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Direzione generale per la protezione della natura

Italian CITES Scientific Authority

Meeting

The role of Scientific Authorities on Plants of the European Region for a better implementation of CITES

Perugia, Italy
6-8 November 2003

Venue:

Thursday 6th - Etruscan Chocohotel, Via Campo di Marte, 134- Perugia

*Friday 7th - Aula Magna, Agricultural Faculty, University of Perugia
Borgo XX Giugno, 74 - Perugia*

Saturday 8th - Etruscan Chocohotel, Via Campo di Marte, 134- Perugia

Programme

Thursday 6th November

Etruscan Chocohotel, Perugia (via Campo di Marte, 134)

15.00 - **Registration**

16.00 - **Welcome**

Giuseppe Frenguelli

CITES Scientific Authority of Italy

European representative Plants Committee

Margarita Clemente

CITES Scientific Authority of Spain

European representative and Chair of Plants Committee

Donato Chiatante

President Italian Botanical Society

16.30 - **Chris Schürmann**

CITES Scientific Authority of The Netherlands

The problems of CITES regional communication

17.00 - **Noel McGough**

Royal Botanic Gardens, Kew

CITES Scientific Authority of UK

Presentation of the CD on CITES and Plants

17.30 - **Maurizio Sajevo**

Department of Botanical Science, University of Palermo, Italy

Presentation of the CD on CITES and Succulents

18.00 - **Discussion**

Friday 7th November

Aula Magna, Agricultural Faculty, Perugia University (Borgo XX Giugno, 74)

09.00 - Welcome

Aldo Cosentino

Director General "Direzione generale per la protezione della natura", Italian Ministry of Environment and Land protection

Francesco Pennacchi

Dean of the Agricultural Faculty, University of Perugia

Mario Falcinelli

Director of Department of Plant biology, University of Perugia

09.30 - Margarita Clemente

European representative and Chair of Plants Committee

Main objectives of the Plants Committee

10.00 - Colman O'Criodain

European Commission, Bruxelles

Scientific co-ordination in the regulation of trade in CITES plants in the EU

10.30 Coffee break

11.00 - Michael Kiehn

Institute of Botany, University of Vienna

CITES Scientific Authority of Austria

The progress of the Bulbophyllum-checklist project

11.30 - Antonio Maturani

Italian Ministry of Environment and Land protection

The implementation of CITES in Italy

11.50 - Camillo Picchiotti

Chairman of CITES Scientific Authority of Italy

The activity of the Italian Scientific Authority

12.10 - Ugo Mereu

CITES Service, State Forest Corps, Italy

CITES within the Italian Enforcement Agency for the implementation of the Convention: the importance of synergy between CITES Service of the State Forest Corps and the CITES Scientific Authority

12.40 - Massimiliano Rocco, Wolfgang Kathe

TRAFFIC Italy and TRAFFIC Europe

TRAFFIC's efforts for plant conservation in Europe

13.00 - Lunch

14.30 - Mauro Roberto Cagiotti

Department of Plant biology, University of Perugia

CITES Scientific Authority of Italy

CITES and agro-forestry resources

15.00 - Hanna Werblan-Jakubiec

Botanical Garden, Warsaw, Poland

European alternate Plants Committee

The status of CITES in Poland

15.30 - Alexei Palancean

Botanical Garden, Chisinau, Republic of Moldova

Activity of CITES in the Republic of Moldova on plant protection

15.50 - **Zdena Podhajska**
CITES Scientific Authority of Czech Republic
The situation regarding CITES plants in the Czech Republic

16.10 - *Coffee break*

16.40 - **Milan Paunovic**
Museum of Natural History, Belgrade, Serbia
The status of CITES in Serbia-Montenegro

17.00 - **Zuzana Vrankova**
CITES Scientific Authority of Slovakia
CITES in Slovakia

17.20 - **Alessandro La Posta**
Italian Ministry of Environment and Land protection
The Italian laws for Plant and Animal conservation

17.50 - *Discussion*

20.00 - *Official Dinner*

Saturday 8th November

Etruscan Chocohotel, Perugia (via Campo di Marte, 134)

09.00 - *Satellite Symposium*
Presentation of Italian computerised procedures to issue the CITES authorization
(CITES Service, State Forest Corps, Italy)

09.30 - **Symposium:**
Criteria for listing on Appendix I and II: test of the applicability of the criteria

Chairman: Margarita Clemente

Chris Schürmann
CITES Scientific Authority of The Netherlands
The review of the criteria in relation to Tillandsia xerographica

Noel McGough
Royal Botanic Gardens, Kew
CITES Scientific Authority of UK
A summary of key points on the criteria test

11.30 - *Discussion*

12.00 - *Conclusion*

Scientific Secretariat

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Registration form

Personal details:

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General Information

Travel to Perugia - Perugia is situated in central Italy, between Rome (160 km) and Florence (160 Km).

By plane - The international Rome Fiumicino airport (200 km from Perugia) has daily direct connections with every main European cities; regular trains and bus connect the airport to Rome Termini railway station and therefore Perugia.

Perugia also has an airport which has regular flights to and from Milan Malpensa.

By train - Perugia is connected to Florence (Santa Maria Novella railway station) and Rome (Rome Termini railway station) by regular train. For those arriving from Florence, line Florence-Terontola-Perugia-Foligno (about 2 hours), for those arriving from Rome, line Rome-Orte-Foligno-Perugia (about 2 hours).

By car - Perugia can be reached by car through the European highway network linked to Motorway A1 (Autostrada del Sole) Milan-Rome-Naples. For those arriving from North exit at "Valdichiana" (100 km South of Florence) then continue for 56 km to Perugia. For those arriving from South exit at "Orte" (60 km North of Rome) then continue for 100 km to Perugia.

Hotels

We have an agreement with the "**Etruscan Chocohotel**" (via Campo di Marte, 134) a 3 stars hotel **where the first session of the meeting will be held**. The rate is 53€ for a single room and 80€ for double room, included breakfast. For reservation: fax +39.075.5837314; e-mail <etruscan@chocohotel.it>; for more information please consult the web-site of the hotel (www.chocohotel.it).

To get to the Etruscan Chocohotel by car, take the "Perugia Prepo" exit on the motorway, follow direction for the town centre, after 600 m, at the first traffic light, turn left, go straight on for about 600 m and the Hotel is on your right.

To get to the Hotel from the station: take the bus number 2 (buy the ticket at the bus office) and the Hotel is on your left after about 5 minutes or take a taxi.

However, there is a wide choice of Hotels in Perugia, ranging from two to five star categories, available with a corresponding wide range of prices (50-150 € per day per room): please consult the web site: <http://www.perugiahotel.it/>
