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## CONVENTION ON THE CONSERVATION OF EUROPEAN WILDLIFE AND NATURAL HABITATS

## **Standing Committee**

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## List of nominated National Focal Points for the Pan-European Action Plan for Sturgeons

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Following the adoption of Recommendation No. 199 (2018) on the Pan-European Action Plan for the conservation of the sturgeon, Contracting Parties to the Bern Convention were invited to nominate focal points for the implementation of the Action Plan (PANEUAP) at national level. Below is the list of nominated Focal Points by country:

<b>Contracting Party</b>	Name
Austria	Mr Franz WAGNER Federal Ministry of Agriculture, Regions and Tourism Directorate General I – Water Management
Croatia	Ms Tanja MIHINJAČ Senior expert advisor, Ministry of Environment and Energy, Institute for Environment and Nature, Nature Sector
Czech Republic	Ms Eliška ROLFOVÁ Ministry of the Environment
Estonia	Mr Meelis TAMBETS Head of NGO Wildlife Estonia, leading project manager of Estonian sturgeon restoration project
European Union	Mr Andras BARTAL DG Environment, European Commission
France	Mr Gilles ADAM Chargé de mission Poissons Migrateurs, DREAL Nouvelle- Aquitaine, Site de Bordeaux, Service Patrimoine Naturel
Georgia	Mrs Mariam SULKHANISHVIL Ministry of Environment
Italy	Mrs Giovanna MARINO ISPRA Supported by Mr Paolo BRONZI, chair of the WSCS
Poland	Mr Tomasz ŁACHNIK General Directorate for Environmental Protection
Republic of Moldova	Ms Veronica JOSU Biodiversity Policies Department, Ministry of Agriculture, Regional Development and Environment
Serbia	Mr Dusan OGNJANOVIC Head of Department for Protection and Sustainable Use of Fish Stocks in the Ministry of Environmental Protection
Slovak Republic	Mr Juraj HAJDU State Nature Conservancy of Slovak Republic
Slovenia	Ms Tanja KOŠAR STARIČ Institute of the Republic of Slovenia for Nature Conservation
Ukraine	Ms Tetiana YAKOVLIEVA Head of the Division of the Department of Ichthyology, Aquaculture and Scientific Support of the State Agency of Fisheries of Ukraine