

CMS WORK PLAN 2007 (as at 22 October 2007)

OBJECTIVE 1: To ensure that the conservation and management of migratory species is based on the best available information

Targets:	1.1 Review of status of and conservation actions for App I and II species published at regular intervals	1.4 Reviews of major threats to migratory species and obstacles to migration completed at regular intervals and guidelines for appropriate actions developed	1.7 Standards and effectiveness of commissioned research and CMS published reports improved
	1.2 Up to date list of Range States of App I and II species presented to each COP	1.5 Criteria, indicators and guidelines for assessing the success of conservation actions for priority migratory species developed	1.8 User friendly information management system integrating the best available data on migratory species operational and regularly up-dated
	1.3 Indices for measuring the status and trends of migratory species at global, regional and national levels developed	1.6 Research and monitoring priorities for App I and II species identified and recommended to appropriate institutions for action	

Milestones/Indicators 2006: 1.7 Baseline assessment of three sample reports

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A - 2006 CONTINUOUS ACTIVITIES

SDMU	1. Report on the population status (size and range) of all Appendix I species	Res. 8.2 / ScC SIP activity 1.1.7	MB (FR)	H		STF	10,000	1.1 (see also 2.4)	SCMS; ScC		ScC14 agreed to prepare xxx using ScC experience
SDMU	Produce new design of CMS Range State database and update it	Art. VI CMS	FR (MB)	H	2205 (?)			1.2	SCMS; ScC; WCMC?		Design drafted
SDMU	3. Indicators of the status and trends of migratory species	Res. 8.7 / ScC SIP activity 1.5.7	MB	H		STF	15,000	1.3	WCMC; WWF; SCMS		CMS included in agreed GEF project
PAPU	4. Review report on the effects of hunting (Taking)	Res. 8.2 / ScC SIP activity 1.3.2	MB	M		STF	17,000	1.4 (2.6)	SCMS		ScC Working Group on sustainable use to develop TOR
SDMU	5. Review report on the effects of by-catch	Res. 8.2 / ScC SIP activity 1.3.3	MB	H		15,000 GBP UK	30,000	1.4 (2.6)	SCMS		Fund raising TOR agreed
PAPU	6. Review report on the effects of barriers to migration	Res. 8.2 / ScC SIP activity 1.3.5	MB	M		15,000 EUR Monaco	17,000	1.4 (2.6)	SCMS		Fund raising TOR agreed
PAPU	7. Develop guidelines for remedial/mitigation measures of obstacles to migration	Res. 8.2 / ScC SIP activity 2.3.9	MB	H		STF	17,000	1.4 (2.6)	SCMS		Funds not yet obtained
SDMU	13. Coordination of the Scientific Task Force on Avian Influenza and Wild Birds and 65a Support of website for the Task Force on Avian Influenza	Res. 8.27	FR (RH)	H		25,000 EUR UK - Belgium (67,000+30,300+15,000)	130,000	1.4	SCMS		UK + Belgium (Euro 25,000)
SDMU	65c TF AI workshop: Publication of proceeding	Recommendations of the AI Seminar,		H		United Kingdom/SN	30,000				

SDMU	Information Management System (IMS) incl. E-library	Res.8.10/ 8.21	FR	H				3.3	SCMS/WCM C		
SDMU	73. CMS Family on-line reporting and harmonization	Res.8.10/ 8.22	FR	H				3.3	SCMS/WCM C		
SDMU	GROMS Harmonisation of the information	Res.8.10/ 8.23	FR	H				3.3	SCMS/WCM		

B- NEW ACTIVITIES 2007 AND BEYOND

SDMU	75. Invasive Alien Species and migratory species	Res. 8.2 / ScC SIP	MB	H		50,000 EUR Italy	50,000	1.4			Fund raising / ToR defined / consultant contracted
SDMU	Artificial light pollution: compilation of information and communication at Starlight Conference	Res. 8.2 / ScC SIP	MB/PD	M				1.4			Information compiled, communication made

OBJECTIVE 2: To ensure that migratory species benefit from the best possible conservation measures

Targets:	2.1 App. I and App. II regularly up-dated	2.4 Concerted actions for App I priority species identified by COP implemented	2.7 The most important key habitats/sites for migratory species in each range state are protected and connected, where appropriate, through networks of protected areas
	2.2 All species in App. I fully protected throughout their range in Parties	2.5 App. II regularly reviewed and opportunities for international collaborative arrangements (incl. agreements) at appropriate scale and resulting in greatest possible conservation gain actively pursued	2.8 Impact assessments (EIA, SEA) required for all development likely to impact migratory species seriously (esp. wind turbines and power lines) and special provisions for migratory species included in national EIA regulations and procedures
	2.3 Habitats of key importance in removing App. I species from danger of extinction conserved, restored and effectively managed	2.6 Actions to mitigate most serious threats to migratory species and obstacles to animal migration initiated or carried out, in particular relating to wind turbines, power lines, by-catch, oil pollution, climate change, disease, invasives, illegal take	2.9 Issues affecting migratory species addressed in national biodiversity strategies and action plans

