

# Biennial Report

Article 9 to the Bern Convention permits exceptions from the obligations accepted by Contracting Parties in pursuance of Articles 4 to 8. The possibility of derogating from the mentioned articles of the Convention is subject to two very clearly defined general conditions, and some non cumulative specific reasons, listed exhaustively in Article 9.

The two general conditions that must be met are:

- a. that there is no other satisfactory solution; and
- b. that the exception will not be detrimental to the survival of the population concerned.

These two conditions are mandatory and cumulative.

The specific reasons for which the exceptions may be granted are the following:

- i. for the protection of flora and fauna;
- ii. to prevent serious damage to crops, livestock, forests, fisheries, water and other forms of property;
- iii. in the interests of public health and safety, air safety or other overriding public interests (please, specify);
- iv. for the purposes of research and education, of repopulation, of reintroduction and for the necessary breeding;
- v. to permit, under strictly supervised conditions, on a selective basis and to a limited extent, the taking, keeping or other judicious exploitation of certain wild animals and plants in small numbers
- vi. falconry (falconry is dealt with separately)

These specific reasons are mandatory and non cumulative.

According to Article 9§2, Contracting Parties shall report every two years to the Standing Committee on the exceptions made. The reports must specify:

- a. the populations which are or have been subject to the exceptions and, when practical, the number of specimens involved;
- b. the means authorised for the killing or capture;
- c. the conditions of risk and the circumstances of time and place under which such exceptions were granted;
- d. the authority empowered to declare that these conditions have been fulfilled, and to take decisions in respect of the means that may be used, their limits and the persons instructed to carry them out;
- e. the controls involved.

## Respondent details

Country

> Lithuania

Entity

> Ministry of Environment of the Republic of Lithuania

# EXCEPTIONS CONCERNING STRICTLY PROTECTED FLORA SPECIES (ART. 5 - APPENDIX I)

## ANGIOSPERMAE

### ORCHIDACEAE

#### **Liparis loeselii**

##### **Confirmation of species occurrence**

Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country

The species occurs in the country

No of specimens involved (when practical)

> 2

No of licences

> 1

Reasons for issuing of licences (art. 9, i. to v.)

Reasons for issuing of licences (art. 9, i. to v.)

iv.: for research / education / repopulation / reintroduction / necessary breeding

Impact on population

> Non

Conditions of risk and the circumstances and the time and place under which exceptions were granted

Conditions of risk and the circumstances and the time and place under which exceptions were granted

> 2013

The authority empowered to declare that the conditions have been fulfilled

> Environmental Protection Agency

The controls involved

> Report submitted

### SAXIFRAGACEAE

#### **Saxifraga hirculus**

##### **Confirmation of species occurrence**

Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country

The species occurs in the country

No of specimens involved (when practical)

> 80

No of licences

> 1

Reasons for issuing of licences (art. 9, i. to v.)

Reasons for issuing of licences (art. 9, i. to v.)

iv.: for research / education / repopulation / reintroduction / necessary breeding

Impact on population

> Non

Conditions of risk and the circumstances and the time and place under which exceptions were granted

Conditions of risk and the circumstances and the time and place under which exceptions were granted

> 2013-2014. Plants were taken for artificial propagation with the aim to replant them in suitable habitats to regenerate local populations

The authority empowered to declare that the conditions have been fulfilled

> Environmental Protection Agency

The controls involved

> Report submitted.

Nature Research Centre

# EXCEPTIONS CONCERNING STRICTLY PROTECTED FAUNA SPECIES (ART. 6 - APPENDIX II)

Article 6 of the Convention prohibits the following:

- a) all forms of deliberate capture and keeping and deliberate killing;
- b) the deliberate damage to or destruction of breeding or resting sites;
- c) the deliberate disturbance of wild fauna, particularly during the period of breeding, rearing and hibernation, insofar as disturbance would be significant in relation to the objectives of this Convention;
- d) the deliberate destruction or taking of eggs from the wild or keeping these eggs even if empty;
- e) the possession of and internal trade in these animals, alive or dead, including stuffed animals and any readily recognisable part or derivative thereof, (where this would contribute to the effectiveness of the provisions of this article).

