STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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ANIMALS

The Endangered Species (Import and Export) Act 1976 (Modification) Order 1977

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The Secretary of State, in exercise of the powers conferred upon him by sections 3 and 11(2) of the Endangered Species (Import and Export) Act 1976**(a)** and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, after consulting a scientific authority, hereby makes the following order:—

Citation and commencement

1. This order may be cited as the Endangered Species (Import and Export) Act 1976 (Modification) Order 1977 and shall come into operation on 4th February 1977.

Interpretation

2.—(1) The Interpretation Act 1889**(b)** shall apply for the interpretation of this order as it applies for the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

(2) In this order "the Act" means the Endangered Species (Import and Export) Act 1976.

Modification of the Schedules to the Act

3.—(1) For the purpose of giving effect to amendments to the Convention made in pursuance of its provisions and of promoting the conservation of animals of a kind which appears to the Secretary of State to be endangered as a result of international trade, the Schedules to the Act shall be modified in accordance with the following provisions of this article.

(2) Schedule 1 to the Act shall be modified as follows—

(*a*) in Part I the following words shall be deleted—

"Primates

Macaca rhesus	Rhesus monkey
Macaca nemistrina	Pig-tailed monkey";

(a) 1976 c. 72.

(b) 1889 c. 63.

(*b*) in Part II—

(i) after the words—

"Perch	
Stizostedion vitreum glaucum	Blue walleye"

there shall be inserted the words—

"Drumfish	
Cynoscion macdonaldi";	

(ii) after the word "Butterflies" there shall be inserted the words—

"Ornithoptera	Birdwings"; and

(iii) for the words "Parnassius apollo apollo" there shall be substituted the words "Parnassius apollo".

(3) In Schedule 2—

(*a*) after the words—

"Dicksoniaceae	Dicksoniaceae"

there shall be inserted the words—

"Didiereaceae	Didiereaceae"; and

(*b*) after the words—

"Palmae	Areca ipot"

there shall be inserted in the second column of the Schedule the words—

"Chrysalidocarpus decipiens
Chrysalidocarpus lutescens
Neodypsis decaryi".

(4) In Schedule 3—

(*a*) in paragraph 9(*b*) after the words "Chrotogale owstoni (Owston's banded civet)" there shall be inserted the words—

"Colobus angolensis (Angolan colobus)
Colobus guereza (guereza)
Colobus polykomos (western black and white colobus, otherwise known as ursine colobus)"; and

(*b*) after paragraph 18 there shall be inserted the following paragraph—

"18A. The casque, whether or not attached to the upper part of the bill, of any bird of the species Rhinoplax vigil (helmeted hornbill), or any bottle or vase made wholly or partly thereof".

3rd February 1977.

Peter Shore,
Secretary of State for the Environment.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note does not form part of the Order.)

This Order modifies the Schedules to the Endangered Species (Import and Export) Act 1976 which imposes in the United Kingdom the restrictions on international trade contained in the Convention on International Trade in Endangered Species of Wild Fauna and Flora. The modifications made by this Order (*a*) give effect to changes made to Appendices I and II to the Convention by agreement of the party states to the Convention by bringing further animals, plants and items within the restrictions, and (*b*) bring under control trade in parts and products of a species (the helmeted hornbill) which appears to be endangered by international trade.

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