Milestones/Indicators 2006:

2.8 First assessment of need for EIA in each Party for wind turbines and power lines and of general provisions in EIA regulations for migratory species;

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AN (PAPU)	55a African Elephant MoU: Convene the First Meeting of Signatories	Res. 8.5	LG	H	20,000 (repat 05)	n/a	20,000	T 2.5	IUCN	Elephants	Est. 2006
LAN	Andean Flamingos: Develop MoU (Support)	Res. 8.5	FR/LG	M				T 2.5			Started 2006
SDMU	53b Aquatic Warbler MoU: Maintain existing Aquatic Warbler Flyway Coordinator to support MoU implementation (2007-08)	Res. 8.5	LG	H	13,600 (2260)	BLI in-kind contribution (P)	13,600	T 2.5		Aquatic Warbler	Est Dec 2006
SDMU	53a Aquatic Warbler MoU: Convene the First Meeting of Signatories (2006)	Res. 8.5	LG	M		State of Brandenburg: € 17,500; Flemish	25,000			Aquatic Warbler	
ASN	Bukhara Deer: Revitalise MoU	Res. 8.5	LG	M	8,000 (repat '05)		8,000	T 2.5	WWF	Bukhara Deer	Delayed
PAPU, ASN	39b CAF Action Plan: Establish CAF Action Plan Coordination Mechanism (2006)	Res. 8.5	LG	H		German VC '05: €25,000 (O)	25,000	T 2.5	WI	Waterbirds	Established + partially funded

PAPU, ASN	39a CAF Action Plan: Secure official endorsement of CAF Action Plan and agree a legal and institutional option to coordinate its implementation across 30 Range States (2007/08)	Res. 8.5	LG	H						Waterbirds	Postponed
ON	40a Pacific Islands Cetaceans MoU (WDAP Revision) and First Meeting of Signatories	Res. 8.5	LG	H				T 2.5	SPREP	Cetaceans (Pacific)	Perrin to Tec. Worksh.(Aug 2006) + AUS funds raised
ASN (AN)	46b Dugong MoU: Convene the First Meeting of Dugong MoU Signatories	Res. 8.5	LG	H		Aus cash/in-kind		T 2.5		Dugong	Final text circulated
ASN (AN)	46c Dugong MoU: Establish coordination mechanism for Dugong MoU to support implementation of (2008)	Res. 8.5		M						Dugong	
AN	47. Gorillas: Develop Agreement, including two meetings of Range States (by 2008)	Res. 8.5	PD (LG)	H	see relevant LoA	50,000 Italy through UNEP trust fund, 10,000 Monaco		T 2.5	IRNB	Gorillas	Funds raised and proposals submitted
LAN	Grassland Birds: Develop MoU (Support)	Res. 8.5	FR (LG)	M	N/A	N/A	N/A	T 2.5	BLI	Grassland Birds of Southern	Draft completed
PAPU	52a Great Bustard: Convene Second Meeting of Signatories	Res. 8.5	LG	H		Ukraine: \$ 6,000 – 8,000 pledged and in-kind (MOE) and possible Crimea contribution	38,000	T 2.5	BLI; Ukraine	Great Bustard	2nd Mtg agreed (Ukr) + coord est.-postponed to early 2008
PAPU	52b Great Bustard MoU: Maintain existing Great Bustard Coordinator to support MoU Implementation (2008-9)	Res. 8.5		H		Austria: € 40,000 Dec 05-Nov 07	58,000			Great Bustard	
AN	50b African Marine Turtles MoU coordination in Senegal via NEPAD + Regional Outreach. Capacity Building + IOSEA links	Res. 8.5; MoU CMS-NEPAD on 24 Oct. 05	LK	H	CMS TF 18,750	DELCL 18,750, over 3 years	37,500	T 2.5	CMS & NEPAD	Six species of marine turtles	co-ordina. Unit established + workshop held in January 2007
AN	50a African Marine Turtles: Convene the Second Meeting of Signatories	Res. 8.5; MoU CMS-NEPAD on 24 Oct. 05	LK	M	TBD	German VC '07: 16,000 ?		T 2.5	CMS	Six species of marine turtles	Tentative back-to-back with African R.eg. Seas Conven. (SA)
PAPU, ON	38. Pacific Marine Turtles MoU: Convene a first meeting for regional CMS instrument to conserve marine turtles in the Pacific	Rec.8.17	LG	M		Aus: Aus 35,000		T 2.5	Aus; US; SPREP		Concept agreed; early 2008; seek US Funds asap
PAPU or AN	Monk Seal: Develop MoU (Support)	Res. 8.5	LK (LG)	M				T 2.5	Spain	Monk Seal (Atl. Pops)	CMS co-\$ for mtg w/ RAC/SPA (TURK)
PAPU, AN, ASN	44. African-Eurasian Raptors: Convene first meeting for global CMS instrument to conserve African-Eurasian Raptors (2007)	Rec. 8.12; Res. 8.5	LG/LK	M		UK: 100,000 GBP SNH: 25,000 GBP (o) SNH: 20,000 GBP (??)	147,000	T 2.5	UK	Raptors (African-Eurasian)	advised UK