## Vertebrates

### AMPHIBIANS > CAUDATA

#### Salamandridae

#### Triturus cristatus

#### Confirmation of species occurrence

Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country

- The species occurs in the country

No. of specimens involved (when practical)

> 50

Authorised action (art. 6, a. to f.)

- the deliberate disturbance of wild fauna, particularly during the period of breeding, rearing and hibernation, insofar as disturbance would be significant in relation to the objectives of this Convention;

No. of licences

> 1

Reasons for issuing of licences (art. 9, i. to v.)

- iv.: for research / education / repopulation / reintroduction / necessary breeding

Impact on population

> No

Conditions of risk and the circumstances and the time and place under which exceptions were granted

> 2013

The authority empowered to declare that the conditions have been fulfilled

> Environmental Protection Agency

The controls involved

> Report submitted

Where appropriate: indiscriminate means of capture and killing

### AMPHIBIANS > ANURA

#### Bombinatoridae

#### Bombina bombina

#### Confirmation of species occurrence

Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country

- The species occurs in the country

No. of specimens involved (when practical)

> 50

Authorised action (art. 6, a. to f.)

the deliberate disturbance of wild fauna, particularly during the period of breeding, rearing and hibernation, insofar as disturbance would be significant in relation to the objectives of this Convention;

No. of licences

> 1

Reasons for issuing of licences (art. 9, i. to v.)

iv.: for research / education / repopulation / reintroduction / necessary breeding

Impact on population

> No

Conditions of risk and the circumstances and the time and place under which exceptions where granted

> 2013

The authority empowered to declare that the conditions have been fulfilled

> Environmental Protection Agency

The controls involved

> Report submitted

Where appropriate: indiscriminate means of capture and killing

## **Bufo**

### **Bufo calamita (Epidalea calamita)**

#### **Confirmation of species occurrence**

Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country

The species occurs in the country

No. of specimens involved (when practical)

> 50

Authorised action (art. 6, a. to f.)

the deliberate disturbance of wild fauna, particularly during the period of breeding, rearing and hibernation, insofar as disturbance would be significant in relation to the objectives of this Convention;

No. of licences

> 1

Reasons for issuing of licences (art. 9, i. to v.)

iv.: for research / education / repopulation / reintroduction / necessary breeding

Impact on population

> No

Conditions of risk and the circumstances and the time and place under which exceptions where granted

> 2013

The authority empowered to declare that the conditions have been fulfilled

> Environmental Protection Agency

The controls involved

> Report submitted

Where appropriate: indiscriminate means of capture and killing

### **Bufo viridis (Pseudepidalea viridis)**

#### **Confirmation of species occurrence**

Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country

The species occurs in the country

No. of specimens involved (when practical)

> 50

Authorised action (art. 6, a. to f.)

the deliberate disturbance of wild fauna, particularly during the period of breeding, rearing and hibernation, insofar as disturbance would be significant in relation to the objectives of this Convention;

No. of licences

> 1

Reasons for issuing of licences (art. 9, i. to v.)

iv.: for research / education / repopulation / reintroduction / necessary breeding

Impact on population

> No

Conditions of risk and the circumstances and the time and place under which exceptions were granted

> 2013

The authority empowered to declare that the conditions have been fulfilled

> Environmental Protection Agency

The controls involved

> Report submitted

Where appropriate: indiscriminate means of capture and killing

## **Hylidae**

### **Hyla arborea**

#### **Confirmation of species occurrence**

Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country

The species occurs in the country

No. of specimens involved (when practical)

> 201

Authorised action (art. 6, a. to f.)

the deliberate destruction or taking of eggs from the wild or keeping these eggs even if empty;

No. of licences

> 2

Reasons for issuing of licences (art. 9, i. to v.)

iv.: for research / education / repopulation / reintroduction / necessary breeding

Impact on population

> No

Conditions of risk and the circumstances and the time and place under which exceptions were granted

> 2013. 200 tadpoles were taken, artificially grown and released in suitable habitats.

