**Pacific CITES Preparatory Meeting**

**4 – 7 October 2022**

**Apia, Samoa**

**NOMINATION FORM**

Funding to support the travel for two nominated representatives from each of the Management and Scientific Authorities are for the Pacific CITES Parties:

* Fiji
* Palau
* Papua New Guinea
* Samoa
* Solomon Islands
* Tonga
* Vanuatu

Please return he completed nomination form no later than **31 August 2022** to karenb@sprep.org or juneyw@sprep.org

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**Please select whether you are:**

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| **Management Authority** |  |
| **Scientific Authority** |  |

**Please select whether you will be participating:**

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| **In-person** |  |
| **Virtually** |  |

**Please select your priority agenda items to be discussed at the Pre-CoP meeting:**

**Strategic Matters:**

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|  | 11. Appendix-I listed species |  |  | 17. Cooperation with organizations and multilateral environmental agreements |
|  | 12. World Wildlife Trade Report |  |  | 19. CITES and forests |
|  | 13. Engagement of indigenous peoples and local communities |  |  | 20. Tree species programme |
|  | 14. Livelihoods |  |  | 23. Role of CITES in reducing risk of future zoonotic disease emergence associated with international wildlife trade |
|  | 15. Participatory mechanisms for rural communities in CITES |  |  | 24. Implications of the COVID‑19 pandemic on the implementation of the Convention |
|  | 16. Capacity building |  |  | 25. Action plan on gender-related matters |

**Interpretation and Implementation Matters: Existing Resolutions and Decisions**

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|  | 26. Review of Resolutions |
|  | 27. Review of Decisions |

**Interpretation and Implementation Matters: General Compliance and Enforcement**

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|  | 28. National laws for implementation of the Convention |  |  | 34. Annual illegal trade reports |
|  | 29. Compliance matters |  |  | 35. Task Force on illegal trade in specimens of CITES-listed tree species |
|  | 30. Compliance Assistance Programme |  |  | 37. Wildlife crime linked to the Internet |
|  | 31. Country-wide Significant Trade Reviews |  |  | 38. Demand reduction to combat illegal trade |
|  | 32. Review of Resolution Conf. 11.3 (Rev. CoP18) on Compliance and enforcement |  |  | 39. Domestic markets for frequently illegally traded specimens |
|  | 33. Enforcement matters |  |  |  |

**Interpretation and Implementation Matters: Regulation of Trade**

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|  | 40. Guidance for making legal acquisition findings |  |  | 46. Trade in stony corals |
|  | 41. Electronic systems and information technologies and Authentication and control of permits |  |  | 47. Specimens produced through biotechnology |
|  | 42. Purpose codes on CITES permits and certificates |  |  | 48. Definition of the term 'appropriate and acceptable destinations' |
|  | 43. Non-detriment findings |  |  | 49. Introduction from the sea |
|  | 44. Identification materials |  |  | 50. Disposal of confiscated specimens  |

**Interpretation and Implementation Matters: Exemptions and Special Trade Provisions**

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|  | 53. Review of CITES provisions related to trade in specimens of animals and plants not of wild source |
|  | 54. Review of the provisions of Resolution Conf. 17.7 on Review of trade in animal specimens reported as produced in captivity |
|  | 55. Registration of operations that breed Appendix-I animal species in captivity for commercial purposes |
|  | 56. Guidance on the term ‘artificially propagated’ |
|  | 57. Specimens grown from wild-collected seeds or spores that are deemed to be artificially propagated |

**Species Specific Matters**

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|  | 61. Eels (Anguilla spp.)  |  |  | 77. Queen conch (Strombus gigas) |
|  | 64. Marine turtles (Cheloniidae spp. and Dermochelyidae spp.) |  |  | 80. Marine ornamental fishes |
|  | 65. Sharks and rays (Elasmobranchii spp.) |  |  | 82. Trade in medicinal and aromatic plant species |
|  | 70. Rosewood timber species [Leguminosae (Fabaceae)] |  |  | 83. Identifying species at risk of extinction for CITES Parties |

**Proposals to Amend the Appendices**

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|  | 89. Proposals to amend Appendices I and II |