

## FEDERAL DEPARTMENT OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS

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> Notification to the Signatory and Acceding States to the Convention on International Trade in Endangered Species of Wild Fauna and Flora (CITES), concluded in Washington on 3 March 1973

## I. Accession by the Commonwealth of Dominica

On 4 August 1995, the Commonwealth of Dominica deposited with the Swiss Government an instrument of accession to the CITES. According to its article XXII, paragraph 2, the Convention, amended in Bonn on 22 June 1979, will enter into force for the Commonwealth of Dominica 90 days after the deposit of the instrument of accession, i.e. on 2 November 1995.

## II. Accession by the Republic of Belarus

On 10 August 1995, the Republic of Belarus deposited with the Swiss Government an instrument of accession to the CITES. According to ist article XXII, paragraph 2, the Convention, amended in Bonn on 22 June 1979, will enter into force for the Republic of Belarus 90 days after the deposit of the instrument of accession, i.e. on 8 November 1995.

The present notification is addressed to the Governments of the Signatory and Acceding States in conformity with article XXV, paragraph 2, of the CITES.

Berne, 3 October 1995