In 2014 1 individual was taken for Kaunas T. Ivanauskas Zoological Museum for zoological collection.

The authority empowered to declare that the conditions have been fulfilled

> Environmental Protection Agency

The controls involved

> Report submitted

Where appropriate: indiscriminate means of capture and killing

## **REPTILES > CHELONIA (TESTUDINES)**

### **Emydidae**

## **Emys orbicularis**

### **Confirmation of species occurrence**

Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country

The species occurs in the country

No. of specimens involved (when practical)

> 38

Authorised action (art. 6, a. to f.)

the deliberate destruction or taking of eggs from the wild or keeping these eggs even if empty;

No. of licences

> 1

Reasons for issuing of licences (art. 9, i. to v.)

i.: protection of flora /fauna

Impact on population

> No

Conditions of risk and the circumstances and the time and place under which exceptions were granted

> 2013-04-15 to 2013-11-01. Eggs were taken from unsafe nests and hatched in Zoo. In 2014 turtles were released in suitable habitats.

The authority empowered to declare that the conditions have been fulfilled

> Environmental Protection Agency

The controls involved

> Report submitted

Where appropriate: indiscriminate means of capture and killing

## **BIRDS > GAVIIFORMES**

### **Gaviidae**

#### **All species of Gaviidae (*Gavia stellata*)**

### **Confirmation of species occurrence**

Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country

The species occurs in the country

No. of specimens involved (when practical)

> 2

Authorised action (art. 6, a. to f.)

all forms of deliberate capture and keeping and deliberate killing;

No. of licences

> 1

Reasons for issuing of licences (art. 9, i. to v.)

iv.: for research / education / repopulation / reintroduction / necessary breeding

Impact on population

> No

Conditions of risk and the circumstances and the time and place under which exceptions were granted

> 2013. Satellite transmitters affixed, birds released

The authority empowered to declare that the conditions have been fulfilled

> Environmental Protection Agency

The controls involved

> Report submitted

Where appropriate: indiscriminate means of capture and killing

5. Artificial light sources

## **BIRDS > CICONIIFORMES**

### **Ciconiidae**

#### **All species of Ciconiidae (Ciconia nigra)**

##### **Confirmation of species occurrence**

Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country

The species occurs in the country

No. of specimens involved (when practical)

> 5

Authorised action (art. 6, a. to f.)

the deliberate disturbance of wild fauna, particularly during the period of breeding, rearing and hibernation, insofar as disturbance would be significant in relation to the objectives of this Convention;

No. of licences

> 1

Reasons for issuing of licences (art. 9, i. to v.)

iv.: for research / education / repopulation / reintroduction / necessary breeding

Impact on population

> No

Conditions of risk and the circumstances and the time and place under which exceptions were granted

> 2013. Photos taken during nesting period from the nearby standing tree (in 25 m distance)

The authority empowered to declare that the conditions have been fulfilled

> Environmental Protection Agency

The controls involved

> Report submitted

Where appropriate: indiscriminate means of capture and killing

## **BIRDS > FALCONIFORMES**

### **Accipitridae**

#### **All species of Falconiformes (Pernis apivorus)**

##### **Confirmation of species occurrence**

Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country

The species occurs in the country

No. of specimens involved (when practical)

> 1

Authorised action (art. 6, a. to f.)

all forms of deliberate capture and keeping and deliberate killing;

No. of licences

> 1

Reasons for issuing of licences (art. 9, i. to v.)

iv.: for research / education / repopulation / reintroduction / necessary breeding