ASN	57a Saiga Antelope: Convene First Meeting of Signatories	Res. 8.5	LG	H	3,660 (2260)	CITES: 30.200 USD (O); German VC 2006: 3.000 EUR (O); WAZA: 3.000 USD (P)	36,660	T 2.5	CMS; CITES; KZ	Saiga Antelope	1st MoU Sep06 (KAZ); MoU in effect: done
PAPU, ON	41. Sharks: Meeting to Identify and Elaborate an Option for International Cooperation on Migratory Sharks under CMS	Rec. 8.16	LG	H	6,065 (2260)	Aus: 46.658 EUR (O); Seychelles cash/in-kind (O) AUS: AUD: 50,000 (ENB reposting) (o)		T 2.5	Seychelles; Aus	Basking, Great White and Whale Sharks	Mtg org incl dbase and docs
ASN	49a Siberian Crane: Convene the Sixth Meeting of the Signatories (2007)	Res. 8.5	LG	H	31,000 (2260)	ICF: 22.520 USD (P); Host country: 3.485 USD; other: 3.950 USD	55,000	T 2.5	CMS; ICF	Siberian Crane	Funded ICF as coord'r; WCSAN-SC Guidelines: done
ASN	49b Siberian Crane: Maintain existing Siberian Crane Flyway Coordinator to support MoU implementation (2006)	Res. 8.5		M		ICF: \$ 122,387	35,000			Siberian Crane	
SDMU	56b Slender-billed Curlew: Review of consolidated Slender-billed Curlew Action Plan (2006)	Res. 8.5	LG	H	7,500 (2260)		7,500	T 2.5	CMS; BLI	Slender-billed Curlew	No activity
SDMU, AN	42a West African Small Cetaceans CMS instrument: Convene a first meeting to scope and produce possible elements for a regional CMS MoU to conserve West African Small Cetaceans	Res 8.5; Rec 7.3	MB/HF	H		60,000 EUR Italy / 10,000 EUR Monaco/25,000 EUR Netherlands		T 2.5	CMS; Guinea	Small cetaceans	Venue ID'd; TUI \$ raised; consultant contracted
SDMU, ASN	Sturgeons: Monitor Developments/BMU Study	Res 8.5	LG	M							no activity
	<u>Sahelo-Saharan Antelopes Project - (i) Regional Coordination - (ii) Countries Programmes</u>	Res. 8.5	LK	H		FFEM, France; 1.385.000 EUR; MEDD 45.000 EUR; Belgium 100.000 EUR	1,530,000	T 2.5	CMS & IRSNB	Addax; Oryx; Gazella dama; G. dorcas; G. cuvieri; G. leptoceros	

AN	(i.1) Regional Coordination of the SSAP	Res. 8.5	LK	H	LoA 2006 closure in process, for Regional Coordination	MEDD 14.000 EUR; Belgium 66.000 EUR	80,000	T 2.5	CMS & IRSNB		Achieved
AN	(ii.1) SSAP - Tunisia / Surveys	MoU CMS-Tunisia dated 14 Jan. 05	LK	H	LoA ZSL (UK) LoA EEZA (SP)	ZSL; DGF; IRA; EEZA, DGF (Tu)	46,000	T 2.5	ZSL	G. leptoceros; G. cuvieri	Not yet started - EEZA ZSL achieved
AN	(ii.2) SSAP - Tunisia / Species reintroduction, translocation & training		LK	H	LoA ZSL (UK)	ZSL; DGF; IRSNB; PGAP; Zoos	125,422	T 2.5	IGF; ZSL; IRSNB; DGF	Addax nasomaculatus	Achieved
AN	(iii.1) SSAP - Niger / National Coordination Unit of the Project/ Small Projects for local communities & workshop	MoU CMS-Niger dated 14 Oct. 05	LK	H	LoA National Coord. Unit & Contract IAPSO; LoA FPVP Association	FFEM, AFVP, Niger	116,600	T 2.5	Niger		Vehicle acquired 1 Functioning Coordination & support of AFVP ensured
AN	(iii.2) SSAP - Niger / Project elaboration & implementation of the Protected Area "Termit / Tin Toumma"		LK	H	LoA SCF	SCF, Addax Petroleum, etc.	147,832	T 2.5	SCF & Niger	Addax & G. dama	Ongoing
AN	(iii.3) SSAP - Niger / National Coordination Unit of the Project / Outreach and Public Education on SSA		LK	H	TBD		15,000	T 2.5	Niger	All SSA species	Not yet started - no contrepart fund
AN	(iii.4) SSAP - Niger / SSA Conservation Strategy for Niger		LK	H	LoA IRSNB to elaborate	Belgium	15,000	T 2.5	IRSNB	All SSA species	Not yet started
AN	<u>SSAP - Transfrontier Project for conservation & sustainable development of Saharan Ecosystems in Niger (Termit) & Chad (Djourab West)</u>	Res. 8.5	LK	H		EC 1,900,000 FFEM 300,000 Other 175,000	2,375,000	T 2.5	Other partners contacted (UAE & IFAW)	All SSA species	First advance received EUR 350,000 from EC First year-programme ongoing
PAPU	Organize and coordinate sustainbe use inter-sessional working group to work on AAPGs	ScC14th	PD	H							
PAPU	77. Develop wildlife watching guidalies by COP-9	ScC14th	PD	H							

