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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

I. Accession by Mali

On 18 July 1994, the Republic of Mali deposited with the Swiss government an instrument of accession to the CITES, amended in Bonn on 22 June 1979, which will enter into force for it on 16 October 1994, according to article XXII, paragraph 2.

II. Withdrawal of a reservation by Japan

By letter dated 15 July 1994, registered on 19 July 1994, Japan withdrew, with effect on 29 July 1994, its reservation concerning the species *Eretmochelys imbricata* included in Appendix I to the CITES.

III. Acceptance of the amendment of Gaborone by Saint Kitts and Nevis

On the 30 May 1994, Saint Kitts and Nevis deposited an instrument of acceptance of the amendment, of 30 April 1983, to article XXI of the CITES.
The amendment doesn't enter 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, 25 July 1994
