

**100TH MEETING OF THE SCIENTIFIC REVIEW GROUP
ON TRADE IN WILD FAUNA AND FLORA¹**

**TUESDAY, 5 MARCH 2024 – WEDNESDAY, 6 MARCH 2024
BRUSSELS**

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>Prunus africana</i>	Democratic Republic of the Congo	SRG 100/4/1/1
<i>Trioceros feae</i>	Equatorial Guinea ³	SRG 100/4/2/2
<i>Trioceros montium</i>	Cameroon ³	SRG 100/4/2/2
<i>Trioceros quadricornis</i>	Cameroon ³	SRG 100/4/2/2
<i>Chelonoidis denticulatus</i>	Suriname (confirmed)	SRG 100/4/2/2
<i>Dalbergia retusa</i>	Nicaragua (confirmed)	SRG 100/4/2/2
<i>Dalbergia retusa</i>	Panama (confirmed)	SRG 100/4/2/2
<i>Pericopsis elata</i>	Congo (W in place for all concessions for which a negative opinion has not been adopted) (confirmed)	SRG 100/4/2/2
<i>Pterocarpus santalinus</i>	India (sources W, A and Y)	SRG 100/4/2/2

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

Species	Country	SRG agenda item
<i>Prunus africana</i>	Cameroon (bark W – wild dry bark for the following sub-quotas: Tchabal Mbabo (116 690 kg), Adamaoua 3 (54 690 kg), and Gang Ndaba Nord (61 530 kg)) (confirmed)	SRG 100/4/2/2

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 The decision will come into effect when this species / country combination is removed from the Suspension Regulation.

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

Species	Country	SRG agenda item
<i>Gonystylus</i> spp.	Malaysia	SRG 100/4/1/2
<i>Ornithoptera aesacus</i>	Indonesia (W, R)	SRG 100/4/1/6
<i>Ornithoptera chimaera</i>	Indonesia (W, R)	SRG 100/4/1/6
<i>Ornithoptera croesus</i>	Indonesia (W, R)	SRG 100/4/1/6
<i>Ornithoptera goliath</i>	Indonesia (W, R)	SRG 100/4/1/6
<i>Ornithoptera meridionalis</i>	Indonesia (W, R)	SRG 100/4/1/6
<i>Ornithoptera paradisea</i>	Indonesia (W, R)	SRG 100/4/1/6
<i>Ornithoptera priamus</i>	Indonesia (W, R)	SRG 100/4/1/6
<i>Ornithoptera rothschildi</i>	Indonesia (W, R)	SRG 100/4/1/6
<i>Ornithoptera tithonus</i>	Indonesia (W, R)	SRG 100/4/1/6
<i>Trogonoptera brookiana</i>	Indonesia (W, R)	SRG 100/4/1/6
<i>Troides amphrysus</i>	Indonesia (W, R)	SRG 100/4/1/6
<i>Troides andromache</i>	Indonesia (W, R)	SRG 100/4/1/6
<i>Troides criton</i>	Indonesia (W, R)	SRG 100/4/1/6
<i>Troides cuneifera</i>	Indonesia (W, R)	SRG 100/4/1/6
<i>Troides dohertyi</i>	Indonesia (W, R)	SRG 100/4/1/6
<i>Troides haliphron</i>	Indonesia (W, R)	SRG 100/4/1/6
<i>Troides helena</i>	Indonesia (W, R)	SRG 100/4/1/6
<i>Troides hypolitus</i>	Indonesia (W, R)	SRG 100/4/1/6
<i>Troides miranda</i>	Indonesia (W, R)	SRG 100/4/1/6
<i>Troides oblongomaculatus</i>	Indonesia (W, R)	SRG 100/4/1/6
<i>Troides plato</i>	Indonesia (W, R)	SRG 100/4/1/6
<i>Troides prattorum</i>	Indonesia (W, R)	SRG 100/4/1/6
<i>Troides riedeli</i>	Indonesia (W, R)	SRG 100/4/1/6
<i>Troides vandepolli</i>	Indonesia (W, R)	SRG 100/4/1/6
<i>Prunus africana</i>	Uganda (W, Y)	SRG 100/4/1/7
<i>Pericopsis elata</i>	Cameroon (W – originating from FMU 10 038)	SRG 100/4/1/9
<i>Pericopsis elata</i>	Congo (W – concessions managed by the companies SIFCO (with the exception of Tala-Tala FMU), and SEFYD Karagoua from the Republic of Congo) (confirmed)	SRG 100/4/2/2
<i>Pterocarpus erinaceus</i>	Benin	SRG 100/4/2/2
<i>Pterocarpus erinaceus</i>	Burkina Faso	SRG 100/4/2/2
<i>Pterocarpus erinaceus</i>	The Gambia	SRG 100/4/2/2
<i>Pterocarpus erinaceus</i>	Ghana	SRG 100/4/2/2
<i>Pterocarpus erinaceus</i>	Guinea-Bissau	SRG 100/4/2/2
<i>Pterocarpus erinaceus</i>	Mali	SRG 100/4/2/2
<i>Pterocarpus erinaceus</i>	Nigeria (confirmed)	SRG 100/4/2/2

