

2014 NATIONAL REPORT OF PARTIES ON THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE CONVENTION ON THE CONSERVATION OF MIGRATORY SPECIES OF WILD ANIMALS

The deadline for submission of the reports is 1 May 2014. The reporting period is 15 June 2011 to 1 May 2014.

Parties are encouraged to respond to all questions. Parties are also requested to provide comprehensive answers, including, where appropriate, a summary of activities, information on factors limiting action and details of any assistance required.

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COP Resolution 9.4 adopted at Rome called upon the Secretariats and Parties of CMS Agreements to collaborate in the implementation and harmonization of online reporting implementation. The CMS Family Online Reporting System (ORS) has been successfully implemented and used by AEWA in their last Meeting of the Parties (MOP 5, 2012) reporting cycle. CMS now offers the Convention's Parties to use the ORS for submitting their national reports for the COP11 (2014) reporting cycle.

Please enter here the name of your country

> Republic of Macedonia

Which agency has been primarily responsible for the preparation of this report?

> Ministry of Environment, Administration of Environment - Department of Nature

I(a). General Information

Please enter the required information in the table below:

Party

Date of entry into force of the Convention in your country
> 01.11.1999

Period covered
> 2011-2014

Territories to which the Convention applies
> Full territory of the country

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Implementation

Competent Authority:

> MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT AND PHYSICAL PLNNING

Relevant implemented legislation:

> Law of Nature Protection, Law of Hunting, Law of Forests, Law of Water

Other relevant Conventions/ Agreements (apart from CMS) to which your country is a Party:

> CBD, CITES, RCW, BC/CE, WHC/UNESCO, CCCH, Arhus Convention

National policy instruments (e.g. national biodiversity conservation strategy, etc.):

> Country Study for Biodiversity (CSBD, 2003), National Biodiversity Strategy (NBDSAP 2004), National Environment Action Plan (NEAP2, 2006), National Strategy for Forestry, Water and Agriculture Development

CMS Agreements/MoU

Please indicate whether your country is part of the following Agreements/MoU. If so, please indicate the competent national institution

Wadden Sea Seals (1991)

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Non-party Range State

EUROBATS (1994)

EUROBATS (1994)

Party

ASCOBANS (1994)

ASCOBANS (1994)

Non-party Range State

AEWA (1999)

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ACAP (2001)

ACAP (2001)

Non-party Range State

Siberian Crane MoU (1993/1999)

Siberian Crane MoU (1993/1999)

Non-signatory Range State

Slender-billed Curlew MoU (1994)

Slender-billed Curlew MoU (1994)

Non Range State

Atlantic Turtles MoU (1999)

Atlantic Turtles MoU (1999)

Non Range State

Middle-European Great Bustard MoU (2001)

Middle-European Great Bustard MoU (2001)

Signatory

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IOSEA Marine Turtles MoU (2001)

IOSEA Marine Turtles MoU (2001)

Non Range State

Bukhara Deer MoU (2002)

Bukhara Deer MoU (2002)

Non Range State

Aquatic Warbler MoU (2003)

Aquatic Warbler MoU (2003)

Non Range State

West African Elephants MoU (2005)

West African Elephants MoU (2005)

Non Range State

Pacific Islands Cetaceans MoU (2006)

Pacific Islands Cetaceans MoU (2006)

Non Range State

Involvement of other government departments/NGOs/private sector

1. Which other government departments are involved in activities/initiatives for the conservation of migratory species in your country? (Please list.)

> Department of International Co-operation (MFA); Department of Forestry and Hynting, Department of Water Economy and Fishing, Department of Agriculture, (MAFWE); Department of Science, Ministry of Education and Science, Department of Tourism, Department of Energy, Ministry of Economy, Unite of municipalities and sity Skopje, Department of Nature Protection, Department of Tourism, Sity Skopje.

2. If more than one government department is involved, describe the interaction/relationship between these government departments:

> MFA/DIC is responsible for international aspects of CMS.

MAFWE/DFH is responsible for protection of migratory bird species in the hunting areas and bats species on forests; DAF is responsible for aspects related with protection of migratory routs of authohtonic fish species.

MES/DSs is responsible for education and scientific aspekts relatet with implementaion of projects and programme for evaluation of status of conservation, or treats of migratory species and their habitats.

ME/DE is responsible for use natural resources for energy production, DT is responsible for development of touristic areas.

UMSS is responsible for development of rural and urban areas and regions.