SDMU	12. EIA: Development of guidelines on the integration of MS considerations into EIA regulations	Res. 7.2 / ScC SIP	FR	H	4,800 EUR (BL 2230)	STF	17,000	2.8	SCMS; IAIA		
SDMU	Monitor implementation of ongoing conservation/research projects.	Res. 8.2 / ScC SIP	MB (JK)	H	24,956 EUR 2006 (BL 2230); ca. 10,000 2007 (BL 2230)	n/a	24,956	2.4	SCMS; ScC		
SDMU, ASN	Preparation of International Action Plans (IPAs) for Black-faced Spoonbill (Platalea minor), Spoon-billed Sandpiper (Eurynorhynchus pygmeus), and Chinese Crested-tern (Sterna bernsteini)	Res. 8.2 / ScC SIP	MB	H	11,940 EUR 2006 (BL 2230)	BLI (30.000 USD)	47,760	2.4	SCMS; BLI	P. minor, E. pygmaeus, S. bernsteini	
PAPU, ASN	20. Central Eurasian Arid Land Mammals: Implementation of Concerted Action on Asian desert and semi-desert mammals	Res. 8.29 / Rec. 8.23 / Rec. 8.28	MB (LG)	H		STF 45,000 EUR - IRSNB (P)	90,000	2.4	IRSNB SCMS	Various species of terrestrial mammals	
SDMU	9. Preparation of scientific reviews of main taxonomic groups of MS to identify candidate species for listing on CMS Appendices (Aquatic and terrestrial mammals, aquatic reptiles, birds, bats)	Res. 8.2 / ScC SIP	MB	H	2230		42,000	2.1	SCMS, ScC		Review of cartilaginous fishes prepared

B- NEW ACTIVITIES 2007 AND BEYOND

SDMU	10. Prepare new action plans for protection and recovery of Appendix I species		MB	H		42,000 EUR Italy	42,000	T 2.5	SCMS AEWA		Species indentified; contractor identified
ASN	46d Develop national strategy and action plan for the conservation of Dugong in Indonesia as a possible model for other Range States		MB	H	6,000\$ (2230)	20,000\$ UNEP/RSP; 1,000\$ COBSEA; 50,000\$ RCO/CML	67,000\$	T 2.5	CML		
SDMU	Start and monitor implementation of new conservation and research projects within the Small Grant Programme		MB	H	10,000 (2230)	10,000 EUR Italy	20,000	T 2.5	SCMS		
ES	Participate in Steering Group of DEFRA project on indicators spp. Of Climate Change	Res. 8.13	MB								Main Actor: DEFRA

OBJECTIVE 3: To broaden awareness and enhance engagement in the conservation of migratory species amongst key actors

Targets:	3.1 Levels of engagement and commitment of existing Parties in CMS	3.3 Number of Partners supporting and participating in the work of CMS	3.5 Opinion leaders of key sectoral groups impacting on migratory species
	3.2 Level of engagement in CMS work of priority target non-Parties increased	3.4 Awareness of key media of CMS and its leading role in the conservation of migratory species enhanced	3.6 Key information material in appropriate UN languages disseminated to identified target audiences
Milestones/Indicators 2006:		3.3 Baseline data (number of partners in CMS and agreements, etc.) collected;	