<i>Pterocarpus erinaceus</i>	Sierra Leone	SRG 100/4/2/2
<i>Pterocarpus santalinus</i>	India (I) (confirmed)	SRG 100/4/2/2
<i>Prunus africana</i>	Cameroon (except where positive opinions apply)	SRG 100/4/2/2
<i>Uromastix geyri</i>	Mali (R, F) (confirmed)	SRG 100/4/2/2

4) SRG Referral for import of specimens of the following species / country combinations REMOVED:

Species	Country	SRG agenda item
<i>Gonystylus bancanus</i>	Malaysia	SRG 100/4/1/2
<i>Troides andromache</i>	Malaysia	SRG 100/4/1/3
<i>Ornithoptera aesacus</i>	Indonesia (R)	SRG 100/4/1/6
<i>Troides dohertyi</i>	Indonesia (R)	SRG 100/4/1/6
<i>Troides plato</i>	Indonesia (R)	SRG 100/4/1/6
<i>Troides riedeli</i>	Indonesia (R)	SRG 100/4/1/6
<i>Prunus africana</i>	Uganda	SRG 100/4/1/7

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

Species	Country	SRG agenda item
<i>Prunus africana</i>	Democratic Republic of the Congo (bark W – total annual quota of 231 860 kg of dry bark divided between the following sub-quotas: Ibathama and Mwenda: 72 000kg; Walikale: 30 000kg; Lume: 85 190 kg; Magurdjipa: 44 670 kg) (subject to clear indication of the origin in the export permit). Except for non-permanent forest domains.	SRG 100/4/1/1
<i>Trachyphyllia geoffroyi</i>	Malaysia (Sabah)	SRG 100/4/2/3

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

Species	Country	SRG agenda item
<i>Pterocarpus santalinus</i>	India (W, A, Y)	SRG 100/4/2/2

7) The following species / country combinations to be maintained in the Regulation prohibiting introduction in the EU:

Species	Country	SRG agenda item
<i>Varanus beccarii</i>	Indonesia	SRG 100/4/2/1
<i>Uromastix geyri</i>	Mali	SRG 100/4/2/2
<i>Strombus gigas</i>	Grenada	SRG 100/4/2/2

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

Species	Country	SRG agenda item
<i>Varanus dumerilii</i>	Indonesia	SRG 100/4/2/1
<i>Varanus jobiensis</i>	Indonesia	SRG 100/4/2/1
<i>Varanus salvadorii</i>	Indonesia	SRG 100/4/2/1
<i>Trioceros feae</i>	Equatorial Guinea	SRG 100/4/2/2
<i>Trioceros montium</i>	Cameroon	SRG 100/4/2/2
<i>Trioceros quadricornis</i>	Cameroon	SRG 100/4/2/2

9) Taxon / country combinations “in consultation”:

Species	Country	SRG agenda item
<i>Prunus africana</i>	Democratic Republic of the Congo	SRG 100/4/1/1
<i>Gonystylus</i> spp.	Malaysia (continue)	SRG 100/4/1/2
<i>Troides andromache</i>	Malaysia (continue)	SRG 100/4/1/3
<i>Hippopotamus amphibius</i>	Mozambique (trophies W)	SRG 100/4/1/5
<i>Ornithoptera aesacus</i>	Indonesia (C, F)	SRG 100/4/1/6
<i>Ornithoptera chimaera</i>	Indonesia (C, F)	SRG 100/4/1/6
<i>Ornithoptera goliath</i>	Indonesia (C, F)	SRG 100/4/1/6
<i>Ornithoptera paradisea</i>	Indonesia (C, F)	SRG 100/4/1/6
<i>Ornithoptera priamus</i>	Indonesia (C, F)	SRG 100/4/1/6
<i>Trogonoptera brookiana</i>	Indonesia (C, F)	SRG 100/4/1/6
<i>Troides criton</i>	Indonesia (C, F)	SRG 100/4/1/6
<i>Troides cuneifera</i>	Indonesia (C, F)	SRG 100/4/1/6
<i>Troides dohertyi</i>	Indonesia (C, F)	SRG 100/4/1/6
<i>Troides haliphron</i>	Indonesia (C, F)	SRG 100/4/1/6
<i>Troides helena</i>	Indonesia (C, F)	SRG 100/4/1/6
<i>Troides hypolitus</i>	Indonesia (C, F)	SRG 100/4/1/6
<i>Troides miranda</i>	Indonesia (C, F)	SRG 100/4/1/6
<i>Troides oblongomaculatus</i>	Indonesia (C, F)	SRG 100/4/1/6
<i>Troides plato</i>	Indonesia (C, F)	SRG 100/4/1/6
<i>Troides prattorum</i>	Indonesia (C, F)	SRG 100/4/1/6
<i>Troides riedeli</i>	Indonesia (C, F)	SRG 100/4/1/6
<i>Troides vandepolli</i>	Indonesia (C, F)	SRG 100/4/1/6
<i>Prunus africana</i>	Uganda (continue)	SRG 100/4/1/7
Anthozoa	Australia (continue)	SRG 100/4/1/8
Hydrozoa	Australia	SRG 100/4/1/8
<i>Pericopsis elata</i>	Cameroon (continue)	SRG 100/4/1/9
<i>Varanus dumerilii</i>	Indonesia	SRG 100/4/2/1
<i>Varanus jobiensis</i>	Indonesia	SRG 100/4/2/1
<i>Varanus salvadorii</i>	Indonesia	SRG 100/4/2/1
Anthozoa	Fiji	SRG 100/4/2/3
Hydrozoa	Fiji	SRG 100/4/2/3
Anthozoa	Solomon Islands	SRG 100/4/2/3
Hydrozoa	Solomon Islands	SRG 100/4/2/3

<i>Testudo hermanni</i>	North Macedonia (C) (continue)	SRG 100/5/1
<i>Testudo graeca</i>	North Macedonia (C) (continue)	SRG 100/5/1
<i>Cyclamen hederifolium</i>	Türkiye	SRG 100/9/4/1
<i>Galanthus woronowii</i>	Georgia	SRG 100/9/4/1
<i>Bulnesia sarmientoi</i>	Paraguay (continue)	SRG 100/12/1