MS-Skopje, DN is responsible for biodiversity protection including migratory species and their habitats; DT is responsible for development of turistic areas in Skopje region.

3. Has a national liaison system or committee been established in your country?

Yes

4. List the main non-governmental organizations actively involved in activities/initiatives for the conservation of migratory species in your country, and describe their involvement:

> Bird Study and Protection Society of Macedonia (BSPSM), fully involved in monitoring and evaluation of birds status, bats status and other migratory animal species.
Macedonian Ecology Society (MES), involved in activities for evaluation ecological status of migratory routs.
BIO-ECO, Skopje and SS PEONI-Skopje are involved in projects for evaluation of bats population in caves.

I(b). Information about involved Authorities

Identify the ministry, agency/department or organization that is responsible for leading actions relating to Appendix I species

1- Birds

> MEPP, Administration of Environment, DN, and Bird Study and Protection Society of Macedonia

II. Appendix I species

1. BIRDS

1.1 General questions on Appendix I bird species

1. Is the taking of all Appendix I bird species prohibited by the national implementing legislation cited in Table I(a) (General Information)?

Yes

1a. If the taking of Appendix I bird species is prohibited by law, have any exceptions been granted to the prohibition?

No

2. Identify any obstacles to migration that exist in relation to Appendix I bird species:

- Electrocutation
- Habitat destruction
- Wind turbines
- Pollution

2a. What actions are being undertaken to overcome these obstacles?

> Preparation of study, elaborate and EIA for minimase or eliminate negative impact, restavration or rehabilitation of degraded habitats.

2b. Please report on the progress / success of the actions taken.

> Study of Integral management of biodiversity conservation at Prespa Lake, Study of biodiversity conservation at Ohrid Lake, Study of biodiversity conservation of Dojran Lake, Study of biodiversity conservation of Tikvesh (SNR), Study of Evaluation of Natural Heritage of Kanyon Matka (NM), Study of Evaluation of Natural Heritage in Tikvesh, Elaborate of birds conservation of Demir Kapija Gorge, Golem and Mal Krastavec, near river Vardar, Study of EIA of EU Project "Restavration and make new treen communication Dracevo_Veles, Coridor X (section for evaluation of avi-fauna and important habitats for birds and migration routs).

2c. What assistance, if any, does your country require in order to overcome these obstacles?

> International financial support from GEF, UNDP and WWF for implementation of several projects.

3. What are the major pressures to Appendix I bird species (transcending mere obstacles to migration)?

Illegal trade

3a. What actions have been taken to prevent, reduce or control factors that are endangering or are likely to further endanger bird species beyond actions to prevent disruption to migrating behaviour?

> Preparation and adoption of secondary regulation to the Law of Nature Protection, preparation of Management Plans, Action Plans for protection of migratory birds and habitats, Education. training, voluntary monitoring, reporting to BSPSM, MEPP and National Committee of CMS.

3b. Please report on the progress / success of the actions taken.

> Amanded Law of Nature Protection (2011, 2012, 2013 and 2014), transposition of relevant articles from Birds Directive to the Law of Nature Protection; Creation of National Framework for preparation single Action Plans for endangered bird species.

3c. Describe any factors that may limit action being taken in this regard:

> Regional conflicts, economic crisis, lack of financial resources, lack of capacity building in MEPP, MAFWE, Local Municipalities and NGOs.

3d. What assistance, if any, does your country require to overcome these factors?

> Logistic and financial assistance, projects for education, training, workshops,preparation of Single Action Plans

1.2 Questions on specific Appendix I bird species

In the following section, using the table format below, please fill in each Appendix I bird species for which your country is considered to be a Range State. Please complete each table as appropriate, providing information in summary form. Where appropriate, please cross-reference to information already provided in national reports that have been submitted under other conventions (e.g. Convention on Biological Diversity, Ramsar Convention, CITES). (Attach annexes as necessary).

Species name: Pelecanus crispus

1. Please provide published distribution reference:

> Monitoring of water-birds in Ohrid Lake, Prespa Lake and Dojran Lake (2008-2011).

2a. Summarise information on population size (if known):

decreasing

2b. Summarise information on distribution (if known):

decreasing

3. Indicate and briefly describe any activities that have been carried out in favour of this species in the reporting period. (Please provide the title of the project and contact details, where available):

Research

Identification and establishment of protected areas

Monitoring

Education/awareness rising

Species protection

Habitat protection

Habitat restoration

5. Describe any future activities that are planned for this species:

> Preparation and implementation of Single Action Plan for protection of population of pelekans and their natural habitats and migratory routs.