Impact on population

> No

Conditions of risk and the circumstances and the time and place under which exceptions were granted

> Satellite transmitter affixed

The authority empowered to declare that the conditions have been fulfilled

> Environmental Protection Agency

The controls involved

> Report submitted

Where appropriate: indiscriminate means of capture and killing

## **All species of Falconiformes (Haliaeetus albicilla)**

### **Confirmation of species occurrence**

Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country

The species occurs in the country

No. of specimens involved (when practical)

> 99

Authorised action (art. 6, a. to f.)

the deliberate disturbance of wild fauna, particularly during the period of breeding, rearing and hibernation, insofar as disturbance would be significant in relation to the objectives of this Convention;

No. of licences

> 2

Reasons for issuing of licences (art. 9, i. to v.)

iv.: for research / education / repopulation / reintroduction / necessary breeding

Impact on population

> No

Conditions of risk and the circumstances and the time and place under which exceptions were granted

> 2013 and 2014. Young birds ringed in the nests

The authority empowered to declare that the conditions have been fulfilled

> Environmental Protection Agency

The controls involved

> Report submitted

Where appropriate: indiscriminate means of capture and killing

## **Falconidae**

### **All species of Falconiformes (Falco tinnunculus)**

#### **Confirmation of species occurrence**

Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country

The species occurs in the country

No. of specimens involved (when practical)

> 2

Authorised action (art. 6, a. to f.)

the deliberate disturbance of wild fauna, particularly during the period of breeding, rearing and hibernation, insofar as disturbance would be significant in relation to the objectives of this Convention;

No. of licences

> 2

Reasons for issuing of licences (art. 9, i. to v.)

iv.: for research / education / repopulation / reintroduction / necessary breeding

Impact on population

> No

Conditions of risk and the circumstances and the time and place under which exceptions were granted

> 2013 and 2014. Filming and taking photos of the nest from a safe distance

The authority empowered to declare that the conditions have been fulfilled

> Environmental Protection Agency

The controls involved

> Report submitted

Where appropriate: indiscriminate means of capture and killing

## **BIRDS > GRUIFORMES**

### **Rallidae**

#### **Crex crex**

#### **Confirmation of species occurrence**

Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country

The species occurs in the country

No. of specimens involved (when practical)

> 1

Authorised action (art. 6, a. to f.)

all forms of deliberate capture and keeping and deliberate killing;

No. of licences

> 1

Reasons for issuing of licences (art. 9, i. to v.)

iv.: for research / education / repopulation / reintroduction / necessary breeding

Impact on population

> No

Conditions of risk and the circumstances and the time and place under which exceptions were granted

> 2013. Bird ringed and released

The authority empowered to declare that the conditions have been fulfilled

> Environmental Protection Agency

The controls involved

> Report submitted

Where appropriate: indiscriminate means of capture and killing

## **BIRDS > CHARADRIIFORMES**

### **Scolopacidae**

#### **Gallinago media**

#### **Confirmation of species occurrence**

Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country

The species occurs in the country

No. of specimens involved (when practical)

> 2

Authorised action (art. 6, a. to f.)

the deliberate disturbance of wild fauna, particularly during the period of breeding, rearing and hibernation, insofar as disturbance would be significant in relation to the objectives of this Convention;

No. of licences

> 1

Reasons for issuing of licences (art. 9, i. to v.)

iv.: for research / education / repopulation / reintroduction / necessary breeding

Impact on population

> No

Conditions of risk and the circumstances and the time and place under which exceptions were granted

> 2014. Filming and taking photos from safe distance

The authority empowered to declare that the conditions have been fulfilled

> Environmental Protection Agency

The controls involved

> Report submitted

## **Sternidae**

### **Sterna albifrons**

#### **Confirmation of species occurrence**

Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country

The species occurs in the country

No. of specimens involved (when practical)

> 50

Authorised action (art. 6, a. to f.)

all forms of deliberate capture and keeping and deliberate killing;

No. of licences

> 1

Reasons for issuing of licences (art. 9, i. to v.)

iv.: for research / education / repopulation / reintroduction / necessary breeding

Impact on population

> No

Conditions of risk and the circumstances and the time and place under which exceptions were granted

> 2014. Birds caught, ringed and releases. Ultra light microcomputers affixed on 3 individuals.

