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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

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### ***I. Reservation made by the Slovak Republic***

On 26 May 2004, the Slovak Republic entered, pursuant to Article XVI, paragraph 2, of the CITES, a reservation with respect to the following listing in Appendix III of the Convention:

Fauna  
Mammalia  
Carnivora  
Canidae     *Vulpes vulpes griffithi*  
                  *Vulpes vulpes montana*  
                  *Vulpes vulpes pusilla*  
Mustelidae *Mustela altaica*  
                  *Mustela erminea ferghanae*  
                  *Mustela kathiah*  
                  *Mustela sibirica*

### ***II. Acceptance of the amendment of Gaborone by the Republic of Lithuania***

On 25 May 2004, the Republic of Lithuania deposited with the Swiss Government an instrument of acceptance of the amendment of article XXI of the CITES, adopted at Gaborone on 30 April 1983.

The amendment of Gaborone has not entered into force yet.

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, 1 July 2004