Species name: Pelecanus onocrotalus (only Palearctic populations)

1. Please provide published distribution reference:

> Monitoring of water birds in Ohrid Lake, Prespa Lake and Dojran Lake (2008-2011).

2a. Summarise information on population size (if known):

decreasing

2b. Summarise information on distribution (if known):

decreasing

3. Indicate and briefly describe any activities that have been carried out in favour of this species in the reporting period. (Please provide the title of the project and contact details, where available):

Research

Identification and establishment of protected areas

Monitoring

Education/awareness rising

Species protection

Habitat protection

Habitat restoration

5. Describe any future activities that are planned for this species:

> Preparation and implementation of Single Action Plan for protection of population of pelekans and their natural habitats and migratory routs.

Species name: Anser erythropus

1. Please provide published distribution reference:

> Monitoring of water birds in rivers, lakes and wetlands in Republik of Macedonia (2008-2011)

2a. Summarise information on population size (if known):

decreasing

2b. Summarise information on distribution (if known):

decreasing

3. Indicate and briefly describe any activities that have been carried out in favour of this species in the reporting period. (Please provide the title of the project and contact details, where available):

Research

Identification and establishment of protected areas

Monitoring

- Education/awareness rising
- Species protection
- Habitat protection
- Habitat restoration

5. Describe any future activities that are planned for this species:

> Preparation and implementation of Single Action Plan for protection of population of water-birds and other birds, their natural habitats and migratory routes.

Species name: Aythya nyroca

1. Please provide published distribution reference:

> Monitoring of water birds in rivers, lakes and wetlands in Republik of Macedonia (2008-2011).

2a. Summarise information on population size (if known):

- decreasing

2b. Summarise information on distribution (if known):

- decreasing

3. Indicate and briefly describe any activities that have been carried out in favour of this species in the reporting period. (Please provide the title of the project and contact details, where available):

- Research
- Identification and establishment of protected areas
- Monitoring
- Education/awareness rising
- Species protection
- Habitat protection
- Habitat restoration

5. Describe any future activities that are planned for this species:

> Preparation and implementation of Single Action Plan for protection of population of water-birds and other birds, their natural habitats and migratory routes.

Species name: Oxyura leucocephala

1. Please provide published distribution reference:

> Monitoring of water birds in rivers, lakes and wetlands in Republik of Macedonia (2008-2011).

2a. Summarise information on population size (if known):

- decreasing

2b. Summarise information on distribution (if known):

- decreasing

3. Indicate and briefly describe any activities that have been carried out in favour of this species in the reporting period. (Please provide the title of the project and contact details, where available):

- Research
- Identification and establishment of protected areas
- Monitoring
- Education/awareness rising
- Species protection
- Habitat protection
- Habitat restoration

5. Describe any future activities that are planned for this species:

> Preparation and implementation of Single Action Plan for protection of population of water-birds and other birds, their natural habitats and migratory routes.

Species name: Haliaeetus albicilla

1. Please provide published distribution reference:

> Monitoring of migratory birds species in Republik of Macedonia (2008-2011)

2a. Summarise information on population size (if known):

- decreasing

2b. Summarise information on distribution (if known):

decreasing

3. Indicate and briefly describe any activities that have been carried out in favour of this species in the reporting period. (Please provide the title of the project and contact details, where available):

- Research
- Identification and establishment of protected areas
- Monitoring
- Education/awareness rising
- Species protection
- Habitat protection

5. Describe any future activities that are planned for this species:

> Preparation and implementation Single Action Plan for protection of population of this species, natural habitats and migration routs.

Species name: Aquila clanga

1. Please provide published distribution reference:

> Monitoring of migratory birds species in Republik of Macedonia (2008-2011)

2a. Summarise information on population size (if known):

decreasing

2b. Summarise information on distribution (if known):

decreasing

3. Indicate and briefly describe any activities that have been carried out in favour of this species in the reporting period. (Please provide the title of the project and contact details, where available):

- Research
- Identification and establishment of protected areas
- Monitoring
- Education/awareness rising
- Species protection
- Habitat protection
- Habitat restoration

5. Describe any future activities that are planned for this species:

> Preparation and implementation Single Action Plan for protection of population of this species, natural habitats and migration routs.