The authority empowered to declare that the conditions have been fulfilled

> Environmental Protection Agency

The controls involved

> Report submitted

Where appropriate: indiscriminate means of capture and killing

## **BIRDS > CORACIIFORMES**

### **Coraciidae**

#### **Coracias garrulus**

#### **Confirmation of species occurrence**

Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country

The species occurs in the country

No. of specimens involved (when practical)

> 20

Authorised action (art. 6, a. to f.)

the deliberate disturbance of wild fauna, particularly during the period of breeding, rearing and hibernation, insofar as disturbance would be significant in relation to the objectives of this Convention;

No. of licences

> 1

Reasons for issuing of licences (art. 9, i. to v.)

iv.: for research / education / repopulation / reintroduction / necessary breeding

Impact on population

> No

Conditions of risk and the circumstances and the time and place under which exceptions were granted

> 2013. Young birds ringed in the nests

The authority empowered to declare that the conditions have been fulfilled

> Environmental Protection Agency

The controls involved

> Report submitted

Where appropriate: indiscriminate means of capture and killing

## **BIRDS > PASSERIFORMES**

### **Sylviidae**

#### **All species of old subfamily Sylviinae (*Acrocephalus paludicola*)**

#### **Confirmation of species occurrence**

Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country

The species occurs in the country

No. of specimens involved (when practical)

> 2

Authorised action (art. 6, a. to f.)

the deliberate disturbance of wild fauna, particularly during the period of breeding, rearing and hibernation, insofar as disturbance would be significant in relation to the objectives of this Convention;

No. of licences

> 1

Reasons for issuing of licences (art. 9, i. to v.)

iv.: for research / education / repopulation / reintroduction / necessary breeding

Impact on population

> No

Conditions of risk and the circumstances and the time and place under which exceptions were granted

> 2014. Filming and taking photos from a safe distance

The authority empowered to declare that the conditions have been fulfilled

> Environmental Protection Agency

The controls involved

> Report submitted

Where appropriate: indiscriminate means of capture and killing

## **Invertebrates**

## **ARTHROPODA > INSECTA**

### **Coleoptera**

#### **Osmoderma eremita**

##### **Confirmation of species occurrence**

Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country

The species occurs in the country

No. of specimens involved (when practical)

> 16

Authorised action (art. 6, a. to f.)

the deliberate disturbance of wild fauna, particularly during the period of breeding, rearing and hibernation, insofar as disturbance would be significant in relation to the objectives of this Convention;

No. of licences

> 1

Reasons for issuing of licences (art. 9, i. to v.)

iv.: for research / education / repopulation / reintroduction / necessary breeding

Impact on population

> No

Conditions of risk and the circumstances and the time and place under which exceptions were granted

> 2013. Captured individuals released

The authority empowered to declare that the conditions have been fulfilled

> Environmental Protection Agency

The controls involved

> Report submitted

##### **Additional details**

Where appropriate, please add a text providing information on:

Comments/notes

> Pheromone traps were used

Where appropriate: indiscriminate means of capture and killing

11. Traps

## **EXCEPTIONS CONCERNING PROTECTED FAUNA SPECIES (ART. 7 APPENDIX III)**

According to article 7 of the Convention, any exploitation of wild fauna specified in Appendix III shall be regulated in order to keep the populations out of danger.

Measures to be taken shall include:

- i. closed seasons and/or other procedures regulating the exploitation;
- ii. the temporary or local prohibition of exploitation, as appropriate, in order to restore satisfactory population levels;
- iii. the regulation as appropriate of sale, keeping for sale, transport for sale or offering for sale of live and dead wild animals.

