have Enforcement Authorities reported to Authority on:	the Manageme	nt	Tick if applicable		
	– Mortality in transport?		V	\boxtimes		
	– Seizures and confiscations?			\boxtimes		
	 Discrepancies in number of items in poor of items actually traded? 	ermits and numb	er			
	Comments:					
9	Is there a government website with infor	mation on CITES	and Yes	\boxtimes		
	its requirements?		No			
			No i	nformation 🗌		
	If Yes, please give the URL: www.dirnat.	no/cites				
10	Have CITES authorities been involved in any of the following activities to bring about better accessibility to and understanding of the Convention's requirements to the wider public?					
	- Press releases/conferences					
	 Newspaper articles, radio/television ap 	pearances		\boxtimes		
	- Brochures, leaflets					
	- Presentations					
	– Displays					
	- Information at border crossing points					
	 Telephone hotline 					
	- Other (specify):					
	Please attach copies of any items.					
11	Please provide details of any additional m	neasures taken:				

D5 Permitting and registration procedures

1	Have any changes in peri signatures of officials em certificates been reported		Yes No Not applicable No information				
	If no, please provide deta		110				
	 Changes in permit for 						
	 Changes in designation 	n or signatures	of releva	ant official	s:		
2	To date, has your country for any of the following?	y developed wr	itten peri	ures	Tick if applicable		
		Yes No					on
	Permit issuance/acceptan	ice					
	Registration of traders				\square		
	Registration of producers				\boxtimes		
3	Please indicate how man period? (Note that actual question refers to issued	trade is reporte					
	Year 1	Import or introduction from the sea	Export	Re- export	Other	Comment	:S
	How many documents were issued?	0	36	62			
	How many applications were denied because of serious omissions or misinformation?	0	0	2			
	Year 2						
	How many documents were issued?	0	25	65			
	How many applications were denied because of serious omissions or misinformation?	0	0	1			
4	Were any CITES docume and replaced because of					Yes No	
5	If Yes, please give the rea	acone for this				No information	Ш
	in tes, blease dive the fea	asons for infs.					

6	Please give the reasons for rejection of CITES docum other countries.	Tick if applicable					
	Reason	Yes	No	No informati	on		
	Technical violations						
	Suspected fraud						
	Insufficient basis for finding of non-detriment						
	Insufficient basis for finding of legal acquisition						
	Other (specify):						
7	Are harvest and/or export quotas used as a managen	nent too	l in	Yes	\boxtimes		
	the procedure for issuance of permits?			No			
				No information			
	Comments						
8	How many times has the Scientific Authority been re	quested	to p	rovide opinions?	Daily		
9	Has the MA charged fees for permit issuance, registration or Tick if application						
	related CITES activities?						
	Issuance of CITES documents:	a			님		
	Licensing or registration of operations that product	ce CITES	spe	cies	\vdash		
	Harvesting of CITES-listed species				님		
	- Use of CITES-listed species				님		
	Assignment of quotas for CITES-listed species						
	- Importing of CITES-listed species						
10	- Other (specify):						
10	If Yes, please provide the amounts of such fees.		•	 : 1 · c 1			
11	Have revenues from fees been used for the implemer CITES or wildlife conservation?	ntation o)†	Tick if appl	icable		
	- Entirely						
	- Partly						
	– Not at all						
	 Not relevant 				\boxtimes		
	Comments:						
12	Please provide details of any additional measures tak	en:					

D6 Capacity building

1		any of the following activities been undertaken to enhance Tick if applicable iveness of CITES implementation at the national level?						ble
	Increased budget for activities		Impro	Improvement of national networks				
	Hiring of more staff		Purchase of technical equipmonitoring/enforcement					
	Development of implementation tools		Comp	outeriza	ition			
	Other (specify):							
2	Have the CITES authorities receive building activities provided by exte			from a	any d	of the	following capacity	/ -
	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 source	
	Staff of Management Authority							
	Staff of Scientific Authority					П		
	Staff of enforcement authorities							
	Traders							
	NGOs			\boxtimes				
	Public							
	Other (specify):							
3	Have the CITES authorities been the activities?	e <i>provi</i> e	ders of	any of	the	follo	wing capacity-build	ling
	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)	Details	
	Staff of Management Authority							
	Staff of Scientific Authority							
	Staff of enforcement authorities				\boxtimes			