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FICFU	CMS Ambassadors: Appointment of CMS Ambassadors, development of Ambassadors	Res. 8.8	PD	M	1,200 (2210)		1,200	3.3	SCMS	
FICFU, ON	69. Pacific Regional Outreach Workshop on CMS	Res. 8.8	PD	M	2210	40,000 EUR (Germany)P	57,000	3.2	SCMS	2007
FICFU	62. Brochures for children (1) and private sector (2)	Res. 8.8	PD	H		15,000 EUR (UK) P	15,000	3.6	SCMS	2007
FICFU	60. Website update and interactive services	Res. 8.8	PD	H	2210		to be determined	3.6	SCMS	
FICFU	WCC Publication	Res. 8.8	LG	M	3331-32		9,000	3.6	SCMS	Pub edited: awaiting budget+ publishing xxx outreach unit
FICFU, AN, ASN, ON, LAN	Outreach events e.g. German Nature Conservation Day, Biodiversity Day	Res. 8.8	PD	M	5201			3.6	SCMS	
FICFU, AN, ASN, ON, LAN	Press releases on major CMS and Agreements events and contacts with media	Res. 8.8	PD	H	N/A	N/A	N/A	3.4	SCMS	
FICFU, AN, ASN, ON, LAN	Drafting of project proposals for potential donors (e.g AIWEb, CCD-CMS, YoD)		PD	H	N/A	N/A	N/A	3.4	SCMS	
FICFU, AN, ASN, ON, LAN	Fundraising activities -	Res. 8.8	PD	H	N/A	N/A	N/A	3.4	SCMS	

B- NEW ACTIVITIES 2007 AND BEYOND

FICFU	Coordination of CMS Friends work		PD	H				3.6	SCMS	
FICFU	Fundraising with party donors	ScC14th	PD	H				3.6	SCMS	
FICFU	100th Party Party organisation		ERPM	H				3.6	SCMS	
FICFU	CMS Calendar 2008	Res. 8.8	PD	M				3.6	SCMS	
FICFU	Projects + activities with CMS Friends: liaise, identify + develop		PD	H				3.6	SCMS	
FICFU	CMS List of projects; develop and updating proposals		PD	H				3.6	SCMS	
FICFU	58. Year of the Dolphin education and public awareness campaign		PD	H		TUI: in-kind; TUI: ...	556,000	3.6	SCMS	
PAPU	37. COP-9 2008 Campaign & preparation		PD	H				3.6	SCMS	

FICFU	Press releases and realtions with media		PD	H				3.6	SCMS		
FICFU	US brainstorm workshop		PD	H				3.6	SCMS		
PAPU	Brainstorming + team building retreat for CMS family		PD					3.6	SCMS		
ES	IA work on Climate Change (with WHC)		PD	H		UK: 14,000	14,000	3.6	SCMS		
SDMU AN	West African cetacean meeting in Tenerife: logistical + communication organisation (NB: already listed above)		PD	H				3.6	SCMS		
PAPU	MoU with FAO-GTOs: development		PD	H				3.6	SCMS		
PAPU, ON	Develop SIDS brochure		PD	H				3.6	SCMS		
FICFU	Website maintenance and enahcement		PD	H				3.6	SCMS		

OBJECTIVE 4: To reinforce CMS's overarching and unifying role in the conservation and management of migratory species

Targets:	4.1 CMS membership increased by 30 Parties, particularly those which are of high importance for migratory species, and/or for which there is a high priority for securing new agreements	4.4 Identity and cohesiveness of the CMS family of instruments strengthened	4.7 Regional capacity for participating in CMS implementation activities enhanced, particularly in those regions where CMS is under-represented
	4.2 Contribution of Agreements and MoUs towards delivery of the CMS Strategic Plan targets jointly reviewed, and appropriate measures developed to deal with any identified gaps	4.5 CMS national liaison systems or committees established in a majority of Parties	4.8 Extra-budgetary funding from a wider range of sources secured for implementation of the CMS Strategic Plan
	4.3 Cooperative activities in pursuit of shared targets with relevant MEAs and key partners increased	4.6 Effectiveness of CMS's own institutions reviewed and, where necessary, enhanced to ensure fulfilment of its increasing worldwide responsibilities	

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FICFU	61. Guide to CMS Family: Prepare a reference book for the Convention and its agreements	Res. 8.8	PD	H		UNEP/DEC 40.000 USD	31,840	4.3	SCMS and Agreements		ready 2007
ES	CBD: contribution to SBSTTA on climate change	Res.	PD	H	5201						
PAPU	CBD: organize and service MS and NBSAPs workshop	Res.8.18	PD(LG)	H	5201		depending on JPOW activities implemented		SCMS/ CBD		
PAPU	IFAW: Develop JPOW and implement relevant activities	Res. 8.8	PD	M	5201		ditto	4.3	SCMS/ IFAW		
SDMU	WDCS: Develop JPOW and implement relevant activities	Res. 8.8	PD	H	5201		ditto	4.3	SCMS/ WDCS		
PAPU	GNF: Develop JPOW and implement relevant activities	Res. 8.8	PD	H	5201		ditto	4.3	SCMS/ GNF		
PAPU	CIC: Develop JPOW and implement relevant activities	Res. 8.8	PD	H	5201		ditto	4.3	SCMS/CIC		
SDMU	Zoological Society of London: Partnership Agreement and JPOW	Res. 8.8	PD	H	5201		ditto	4.3	SCMS/ZSL		
PAPU	Collaborate with WHC and UNESCO	Res. 8.8	PD	H	5201		ditto	4.3	CMS/UNESCO		
PAPU	WCS: Develop partnership agreement and joint activities list	Res. 8.8	PD (LG)	H	5201		ditto	4.3	SCMS/ WCS		
LAN	WHMSI: Monitor developments		FR (LG)	M				4.3			

