

**96TH MEETING OF THE SCIENTIFIC REVIEW GROUP
ON TRADE IN WILD FAUNA AND FLORA¹**

**WEDNESDAY, 25 JANUARY 2023
HYBRID MEETING (BRUSSELS AND ONLINE)**

SHORT SUMMARY OF CONCLUSIONS

The SRG took the following decisions² under Articles 4.1(a)(i) and 4.2(a) of Council Regulation (EC) No 338/97:

1) SRG referral required for import of specimens of the following species / country combinations:

Species	Country	SRG agenda item
<i>Caracal aurata</i>	Uganda (C, F, R, W)	SRG 96/4/1/4
<i>Macaca fascicularis</i>	Indonesia (C, F, W) (confirmed)	SRG 96/4/1/5
<i>Morelia clastolepis</i>	Indonesia (C, F, W; >80 cm length) (confirmed)	SRG 96/4/1/5
<i>Morelia nauta</i>	Indonesia (C, F, W; >80 cm length) (confirmed)	SRG 96/4/1/5
<i>Morelia tracyae</i>	Indonesia (C, F, W; >80 cm length) (confirmed)	SRG 96/4/1/5
<i>Ranitomeya variabilis</i>	Peru ³	SRG 96/4/2/3
<i>Ornithoptera aesacus</i>	Indonesia (R)	SRG 96/4/2/4
<i>Ornithoptera chimaera</i>	Indonesia (R)	SRG 96/4/2/4
<i>Ornithoptera goliath</i>	Indonesia (R)	SRG 96/4/2/4
<i>Ornithoptera paradisea</i>	Indonesia (R)	SRG 96/4/2/4
<i>Ornithoptera priamus</i>	Indonesia (R)	SRG 96/4/2/4
<i>Trogonoptera brookiana</i>	Indonesia (R)	SRG 96/4/2/4
<i>Troides criton</i>	Indonesia (R)	SRG 96/4/2/4
<i>Troides cuneifera</i>	Indonesia (R)	SRG 96/4/2/4
<i>Troides dohertyi</i>	Indonesia (R)	SRG 96/4/2/4
<i>Troides haliphron</i>	Indonesia (R)	SRG 96/4/2/4
<i>Troides helenae</i>	Indonesia (R)	SRG 96/4/2/4
<i>Troides hypolitus</i>	Indonesia (R)	SRG 96/4/2/4
<i>Troides miranda</i>	Indonesia (R)	SRG 96/4/2/4
<i>Troides oblongomaculatus</i>	Indonesia (R)	SRG 96/4/2/4
<i>Troides plato</i>	Indonesia (R)	SRG 96/4/2/4
<i>Troides prattorum</i>	Indonesia (R)	SRG 96/4/2/4
<i>Troides riedeli</i>	Indonesia (R)	SRG 96/4/2/4
<i>Troides vandepolli</i>	Indonesia (R)	SRG 96/4/2/4

¹ It is understood that the above opinions are also those of each Member State's Scientific Authority and will be reflected in any opinion given in relation to the application of Art. 4.1(a) and 4.2(a) of Regulation 338/97. These opinions will remain valid unless or until circumstances related to the trade or conservation status of the species change significantly.

² Unless specifically stated otherwise, all decisions relate to wild specimens.

³ To enter into force upon removal from the suspension regulation

<i>Pericopsis elata</i>	Democratic Republic of the Congo (confirmed)	SRG 96/4/1/7
<i>Cyclamen cilicium</i>	Republic of Turkey	SRG 96/4/1/8
<i>Cyclamen hederifolium</i>	Republic of Turkey	SRG 96/4/1/8

2) Positive opinion for import of specimens of the following species / country combinations:

Species	Country	SRG agenda item
<i>Capra falconeri</i>	Tajikistan (trophies W; for 20 individuals hunted over the period September 2023– March 2024)	SRG 96/4/1/2
<i>Ovis ammon</i>	Tajikistan	SRG 96/4/1/1
<i>Trioceros cristatus</i>	Cameroon (confirmed)	SRG 96/4/2/2
<i>Morelia clastolepis</i>	Indonesia (W; <=80 cm length) (confirmed)	SRG 96/4/1/5
<i>Morelia nauta</i>	Indonesia (W; <=80 cm length) (confirmed)	SRG 96/4/1/5
<i>Morelia tracyae</i>	Indonesia (W; <=80 cm length) (confirmed)	SRG 96/4/1/5
<i>Cyclamen cilicium</i>	Republic of Turkey (A)	SRG 96/4/1/8
<i>Cyclamen hederifolium</i>	Republic of Turkey (A)	SRG 96/4/1/8

3) Negative opinion for import of specimens of the following species / country combinations:

Species	Country	SRG agenda item
<i>Ptyas mucosus</i>	Indonesia (W, F) (confirmed)	SRG 96/4/1/5
<i>Isurus oxyrinchus</i>	South Atlantic (X, W; South Atlantic Stock as defined by ICCAT, captured from 1 January 2023) (confirmed)	SRG 96/4/1/6
<i>Anguilla anguilla</i>	Algeria (W, R) (confirmed)	SRG 96/4/2/1
<i>Anguilla anguilla</i>	Morocco (W, R) (confirmed)	SRG 96/4/2/1
<i>Anguilla anguilla</i>	Tunisia (W, R) (confirmed)	SRG 96/4/2/1
<i>Pterocarpus santalinus</i>	India (W, I, A, Y) (confirmed)	SRG 96/4/2/1
<i>Nardostachys grandiflora</i>	Nepal (confirmed)	SRG 96/4/2/1
<i>Bulnesia sarmientoi</i>	Paraguay (confirmed)	SRG 96/4/2/1

4) Positive opinion for import of specimens of the following species / country combinations REMOVED:

Species	Country	SRG agenda item
<i>Varanus salvator</i>	Indonesia	SRG 96/4/2/5
<i>Python reticulatus</i>	Indonesia	SRG 96/4/2/5

5) The following species / country combinations to be removed from the Regulation prohibiting introduction to the EU:

Species	Country	SRG agenda item
<i>Ranitomeya variabilis</i>	Peru	SRG 96/4/2/3
<i>Ranitomeya ventrimaculata</i>	Peru	SRG 96/4/2/3

6) Taxon / country combinations “in consultation”:

Species	Country	SRG agenda item
<i>Acinonyx jubatus</i>	Namibia (trophies W)	SRG 96/9/6/4
<i>Trioceros cristatus</i>	Cameroon	SRG 96/4/2/2
<i>Varanus salvator</i>	Indonesia	SRG 96/4/2/5
<i>Python reticulatus</i>	Indonesia	SRG 96/4/2/5
<i>Carcharhinus falciformis</i>	Kenya	SRG 96/4/2/2
<i>Bulnesia sarmientoi</i>	Paraguay (continue)	SRG 96/4/2/1
<i>Nardostachys grandiflora</i>	Nepal (continue)	SRG 96/4/2/1
<i>Pericopsis elata</i>	Democratic Republic of the Congo (continue)	SRG 96/4/1/7

7) Taxon / country combinations for which a consultation has closed:

Species	Country	SRG agenda item
<i>Capra falconeri</i>	Tajikistan	SRG 96/4/1/2
<i>Ovis ammon</i>	Tajikistan	SRG 96/4/1/1
<i>Macaca fascicularis</i>	Indonesia (C, F, W)	SRG 96/4/1/5
<i>Ptyas mucosus</i>	Indonesia (F, W)	SRG 96/4/1/5
<i>Morelia clastolepis</i>	Indonesia	SRG 96/4/1/5
<i>Morelia nauta</i>	Indonesia	SRG 96/4/1/5
<i>Morelia tracyae</i>	Indonesia	SRG 96/4/1/5
<i>Ornithoptera aesacus</i>	Indonesia (R)	SRG 96/4/2/4
<i>Ornithoptera chimaera</i>	Indonesia (R)	SRG 96/4/2/4
<i>Ornithoptera goliath</i>	Indonesia (R)	SRG 96/4/2/4
<i>Ornithoptera paradisea</i>	Indonesia (R)	SRG 96/4/2/4
<i>Ornithoptera priamus</i>	Indonesia (R)	SRG 96/4/2/4
<i>Trogonoptera brookiana</i>	Indonesia (R)	SRG 96/4/2/4
<i>Troides criton</i>	Indonesia (R)	SRG 96/4/2/4
<i>Troides cuneifera</i>	Indonesia (R)	SRG 96/4/2/4
<i>Troides dohertyi</i>	Indonesia (R)	SRG 96/4/2/4
<i>Troides haliphron</i>	Indonesia (R)	SRG 96/4/2/4

<i>Troides helena</i>	Indonesia (R)	SRG 96/4/2/4
<i>Troides hypolitus</i>	Indonesia (R)	SRG 96/4/2/4
<i>Troides miranda</i>	Indonesia (R)	SRG 96/4/2/4
<i>Troides oblongomaculatus</i>	Indonesia (R)	SRG 96/4/2/4
<i>Troides plato</i>	Indonesia (R)	SRG 96/4/2/4
<i>Troides prattorum</i>	Indonesia (R)	SRG 96/4/2/4
<i>Troides riedeli</i>	Indonesia (R)	SRG 96/4/2/4
<i>Troides vandepolli</i>	Indonesia (R)	SRG 96/4/2/4
<i>Cyclamen cilicium</i>	Republic of Turkey	SRG 96/4/1/8
<i>Cyclamen hederifolium</i>	Republic of Turkey	SRG 96/4/1/8

8) Taxon / country combinations discussed by the SRG for which an opinion wasn't formed/confirmed:

Species	Country	SRG agenda item
<i>Echinophyllia maxima</i>	Australia	SRG 96/4/2/2
<i>Ranitomeya ventrimaculata</i>	Peru	SRG 96/4/2/3
<i>Loxodonta africana</i>	Tanzania	SRG 96/9/6/5

9) The SRG agreed to not accept import applications from non-permanent forest domains for all tree species, and to apply this restriction to the existing positive opinions in place for tree species as follows:

Species	Country	SRG agenda item
<i>Swietenia macrophylla</i>	Belize (except from non-permanent forest domains)	SRG 96/9/3/2
<i>Swietenia macrophylla</i>	Brazil (except from non-permanent forest domains)	SRG 96/9/3/2
<i>Swietenia macrophylla</i>	Guatemala (except from non-permanent forest domains)	SRG 96/9/3/2
<i>Swietenia macrophylla</i>	Mexico (except from non-permanent forest domains)	SRG 96/9/3/2
<i>Swietenia macrophylla</i>	Peru (except from non-permanent forest domains)	SRG 96/9/3/2
<i>Prunus africana</i>	Cameroon (except from non-permanent forest domains)	SRG 96/9/3/2
<i>Prunus africana</i>	Democratic Republic of the Congo (except from non-permanent forest domains)	SRG 96/9/3/2
<i>Guaiacum sanctum</i>	Mexico (except from non-permanent forest domains)	SRG 96/9/3/2
<i>Aquilaria beccariana</i>	Malaysia (except from non-permanent forest domains)	SRG 96/9/3/2
<i>Aquilaria filaria</i>	Malaysia (except from non-permanent forest domains)	SRG 96/9/3/2

<i>Aquilaria malaccensis</i>	Malaysia (except from non-permanent forest domains)	SRG 96/9/3/2
<i>Aquilaria microcarpa</i>	Malaysia (except from non-permanent forest domains)	SRG 96/9/3/2
<i>Aquilaria hirta</i>	Malaysia (except from non-permanent forest domains)	SRG 96/9/3/2
<i>Aquilaria rostrata</i>	Malaysia (except from non-permanent forest domains)	SRG 96/9/3/2