Species name: Aquila heliaca

1. Please provide published distribution reference:

> Monitoring of migratory birds species in Republik of Macedonia (2008-2011)

2a. Summarise information on population size (if known):

decreasing

2b. Summarise information on distribution (if known):

decreasing

3. Indicate and briefly describe any activities that have been carried out in favour of this species in the reporting period. (Please provide the title of the project and contact details, where available):

- Research
- Identification and establishment of protected areas
- Monitoring
- Education/awareness rising
- Species protection
- Habitat protection
- Habitat restoration

5. Describe any future activities that are planned for this species:

> Preparation and implementation Single Action Plan for protection of population of this species, natural habitats and migration routs.

Species name: Falco naumanni

1. Please provide published distribution reference:

> Monitoring of migratory birds species in Republik of Macedonia (2008-2011)

2a. Summarise information on population size (if known):

decreasing

2b. Summarise information on distribution (if known):

decreasing

3. Indicate and briefly describe any activities that have been carried out in favour of this species in the reporting period. (Please provide the title of the project and contact details, where available):

Research

Identification and establishment of protected areas

Monitoring

Education/awareness rising

Species protection

Habitat protection

Habitat restoration

5. Describe any future activities that are planned for this species:

> Preparation and implementation Single Action Plan for protection of population of this species, natural habitats and migration routs.

Species name: Numenius tenuirostris

1. Please provide published distribution reference:

> Monitoring of water birds in wetlands (2008-2011).

2a. Summarise information on population size (if known):

decreasing

2b. Summarise information on distribution (if known):

decreasing

3. Indicate and briefly describe any activities that have been carried out in favour of this species in the reporting period. (Please provide the title of the project and contact details, where available):

Research

Identification and establishment of protected areas

Monitoring

Education/awareness rising

Species protection

Habitat protection

Habitat restoration

5. Describe any future activities that are planned for this species:

> Preparation and implementation of Single Action Plan for protection of population of water-birds and other birds, their natural habitats and migratory routs.

Species name: Otis tarda (Middle-European population)

2a. Summarise information on population size (if known):

decreasing

2b. Summarise information on distribution (if known):

decreasing

3. Indicate and briefly describe any activities that have been carried out in favour of this species in the reporting period. (Please provide the title of the project and contact details, where available):

Research

Identification and establishment of protected areas

Monitoring

Education/awareness rising

Habitat protection

Habitat restoration

5. Describe any future activities that are planned for this species:

> Project for re-introduction this endangered bird species in natural habitats

Miscellaneous information or comments on Appendix I birds in general:

> Lack of financial resources and capacity to realise projects and strategic actions for evaluation of the status, distribution and population density of migratory bird species of CMS App. I in the Republic of Macedonia.

III. Appendix II Species

1. INFORMATION ON APPENDIX II SPECIES

Information pertaining to the conservation of Appendix II species that are the object of CMS Agreements will have been provided in periodic Party reports to those instruments. It will suffice therefore to reference (below), and preferably append, a copy of the latest report that has been submitted to the Secretariat of each of the Agreement/MoUs to which your country is a Party.

EUROBATS (1994)

Date of last report:
> 2013

Period covered:
> 2011-2013

AEWA (1999)

Date of last report:
> 20011

Period covered
> 2009-2011

2. QUESTIONS ON CMS AGREEMENTS

Questions on the development of new CMS Agreements relating to Bird Species

1. In the current reporting period, has your country **initiated** the development of any CMS Agreements, including Memoranda of Understanding, to address the needs of Appendix II Bird Species ?
 No
2. In the current reporting period, has your country **participated** in the development of any new CMS Agreements, including Memoranda of Understanding, which address the conservation needs of Appendix II Bird Species ?
 No
4. Is the development of any CMS Agreement for Bird Species, including Memoranda of Understanding, planned by your country in the foreseeable future?
 Yes
- 4.1. If Yes, please provide details:
> Create MoU for trans-continental cooperation and protection of endangered pelicans in Mediteranian Region.

Questions on the development of new CMS Agreements relating to Bat Species

1. In the current reporting period, has your country **initiated** the development of any CMS Agreements, including Memoranda of Understanding, to address the needs of Appendix II Bat Species ?
 No
2. In the current reporting period, has your country **participated** in the development of any new CMS Agreements, including Memoranda of Understanding, which address the conservation needs of Appendix II Bat Species ?
 No
4. Is the development of any CMS Agreement for Bat Species, including Memoranda of Understanding, planned by your country in the foreseeable future?
 No

Questions on the development of new CMS Agreements relating to Fish

1. In the current reporting period, has your country **initiated** the development of any CMS Agreements, including Memoranda of Understanding, to address the needs of Appendix II Fish ?
 No

2. In the current reporting period, has your country **participated** in the development of any new CMS Agreements, including Memoranda of Understanding, which address the conservation needs of Appendix II Fish ?

