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BIENNIAL REPORT (2009-2010)

**- “THE FORMER YUGOSLAV REPUBLIC OF
MACEDONIA” -**

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Ministry of Environment and Physical Planning

The report covers all exceptions made from the provision of Article 4,5,6,7 and 8 of the Convention on the Conservation of European Wildlife and Natural Habitats (Bern Convention).

Regarding Resolution No 2 (1993) of the Standing Committee (SC) general exceptions have been made in this period.

1. EXCEPTIONS CONCERNING STRICTLY PROTECTED FLORA SPECIES (APPENDIX I)

“The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia” did not have made any exception concerning strictly protected flora species.

2. EXCEPTIONS CONCERNING STRICTLY PROTECTED FAUNA SPECIES (APPENDIX II)

Name of species*	No of licenses	No of individuals (when practical)	Action permitted (a to f)	Reason (i to v)	Means of killing/capture	Impact on population
Canis lupus	-	-	C	i	hand	none
Felis silvestris	-	-	C	i	-	-
Anser erythropus	-	-	A	iv	live captive	-
Gallinago media	-	-	A	iv	-	-
Accipiter gentilis	-	-	A	iv	-	-

* In accordance with the Macedonian regulations (Law on Hunting) for the use of this species did not have obligations to request licenses from the Ministry of Agriculture, Forestry and Water-Economy/Department of Hunting.

3. EXCEPTIONS CONCERNING FALCONRY

None.

4. EXCEPTIONS CONCERNING PROTECTED FAUNA SPECIES (APPENDIX III)

Name of species*	No of license	Name of specimens	Reasons	Method used	Impact on population
Meles meles	-	-	-	-	-
Mustela nivalis	-	-	iv	hand / capture	none
Putorius putorius	-	-	iv	“	-
Vormela peregusna	-	-	iv	“	-
Martes martes	-	-	iv	“	-
Martes foina	-	-	iv	“	-
Phalacrocorax carbo	-	-	iv	“	-
Ardea cinerea	-	-	Iv	“	-

* In accordance with the Macedonian regulations (Law on Hunting, 2010) badger (*Meles meles*) is strict protected species, for the use of other fauna species did not have obligations to request licenses from the Ministry of Agriculture, Forestry and Water-Economy/Department of Hunting.

5. EXCEPTIONS CONCERNING THE USE OF MEANS OF CAPTURE AND KILLING SPECIFIED (APP. IV)

None.

IMPLEMENTATION IN THE PERIOD 2009-2010 OF RESOLUTIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE

Resolution No 1 and Recommendations No 14, 15 and 16 on Habitat conservation:

In the reporting period the Ministry of Environment and Physical Planning continued to realize the Work Program for the last two years (2009-2010).

The Department of Nature protection, especially the Division of Biological Diversity (DBD), with collaboration of the Division of Nature Heritage (DNH) and the Department of Sustainable Development (SSD) in the end of year 2008 (November-December) has prepared the two years Priorities of Nature Conservation in Macedonia (2009-2010). The first priority of the Department of Nature Protection is to fully implement obligation of the International Conventions and Agreements of Nature Conservation, especially CBD, BC/CE, CMS, RCW, AEW, EUROBATS, CITES etc.

Referring this important document the Division of Biological Diversity has proposed sixth projects for implementation of Resolutions and Recommendations of the SC/BC and the Administration of Environment and they has been included in the Annual Work-Program of MEPP (2009-2010).

Note: Information on the implementation of Resolution No 5 concerning the rules for the network of areas of special conservation interest (Emerald Network, 1998) is included in the Final Report of the realization of the Emerald Network Project in the Republic of Macedonia (MEPP, January 2009).

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