Exceptions to species listed in Appendix III concern the use of means of capture and killing specified in Appendix IV.

### **Vertebrates**

#### **FISHES > PETROMYZONIFORMES**

##### **Petromyzonidae**

##### **Lampetra planeri**

##### **Confirmation of species occurrence**

Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country

The species occurs in the country

Exception made

> 1 permit. Electricity with alternating current.

Impact on the population

> No

Conditions of risk and the circumstances and the time and place under which exceptions were granted

> 2013

The authority empowered to declare that the conditions have been fulfilled

> Environmental Protection Agency

The controls involved

> Controlling institutions - Regional Environmental Protection Departments. Report submitted

Where appropriate: indiscriminate means of capture and killing

4. Electrical devices capable of killing and stunning

#### **FISHES > SALMONIFORMES**

##### **Salmonidae**

##### **Salmo salar**

##### **Confirmation of species occurrence**

Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country

The species occurs in the country

Exception made

> 25 permits. Electricity with alternating current.

Reasons for issuing of licences (art. 9, i. to v.)

iv.: for research / education / repopulation / reintroduction / necessary breeding

Impact on the population

> No

Conditions of risk and the circumstances and the time and place under which exceptions were granted

> 2013 and 2014.

The authority empowered to declare that the conditions have been fulfilled

> Environmental Protection Agency

The controls involved

> Controlling institutions - Regional Environmental Protection Departments. Report submitted

### **Additional details**

Where appropriate, please add a text providing information on:

Comments/notes

> Most of the caught fishes were released or used for breeding and repopulation. In total caught 390,498 kg.

Where appropriate: indiscriminate means of capture and killing

4. Electrical devices capable of killing and stunning

## **Thymallus thymallus**

### **Confirmation of species occurrence**

Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country

The species occurs in the country

Exception made

> 16 permits. Electricity with alternating current

Reasons for issuing of licences (art. 9, i. to v.)

iv.: for research / education / repopulation / reintroduction / necessary breeding

Impact on the population

> No

Conditions of risk and the circumstances and the time and place under which exceptions were granted

> 2013 and 2014

The authority empowered to declare that the conditions have been fulfilled

> Environmental Protection Agency

The controls involved

> Controlling institutions - Regional Environmental Protection Departments. Report submitted

### **Additional details**

Where appropriate, please add a text providing information on:

Results of derogations (e.g. Cumulative effects and compensation measures where relevant)

> 33,31 kg caught. Most of them releases or were used for breeding

Where appropriate: indiscriminate means of capture and killing

4. Electrical devices capable of killing and stunning

## **FISHES > CYPRINIFORMES**

### **Cyprinidae**

#### **Alburnoides bipunctatus**

### **Confirmation of species occurrence**

Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country

The species occurs in the country

Exception made

> 20 permits. Electricity with alternating current

Reasons for issuing of licences (art. 9, i. to v.)

iv.: for research / education / repopulation / reintroduction / necessary breeding

Impact on the population

> No

Conditions of risk and the circumstances and the time and place under which exceptions were granted

> 2013 and 2014

The authority empowered to declare that the conditions have been fulfilled

> Environmental Protection Agency

The controls involved

> Controlling institutions – Regional Environmental Protection Departments. Report submitted

### **Additional details**

Where appropriate, please add a text providing information on:

Results of derogations (e.g. Cumulative effects and compensation measures where relevant)

> 7,62 kg caught

Where appropriate: indiscriminate means of capture and killing

4. Electrical devices capable of killing and stunning

### **Aspius aspius**

#### **Confirmation of species occurrence**

Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country

The species occurs in the country

Exception made

> 3 permits. Electricity with alternating current

Reasons for issuing of licences (art. 9, i. to v.)

iv.: for research / education / repopulation / reintroduction / necessary breeding