No

IV. National and Regional Priorities

1. What priority does your country assign to the conservation and, where applicable, sustainable use of migratory species in comparison to other biodiversity-related issues

Medium

2. Are migratory species and their habitats addressed by your country's national biodiversity strategy or action plan?

Yes

2.1. If Yes, please indicate and briefly describe the extent to which it addresses the following issues:

Conservation, sustainable use and/or restoration of migratory species

Conservation, sustainable use and/or restoration of the habitats of migratory species, including protected areas

Actions to prevent, reduce or control factors that are endangering or are likely to further endanger migratory species (e.g. alien invasive species or by-catch)

Minimizing or eliminating barriers or obstacles to migration

Research and monitoring of migratory species

Transboundary co-operation

3. Does the conservation of migratory species currently feature in any other national or regional policies/plans (apart from CMS Agreements)

Yes

3.1. If Yes, please provide details:

> Second NSBAP (2010-2014), New NBD Strategic Plan (2015-2020).

3a. Do these policies/plans cover the following areas?

Exploitation of natural resources (e.g. fisheries, hunting, etc.)

Yes

Economic development

Yes

Land-use planning

Yes

Pollution control

Yes

Designation and development of protected areas

Yes

Development of ecological networks

Yes

Planning of power lines

Yes

Planning of dams

Yes

V. Protected Areas

1. Are migratory species taken into account in the selection, establishment and management of protected areas in your country?

Yes

If Yes, please provide details:

> Study of Evaluation of biodiversity conservation in National Park Pelister, Preparation of Management Plan, Study of Evaluation of BD conservation in NP Galicica, MP, Study of Evaluation of BD conservation in NP Mavrovo, MP, Study of Evaluation of BD conservation in SNR Tikvesh, MP, Study of Evaluation of BD conservation in SP Kanjon Matka, Study of Evaluation of BD conservation in SPR Ezerani, near the Prespa Lake, Monography of Biodiversity in Monospitovsko Blato (wetlands), Study of Evaluation of Natural Heritage nad Biodiversity in Belasica mountaigne, Study of Evaluation of Natural Heritage and Biodiversity in Osogovo, Study of Evaluation of BD conservation in Jablanica mountaigne.

1b. Do these protected areas cover the following areas?

Terrestrial

Yes

If Yes, please provide details and include the amount of protected areas coverage and the number of protected areas

> 2 SNR, 3 NP, 1 PP, 1 PNP and 79 MN

Aquatic

Yes

If Yes, please provide details and include the amount of protected areas coverage and the number of protected areas

> 1 SNR, 1 PP and 10 MN

Marine

No

1c. Identify the agency, department or organization responsible for leading on this action in your country:

> MEPP, Administration of Environment- Department of Nature

2. Results - please describe the positive outcomes of any actions taken

> Law of re-proclamation of 6 Protected areas and law of proclamation of 3 new Protected Areas.

VII. Membership

1. Have actions been taken by your country to encourage non- Parties to join CMS and its related Agreements?

Yes

If Yes, please provide details. (In particular, describe actions taken to recruit the non-Parties that have been identified by the Standing Committee as high priorities for recruitment.)

> Republic of Bosnia and Hercegovina

1a. Identify the agency, department or organization responsible for leading on this action in your country:

> MFA, MEPP

2. Results - please describe the positive outcomes of any actions taken

> Bilateral co-operation, change of relevant information and sent CMS documents.

VIII. Global and National Importance of CMS

1. Have actions been taken by your country to increase national, regional and/or global awareness of the relevance of CMS and its global importance in the context of biodiversity conservation?

Yes

If Yes, please provide details:

> Regional Ministerial Conference of Biodiversity Conservation (NP Mavrovo, MK, 2010),
Regional Ministerial Conference of River Bassen Management Plans (Ohrid, MK, 2011).

2. Identify the agency, department or organization responsible for leading on this action in your country:

> MEPP, Department of Nature, Department of cooperation; MFA, Department of International Cooperation.

3. Results - please describe the positive outcomes of any actions taken

> Creation of MoU for regional cooperation for Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation (2010).
Adoption of Resolution for Biodiversity Conservation in pan-European level (European Parliament, CE, 2010).