		Res. 8.8	PD	M		Project proposal submitted to DELC	119,400	4.3			
SDMU	Human-induced impacts on cetaceans (Res. 8.22): produce the following reports/analyses: (i) review of the extent to which CMS and CMS cetacean-related agreements are addressing listed impacts; (ii) analysis of the gaps and overlaps between CMS activities and relevant Int. bodies; (iii) Identification of priority impacts and regions	Res. 8.22	MB	H		In-kind by WDCS		4.3 (2.6)	WDCS, SCMS	cetaceans	Workplan agreed - First draft report
SDMU	IWC: Coordinate production of report to IWC 2006 meeting for CMS family	Res. 8.2	PD (MB)	H				4.3	SCMS		
PAPU	CITES: organize synergies workshop at CITES COP		PD								
SDMU	WDCS: Meeting of the WDCS Working Group in Support of CMS Cetacean Related Priorities	ScC13 and COP8 reports	MB	H		Covered by WDCS		4.3	WDCS, SCMS	cetaceans	1st Meeting convened Sept. 2006
SDMU	GEO: Participate in peer-review of GEO-A report	Res. 8.2	MB	H				4.3	UNEP/DEWA		
SDMU	ScC: Survey of available expertise	ScC12	MB	M				4.6	SCMS; ScC		
ASN	Organization of China event in May with CEPA		PD	H				4.1			
FICFU, ASN, AN, ON, LAN	Accessions CMS		FR (PD/LG/LK)	H				4.1	CMS		
FICFU, ASN, AN, ON, LAN	Developed Country specific docs for non-Parties (45 in total) to encourage accession		FR	H							
LAN	70. Capacity Building: Regional workshop Latin America and Carribean (Panamá)		FR	H	subject to availability of resources	RAMSAR / Gob Spain: 20,000	24,000	4.7	CMS/ RAMSAR		
ES	COP: COP Report and proceedings	StP/ T 4.6	LG /LK/FR	H		N/A		4.6	SCMS		E, S, F version on website xxx report

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PAPU	Standing Committee: StC32 preparations and follow up	Convention Art. IX	LK	H		N/A		4.6	SCMS/ StC Chair		
SDMU	33. ScC14: Organize inter-sessional meeting of the CMS Scientific Council in 2007	Convention Art. VIII - IX	MB	H	2007 Budget	N/A	46,646	4.6	SCMS/ ScC Chair		
SDMU	Scientific Council: Wrap-up ScC14		MB	H							
SDMU	ASCOBANS/CMS Secretariat		PD, MB, LG, RH								

IMPORTANT INTERNAL AND EXTERNAL MEETINGS AND EVENTS ATTENDED OR ORGANISED BY CMS IN 2007

Date	Event or meeting	Venue	Attendee	Priority (H/M/L)	Budget TF	Volycon	Total Cost	Documents	Action points (Yes/No)	Comments
8-10 Jan	Launching SINEPAD Workshop for the African Marine Turtles MoU Coordination Unit (URTOMA)	Dakar, Senegal	LK					Mission report		
15-19 Jan	Annual Meeting of the Waterbird Conservation Council	Quito, Ecuador	FR					Mission report		