Impact on the population

> No

Conditions of risk and the circumstances and the time and place under which exceptions were granted

> 2014

The authority empowered to declare that the conditions have been fulfilled

> Environmental Protection Agency

The controls involved

> Controlling institutions – Regional Environmental Protection Departments. Report submitted

### **Additional details**

Where appropriate, please add a text providing information on:

Results of derogations (e.g. Cumulative effects and compensation measures where relevant)

> 2,2 kg caught

Where appropriate: indiscriminate means of capture and killing

4. Electrical devices capable of killing and stunning

### **Leucaspius delineatus**

#### **Confirmation of species occurrence**

Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country

The species occurs in the country

Exception made

> 10 permits. Electricity with alternating current

Reasons for issuing of licences (art. 9, i. to v.)



iv.: for research / education / repopulation / reintroduction / necessary breeding

Impact on the population

> No

Conditions of risk and the circumstances and the time and place under which exceptions were granted

> 2013 and 2014

The authority empowered to declare that the conditions have been fulfilled

> Environmental Protection Agency

The controls involved

> Controlling institutions – Regional Environmental Protection Departments. Report submitted

### **Additional details**

Where appropriate, please add a text providing information on:

Results of derogations (e.g. Cumulative effects and compensation measures where relevant)

> 3,74 kg caught

Where appropriate: indiscriminate means of capture and killing

4. Electrical devices capable of killing and stunning

### **Rhodeus sericeus (Rhodeus amarus)**

#### **Confirmation of species occurrence**

Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country

The species occurs in the country

Exception made

> 8 permits. Electricity with alternating current

Reasons for issuing of licences (art. 9, i. to v.)

iv.: for research / education / repopulation / reintroduction / necessary breeding

Impact on the population

> No

Conditions of risk and the circumstances and the time and place under which exceptions were granted

> 2013 and 2014

The authority empowered to declare that the conditions have been fulfilled

> Environmental Protection Agency

The controls involved

> Controlling institutions – Regional Environmental Protection Departments. Report submitted

Where appropriate: indiscriminate means of capture and killing

4. Electrical devices capable of killing and stunning

### **Cobitidae**

#### **Cobitis taenia**

#### **Confirmation of species occurrence**

Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country

The species occurs in the country

Exception made

> 2 permits. Electricity with alternating current

Reasons for issuing of licences (art. 9, i. to v.)

iv.: for research / education / repopulation / reintroduction / necessary breeding

Impact on the population

> No

Conditions of risk and the circumstances and the time and place under which exceptions were granted

> 2013

The authority empowered to declare that the conditions have been fulfilled

> Environmental Protection Agency

The controls involved

> Controlling institutions – Regional Environmental Protection Departments. Report submitted

### **Additional details**

Where appropriate, please add a text providing information on:

Results of derogations (e.g. Cumulative effects and compensation measures where relevant)

> 0,21 kg caught

Where appropriate: indiscriminate means of capture and killing

4. Electrical devices capable of killing and stunning

### **Misgurnus fossilis**

#### **Confirmation of species occurrence**

Please confirm the occurrence of the species in the country

The species occurs in the country

No. of individuals involved (when practical)

> 12

Exception made

> 4 permits. Electricity with alternating current

Reasons for issuing of licences (art. 9, i. to v.)

iv.: for research / education / repopulation / reintroduction / necessary breeding

Impact on the population

> No

Conditions of risk and the circumstances and the time and place under which exceptions were granted

> 2013 and 2014.

The authority empowered to declare that the conditions have been fulfilled

> Environmental Protection Agency

The controls involved

> Controlling institutions – Regional Environmental Protection Departments. Report submitted

### **Additional details**

Where appropriate, please add a text providing information on:

Comments/notes

> Caught 1 kg and 12 individuals.

Where appropriate: indiscriminate means of capture and killing

4. Electrical devices capable of killing and stunning