

FEDERAL POLITICAL DEPARTMENT

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Notification  
to the Signatory or Contracting States of the  
CONVENTION ON INTERNATIONAL TRADE IN  
ENDANGERED SPECIES OF WILD FAUNA AND FLORA  
signed at Washington on 3 March 1973

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I

RATIFICATIONS BY THE MALAGASY REPUBLIC, THE REPUBLIC OF THE NIGER,  
THE KINGDOM OF MOROCCO AND THE REPUBLIC OF GHANA.

In application of Article XXV, paragraph 2, of the Convention on International Trade in Endangered Species of Wild Fauna and Flora, signed at Washington on 3 March 1973, the Federal Political Department has the honour to inform the Signatory or Contracting States that instruments of ratification have been deposited with the Swiss Government by the following States:

Madagascar	on 20 August	1975
Niger	on 8 September	1975
Morocco	on 16 October	1975
Ghana	on 14 November	1975

In conformity with Article XXII, paragraph 2, the Convention has come into force on 18 November 1975 for the Malagasy Republic and on 7 December 1975 for the Republic of the Niger. For the Kingdom of Morocco the Convention will come into force on 14 January 1976, and for the Republic of Ghana on 12 February 1976.

II

ACCESSION OF THE GERMAN DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC

Based on Article XXI of the Convention, the German Democratic Republic has deposited with the Swiss Government on 9 October 1975 an instrument of accession to the Convention on International Trade in Endangered Species of Wild Fauna and Flora.

The accession of the German Democratic Republic will take effect on 7 January 1976, in conformity with Article XXII, paragraph 2, of the Convention.

Berne, 12 December 1975.