	Traders								
	NGOs			\boxtimes					
	Public								
	Other parties/In- meetings	ternation	nal						
	Other (specify)								
4	Please provide of	details of	f any add	itional mea	asures takei	า:			
D7 Co	llaboration/coope	rative in	itiatives						
1	Is there an inte	r-agency	or inter-	sectoral co	ommittee or	n CITES?	Yes		\boxtimes
							No		
							No inform	ation	
2	If Yes, which agencies are represented and how often does it meet? Twice a year						r		
3	If No, please indicate the frequency of meetings or consultancies used by the Management Authority to ensure coordination among CITES authorities (e.g. other MAs, SAs, Customs, police, others):								
		Daily	Weekly	Monthly	Annually	None	No information		her cify)
	Meetings				\boxtimes				
	Consultations				\boxtimes				
4	At the national collaborate wit		ve there l	been any e	efforts to	Tick if	applicable		ails if lable
	Agencies for de	evelopm	ent and t	rade					
	Provincial, state or territorial authorities								
	Local authorities or communities								
	Indigenous peo	ples							
	Trade or other	private s	sector ass	sociations					
	NGOs								
	Other (specify)								

5	To date, have any Memoranda of Understanding or other formal arrangements for institutional cooperation related to CITES been agreed between the Management Authority and the following agencies?		icable			
	Scientific Authority					
	Customs		\boxtimes			
	Police		\boxtimes			
	Other border authorities (specify):					
	Other government agencies		\boxtimes			
	Private sector bodies					
	NGOs					
	Other (specify): Food and health agency/Medicinal agency		\boxtimes			
6	Have government staff participated in any regional activities related to CITES?	Tick if appl	icable			
	Workshops		\boxtimes			
	Meetings		\boxtimes			
	Other (specify):					
7	Has there been any effort to encourage any non-Party to	Yes				
	accede to the Convention?	No	\boxtimes			
		No information				
8	If Yes, which one(s) and in what way?					
9	Has technical or financial assistance been provided to	Yes	\boxtimes			
	another country in relation to CITES?	No				
		No information				
10	If Yes, which country(ies) and what kind of assistance was providelegate funding	vided? Aid progran	mme,			
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 coordination and reduce	Yes	\boxtimes			
	duplication of activities between the national authorities for CITES and other multilateral environmental agreements (e.g.	No				
	the biodiversity-related conventions)?	No information				
14	If Yes, please give a brief description. Governmental meetings w	vith sectors.				
15	Please provide details of any additional measures taken: Regular meetings.					

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		\boxtimes				
	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	Yes					
	Resolutions or Decisions adopted by the Conference of the		No				
	Parties?	No info					
3	If Yes, which one(s) and what is the main difficulty?						
4	Have any constraints to implementation of the Convention	Yes		\boxtimes			
	arisen in your country requiring attention or assistance?	No					
		No info	rmation				
5	If Yes, please describe the constraint and the type of attention required. Interpretation of exemption for household goods.	e describe the constraint and the type of attention or assistance that is erpretation of exemption for household goods.					
6	Have any measures, procedures or mechanisms been	Yes					
	identified within the Convention that would benefit from	No	\boxtimes				
	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	\boxtimes
		Not available	
		Not relevant	
C3	Details of violations and administrative measures imposed	Enclosed	
		Not available	\boxtimes
		Not relevant	
C5	Details of specimens seized, confiscated or forfeited	Enclosed	\boxtimes
		Not available	
		Not relevant	
C7	Details of violations and results of prosecutions	Enclosed	
		Not available	\boxtimes
		Not relevant	
C9	Details of violations and results of court actions	Enclosed	
		Not available	\boxtimes
		Not relevant	
D4(10)	Details of nationally produced brochures or leaflets on CITES	Enclosed	\boxtimes
	produced for educational or public awareness purposes	Not available	
		Not relevant	
	Comments CITES legilstaion in our national checklist (www.dirnat.no/CITES/sjekkliste page 14-16. Brochures and posters sent separately. On specimens seized see our annual report.		