17-Jan	CMS 100th Party Reception	Bonn, LEU	CMS Staff							
	Press Conference at Italian Ministry of Environment to Launch CMS	Rome, Italy	RH, PD							
5-9 Feb	UNEP: 24th Session of the Governing Council/Global Ministerial Environment Forum	Nairobi, Kenya	RH					Mission report		
19-21 Feb	ASCOBANS: Third Meeting of the Jastarnia Group	Copenhagen, Denmark	RH					Mission report		
21-25 Feb	International Conference on behalf of 20th Anniversary of Society for Tropical Ecology (Contributions from CMS and AEWA sought in the form of presentation or participation in a roundtable discussion)	Bonn	BL, FR (in part)							
5-9 March	Regional Workshop to revise SPREP WDAP; First Meeting of Signatories for the Pacific Cetaceans MoU and CMS Outreach Workshop	Apia, Samoa	LG, PD, RV					Mission report		
12-Mar	Symposium to launch the "Waterbirds Around the World Conference" Publication	The Hague, Netherlands	RH, BL					Mission report		
14-17 March	CMS 14th Scientific Council Meeting	Bonn	All							
25-Apr	IFAW meeting with CMS	LE, Bonn	LK, LG, MB					Minutes		
19-Mar	CMS/UNWTO Brainstorm Session	Bonn	RH, PD							
22-Mar	8th Teleconference of AI Taskforce	Bonn	CG, FR, SD							
27-Mar	EUROBATS 1st StC Meeting	LE, Bonn	AS, RH, LK, JK					Meeting report		
28-31 March	Bird Migration and Global Change Conference	Algeciras, Spain	SD							
April/May	Avian Influenza Workshop for East Asia-Australasia Flyway countries	Alaska	DH							
12-13 April	Symposium on the State of the Conservation of Whales in the 21st Century	LE, Bonn	RH							
19-20 April	STARLIGHT 2007	La Palma, Canary Isles	PD							
19-21 April	ASCOBANS: 14th Meeting of the Advisory Committee	San Sebastian, Spain	RH, FR, HF, PS, RV					Meeting report		
20-Apr	Bern Convention: Working Group on the Elaboration of a European Charta on Hunting and Biodiversity	Strasbourg, France	CL							
22-25 April	21st Annual Conference of the European Cetacean Society	San Sebastian, Spain	HF							
1-5 May	54th CIC General Assembly	Belgrade, Serbia	BL							
4 May-1 June	IWC: 59th Annual and Associated Meetings	Anchorage, Alaska	None					RH video message		
7-8 May	EUROBATS AC12 Meeting	Budapest, Hungary	AS, CB, AP, DK							
7-18 May	UNFCCC: 26th Session of the Subsidiary Bodies (SBI and SBSTA)	Bonn, Germany	LK, FK					Speech		
12-13 May	World Migratory Bird Day 2007	Madagascar	BL							
13-14 May	Workshop on Sustainable Hunting of Migratory Birds and Obligations of Mediterranean Third Countries under the relevant MEAs	Amman, Jordan	SD, LK							
15-19 May	CMS Siberian Crane MoU: 6th Meeting of Signatories	Almaty, Kazakhstan	DH							

20-22 May	Mareniro: Workshop on Fisheries and Mediterranean Biodiversity	Tunis, Tunisia	MB								
22-24 May	Bern Convention: Group of Experts Meeting on Invasive Species	Reykjavik, Iceland	BL, LC								
23-24 May	CMS Washington Event	Washington, USA	RH, PD, AD						Mission report		
31 May-1 June	Sahelo-Saharan Interest Group (SSIG): 8th Annual Meeting (hosted by Zoo Hannover)	Hannover	LK								
3-15 June	CITES: 14th Meeting of the Conference of the Parties	The Hague, Netherlands	PD/LG						Mission report		
4-6 June	MPAs / Cetacean Workshop	Lanzarote, Spain	PD								
11-15 June	ACAP: 3rd Meeting of Advisory Committee	Valdivia, Chile	WP								
14-15 June	Bern Convention: Experts meeting on Biodiversity + Climate Change	Strasbourg, France	SD								
16-19 June	Launch of Year of the Dolphin in Kenya	Mombasa & Shimoni,	RH								
	18 and 19 June: Meetings at UNEP HQ	Kenya									
19-22 June	ACAP: Third Meeting of the Advisory Committee	Valdivia, Chile	Warren Papworth								
	17 June: Status and trends Working Group										
	18 June: Seabird Bycatch Working Group										
20-22 June	Joint Mission for CMS/EUROBATS/AEWA with Bern Convention and EC on Kaliakra and Balchik Wind Farm Case	Sofia, Bulgaria	BL								
21-Jun	13:00hrs: HoAs Joint Lunch	LEU, Room 2712									
	14: 30hrs: HoAs Strategic Meeting		LK, AS								
21-22 June	3 rd Meeting of the Issue-Based Modules (IBM) Steering Committee	Brussels									
25-29 June	1 st Meeting of the Task Team on UNEP'S administrative support services to MEAs	Geneva	PD								
25-29 June	Monk Seal Meeting to Discuss Recovery Plan - Implementation priorities	Funchal, Madeira	MB								
26-28 June	Avian Influenza Task Force Workshop on "Lessons Learned"	Aviemore, Scotland	RH, SD, CG								
29-Jun	Visit of John Newby and Kai Wollscheid to CMS Secretariat	Bonn	RH, LK								
1st July	CBD: 1 st Meeting of the Chairs of the Scientific Advisory Bodies of Biodiversity-related Conventions	Paris	John Mshelbwala								
2-6 July	CBD: SBSTTA 12 (Subsidiary Body on Scientific, Technical and Technological Advice)	UNESCO, Paris,	?								
3 July; 10:30	Lecture on CMS for Humboldt University (Berlin) Students	LEU, Bonn (R 2105)	PD								
04-Jul	CMS Friends Board Meeting	LEU, Bonn	RH, PD, FR								
04-Jul	ORNIS + Meeting of 4 July 2007 under Directive 79/409/EEC at EC	Brussels, Belgium	SD								
9-13 July	CBD: Ad Hoc Open-ended Working Group on Review of Implementation of the Convention (WGRI-2)	UNESCO, Paris									