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

*replaced by country consultation at the class taxonomic level

Species	Country	SRG agenda item
<i>Crocodylus niloticus</i>	Mozambique (W, R)	SRG 100/4/2/3
<i>Carcharhinus falciformis</i>	Kenya	SRG 100/4/2/3
<i>Trioceros cristatus</i>	Cameroon	SRG 100/4/2/3
<i>Ornithoptera aesacus</i>	Indonesia (R)	SRG 100/4/1/6
<i>Ornithoptera chimaera</i>	Indonesia (R)	SRG 100/4/1/6
<i>Ornithoptera goliath</i>	Indonesia (R)	SRG 100/4/1/6
<i>Ornithoptera paradisea</i>	Indonesia (R)	SRG 100/4/1/6
<i>Ornithoptera priamus</i>	Indonesia (R)	SRG 100/4/1/6
<i>Trogonoptera brookiana</i>	Indonesia (R)	SRG 100/4/1/6
<i>Troides criton</i>	Indonesia (R)	SRG 100/4/1/6
<i>Troides cuneifera</i>	Indonesia (R)	SRG 100/4/1/6
<i>Troides dohertyi</i>	Indonesia (R)	SRG 100/4/1/6
<i>Troides haliphron</i>	Indonesia (R)	SRG 100/4/1/6
<i>Troides helena</i>	Indonesia (W, R)	SRG 100/4/1/6
<i>Troides hypolitus</i>	Indonesia (R)	SRG 100/4/1/6
<i>Troides miranda</i>	Indonesia (R)	SRG 100/4/1/6
<i>Troides oblongomaculatus</i>	Indonesia (R)	SRG 100/4/1/6
<i>Troides plato</i>	Indonesia (R)	SRG 100/4/1/6
<i>Troides prattorum</i>	Indonesia (R)	SRG 100/4/1/6
<i>Troides riedeli</i>	Indonesia (R)	SRG 100/4/1/6
<i>Troides vandepolli</i>	Indonesia (R)	SRG 100/4/1/6
<i>Trachyphyllia geoffroyi</i>	Malaysia	SRG 100/4/2/3
<i>Euphyllia glabrescens</i>	Fiji (W)*	SRG 100/4/2/3
<i>Acanthastrea</i> spp.	Fiji (W)*	SRG 100/4/2/3
<i>Lobophyllia</i> spp.	Fiji (W)*	SRG 100/4/2/3
<i>Acrhelia</i> spp.	Fiji (W)*	SRG 100/4/2/3
<i>Echinophyllia</i> spp.	Fiji (W)*	SRG 100/4/2/3
<i>Seriatopora hystrix</i>	Fiji (W)*	SRG 100/4/2/3
<i>Tubipora musica</i>	Fiji (W)*	SRG 100/4/2/3
<i>Lobophyllia</i> spp.	Solomon Islands (W)*	SRG 100/4/2/3
<i>Pocillopora</i> spp.	Solomon Islands (W)*	SRG 100/4/2/3
<i>Seriatopora</i> spp.	Solomon Islands (W)*	SRG 100/4/2/3
<i>Stylophora</i> spp.	Solomon Islands (W)*	SRG 100/4/2/3
<i>Guibourtia</i> spp.	Cameroon	SRG 100/4/2/3

11) Further taxon / country combinations discussed by the SRG:

Species	Country	SRG agenda item
<i>Carcharhinus melanopterus</i>	China	SRG 100/4/1/4
<i>Carcharhinus melanopterus</i>	Indonesia	SRG 100/4/1/4
<i>Cuora amboinensis</i>	Indonesia	SRG 100/4/2/2
<i>Malayemys subtrijuga</i>	Indonesia	SRG 100/4/2/2
<i>Amazona farinosa</i>	Guyana, Suriname	SRG 100/4/2/2
<i>Ara ararauna</i>	Guyana, Suriname	SRG 100/4/2/2
<i>Ara chloropterus</i>	Guyana, Suriname	SRG 100/4/2/2
<i>Poicephalus gulielmi</i>	Democratic Republic of the Congo	SRG 100/4/2/2
<i>Notochelys platynota</i>	Indonesia	SRG 100/4/2/2
<i>Anguilla anguilla</i>	Algeria, Morocco, Tunisia	SRG 100/4/2/2
<i>Acinonyx jubatus</i>	Namibia (trophies W)	SRG 100/12/2

12) The SRG agreed that the following positive opinions would be amended to remove the mention ‘except from non-permanent forest domains’⁴:

Species	Country	SRG agenda item
<i>Swietenia macrophylla</i>	Belize	SRG 100/11
<i>Swietenia macrophylla</i>	Brazil	SRG 100/11
<i>Swietenia macrophylla</i>	Guatemala	SRG 100/11
<i>Swietenia macrophylla</i>	Mexico	SRG 100/11
<i>Swietenia macrophylla</i>	Peru	SRG 100/11
<i>Aquilaria</i> spp.	Malaysia	SRG 100/11
<i>Guaiaacum sanctum</i>	Mexico	SRG 100/11

⁴ It is recommended that all Scientific Authorities continue to use “Non-permanent forest domains” as one of the indicators of a non-sustainable harvest