IX. Mobilization of Resources

1. Has your country made financial resources available for conservation activities having direct benefits for migratory species in your country?

No

2. Has your country made voluntary contributions to the CMS Trust Fund to support requests from developing countries and countries with economies in transition?

No

3. Has your country made other voluntary financial contributions to support conservation activities having direct benefits for migratory species in other countries (particularly developing countries)?

No

4. Has your country provided technical and/or scientific assistance to developing countries to facilitate initiatives for the benefit of migratory species?

No

5. Has your country received financial assistance/support from the CMS Trust Fund, via the CMS Secretariat, for national conservation activities having direct benefits for migratory species in your country?

No

6. Has your country received financial assistance/support from sources other than the CMS Secretariat for conservation activities having direct benefit for migratory species in your country?

Yes

If Yes, please provide details (Indicate the migratory species that have benefited from these activities):

> UNDP/GEF Project for Biodiversity Strategy in the Prespa Park (Albania, Greece and Macedonia).

Annex: Updating Data on Appendix II Species

1. The drop-down lists below contain the list of all species listed in Appendix II. New Parties which have acceded since COP10 in 2011 and Parties which did not submit a National Report in time in 2011 are requested to complete the entire form.

Parties that did submit a timely report in 2011 are requested to review and update the data (e.g. new published distribution references and details concerning species added to Appendix II at COP9 and COP10).

Chiroptera

Vespertilionidae spp (European populations)

Please choose the one that applies.

Range State

Miniopterus schreibersii (African populations)

Please choose the one that applies.

Range State

Tadarida teniotis

Please choose the one that applies.

Range State

Gaviiformes

Gavia stellata (W. Palaeartic)

Please choose the one that applies.

Range State

Gavia arctica arctica

Please choose the one that applies.

Range State

Gavia immer immer (NW Europe)

Please choose the one that applies.

Range State

Gavia adamsii (W. Palaeartic)

Please choose the one that applies.

Range State

Podicipediformes

Podiceps grisegena grisegena

Please choose the one that applies.

Range State

Podiceps auritus (W. Palaeartic)

Please choose the one that applies.

Range State

Pelecaniformes

Pelecanus onocrotalus (W. Palaeartic)

Please choose the one that applies.

Range State

Pelecanus crispus

Please choose the one that applies.

Range State

Ciconiiformes

Botaurus stellaris stellaris (W. Palaearctic)

Please choose the one that applies.

Range State

Ixobrychus minutus minutus (W. Palaearctic)

Please choose the one that applies.

Range State

Casmerodius albus albus (W. Palaearctic)

Please choose the one that applies.

Range State

Ardea purpurea purpurea (Populations breeding in the W Palaearctic)

Please choose the one that applies.

Range State

Ciconia nigra

Please choose the one that applies.

Range State

Ciconia ciconia

Please choose the one that applies.

Range State

Plegadis falcinellus

Please choose the one that applies.

Range State

Platalea leucorodia

Please choose the one that applies.

Range State

Falconiformes

Pandion haliaetus

Please choose the one that applies.

Range State

Galliformes

Coturnix coturnix coturnix

Please choose the one that applies.

Range State

Gruiformes

Porzana porzana (Populations breeding in the W Palaearctic)

Please choose the one that applies.

Range State

Porzana parva parva

Please choose the one that applies.

Range State

Porzana pusilla intermedia

Please choose the one that applies.

Range State

Fulica atra atra (Mediterranean and Black Sea populations)

Please choose the one that applies.

Range State

Crex crex

Please choose the one that applies.

Range State

Otis tarda

Please choose the one that applies.

Range State

Charadriiformes

Burhinus oedicephalus

Please choose the one that applies.

Range State

Glareola pratincola

Please choose the one that applies.

Range State

Sterna sandvicensis sandvicensis

Please choose the one that applies.

Range State

Sterna hirundo hirundo (Populations breeding in the W Palaearctic)

Please choose the one that applies.

Range State

Sterna albifrons

Please choose the one that applies.

Range State

Chlidonias niger niger

Please choose the one that applies.

Range State

Chlidonias leucopterus (West Eurasian and African populations)

Please choose the one that applies.

Range State

Columbiformes

Streptopelia turtur turtur

Please choose the one that applies.

Range State

Coraciiformes

Merops apiaster

Please choose the one that applies.

Range State

Coracias garrulus

Please choose the one that applies.

Range State

Acipenseriformes

Acipenser sturio

Please choose the one that applies.

Range State