20-21 July (tent)	YoD Presentation at TUI Winter Catalogue Event; 20 July: Press Conference; 21 July: Workshops	Sylt, Germany	?VL									
30-Jul	Gorillas Steering Committee	Paris, France	LA									
3-14 Sept	UNCCD COP8 12-13 September: High-Level Segment	Madrid, Spain	RH in part									
17-Sep	Gorillas Steering Committee	Paris, France	LA									
4-9 Oct	AEWA Official Visit to Greenland	Nuuk, Greenland	BL									
05-Oct	Visit of Nigerian Ambassador to CMS	LEU, Bonn	RH									
8-10 Oct	Joint ASCOBANS/HELCOM workshops	Bonn, Germany	RH (in part)									
16-17 Oct	4th Meeting of Wetlands International Global Waterbird Advisory Group	Wageningen, NL	SD									
16-20 Oct	WATCH: Western Africa Talks on Cetaceans and their Habitats	Adeje, Santiago del Tenerife, Canary Islands	MB, HF									
17-Oct	CMS "Friends" Board Meeting	LEU, Bonn	VL, LA									
18 Oct (9:30 – 14:00hrs)	BfN: Symposium and Reception on the Occasion of the Retirement of the President of BfN, Prof. Dr. Hartmut Vogtmann	Bonn	LK (in part) AS, BL									
21-27 Oct	Spoonbill workshop at Djoudj National Park	Senegal	SD									
22-25 Oct	CMS Meeting to Identify and Elaborate on Options for International Cooperation on African-Eurasian Migratory Raptors	Loch Lomond, Scotland	RH (in part), LK, JH, BL									
22-25 Oct	ACCOBAMS MOP3	Dubrovnik, Croatia	AS, HF, VL									
22-26 Oct	Paris Meetings on Primates and their Habitats	Paris, France	RH (in part), AD, LA, RV, R. Beudels									
	22-24 October: 20 th Meeting of the Francophone Society of Primatology Committee											
	25 October: GRASP Meeting of Donors and Executive Committee											
	22-24 October: CMS N'gagi (Gorilla) Agreement: 1 st Negotiation Meeting											
	26 October: 4 th Meeting of the Partnership for the Congo River Forest											
27-30 Oct	AEWA Accession talks with Government officials	Nouakchott, Mauritania	SD									
28- 31 Oct	CMS Dugong MoU: WIO sub-regional workshop (with EAD) and First Meeting of MoU Signatories	Abu Dhabi	LK, DH									
29-Oct	Visit Peter Herkenrath, discuss Knowledge Management Project	LEU, Bonn	RH, BL, FR, SD, FK, LA									
30 Oct-1 Nov	BMU/BfN Conference: "YoD in Europe - Conservation of small cetaceans and marine protected areas in Europe"	Stralsund, Germany	HF									
04-Nov	YoD Belgium Event	Bruges, Belgium	RH, HF, VL									

5-8 Nov	Nairobi/Abidjan Regional Seas Conventions COP Meetings	Johannesburg, SA	DH								
8-9 Nov	CMS 32 nd Meeting of the Standing Committee	Bonn	All								
11-15 Nov	2nd East Asian Australasian Flyway Partnership Meeting	Beijing, China	DH								
	11-12 Nov -preliminary meetings and side meetings										
	13-14 Nov - Second meeting of the Partners										
	15 Nov - Field trip										
11-13 Nov	RAMSAR: Intersessional Technical Meeting Sc. And Tech. Review	Changwon, Korea	R. Lee (consultant)								
17-Nov											
20-24 Nov	Official mission to Australia	Sydney, Australia	RH								
26-30 Nov	Official mission to Brazil	Brasilia, Brazil	RH, FR								
26-30 Nov	Bern Convention: 27 th Standing Committee Meeting	Strasbourg, France	AS, SD								
27-Nov	2nd Bonn dialogue on Global Environmental Change	Deutsche Welle, Bonn	RH, AS								
4-6 Dec	Siberian Crane Wetland Project Steering Committee Meeting	Bangkok, Thailand	DH								
13-14 Dec	AEWA 5th Standing Committee Meeting	Bonn	AEWA								
11-13 Dec	CMS Meeting to Identify and Elaborate an Option for International Cooperation on Migratory Sharks	Mahé, Seychelles	RH, JH								
17-Dec	CMS Friends Board Meeting	Bonn	to be determined								