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EXTINCTION GOVERNANCE, FINANCE AND ACCOUNTING

IMPLEMENTING A SPECIES PROTECTION ACTION PLAN FOR THE FINANCIAL MARKETS

Taylor & Francis The planet is currently experiencing a mass extinction event, with human and business activity being the root cause of species loss and habitat destruction. Industries, companies, banks, investors, accountants and auditors have all played their role. This book explores how they can also provide a solution. The book presents plans, metrics, frameworks, mechanisms and financial innovations that can be, and are being, implemented through the financial markets in order to save and protect species, enhance biodiversity and, at the same time, preserve the financial markets and the business world. This biodiversity handbook addresses the intersection between species extinction and the global capitalist system. With contributions from leading non-governmental organisations such as the Capitals Coalition, Business for Nature, the Ecojustice Foundation, ShareAction and the Endangered Wildlife Trust, plus senior researchers in the field, as well as industry experts from Moody's, EOS at Hermes Federated Investment Management, BlueBay Asset Management, ODDO BHF Asset Management and OSSIAM (to mention just a few), this book is at the forefront of addressing the crucially important topics of extinction accounting, finance and governance. Drawing on leading research, the book is written in an accessible style and is relevant to researchers and students in the fields of sustainability, governance,

accounting, finance, corporate social responsibility and corporate governance. It is essential reading for investors, responsible investors, bankers, business leaders and policy makers in the field of sustainable financial markets. Given the interdisciplinary nature of this book, it is useful to conservationists, ecologists and others involved in species and biodiversity protection.

IMPLEMENTATION OF THE CLIMATE CHANGE ACTION PLAN

HEARING BEFORE THE SUBCOMMITTEE ON CLEAN AIR AND NUCLEAR REGULATION OF THE COMMITTEE ON ENVIRONMENT AND PUBLIC WORKS, UNITED STATES SENATE, ONE HUNDRED THIRD CONGRESS, SECOND SESSION, APRIL 14, 1994

THE ENDANGERED SPECIES ACT

HISTORY, IMPLEMENTATION, SUCCESSES, AND CONTROVERSIES

CRC Press The complex regulations of the Endangered Species Act can be challenging for environmental professionals who must comply with them or assist clients in compliance. This volume discusses the Act using clear scientific prose that all professionals can readily comprehend. It explores the history and the basic scientific theory underlying the Act. It provides an overview of its key provisions and examines the Act in the context of other key environmental planning statutes. The book also details the regulatory processes faced by other government agencies and private developers who must routinely ensure that their actions are in compliance.

GUIDELINES FOR ACTION PLANS FOR ANIMAL SPECIES

PLANNING RECOVERY

Council of Europe

REFERENCE BOOK OF POLICIES AND GUIDANCE FOR IMPLEMENTING THE ENDANGERED SPECIES ACT (ESA).

ACTION PLAN FOR THE CONSERVATION OF THE POND BAT IN EUROPE (MYOTIS DASYCNEME)

Council of Europe This publication results from a request by the Standing Committee of the Bern Convention for action plans to be drawn up for the conservation of two bat species as a contribution to the Euro-Species Programme. (The second action plan concerns the Greater Horseshoe bat (*Rhinolophus Ferrumquinum*)). The pond bat is considered to be one of Europe's rarer and more threatened species. Both roosts and foraging habitats are threatened. The migratory behaviour of the species makes international collaboration an essential element of its conservation management. This action plan gives detailed background to the current

knowledge of the status and ecology of the pond bat and how this relates to threats to the species. Country information is included in tables at the end of the text. The plan includes detailed objectives, points for further discussion and possible mechanisms for implementation of the action plan.

ACTION PLAN FOR THE CONSERVATION OF THE GREATER HORSESHOE BAT IN EUROPE (RHINOLOPHUS FERRUMEQUINUM)

Council of Europe This publication results from a request by the Standing Committee of the Bern Convention for action plans to be drawn up for the conservation of two bat species as a contribution to the Euro-Species Programme. (The second action plan concerns the Pond bat (*Myotis Dasycneme*)). The greater horseshoe bat is widespread in Europe with major declines in its population recorded this century. Both roosts and foraging habitats are threatened. Action has been taken in many of the countries that this bat inhabits and this has at least, stabilised populations. Further conservation plans may vary between the current centres of population and areas of depleted or extinct populations. This action plan gives detailed background to the current knowledge of the status and ecology of the pond bat and how this relates to threats to the species. The plan includes detailed objectives, points for further discussion and possible mechanisms for implementation of the action plan.

MILITARY TRAINING IMPLEMENTATION STRATEGY NEEDED TO INCREASE INTERAGENCY MANAGEMENT FOR ENDANGERED SPECIES AFFECTING TRAINING RANGES.

DIANE Publishing

DRAFT MANAGEMENT PLAN FOR CARPINTERIA SALT MARSH RESERVE, A SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA ESTUARY

IMPLEMENTATION OF THE BERN CONVENTION

NORDIC COUNTRIES : DENMARK

Council of Europe The Standing Committee to the Bern Convention (Convention of the Conservation of European Wildlife and Natural Habitats) wished to know how the Convention was being implemented in the Different states; what administrative structures were set up for nature conservation activities; and how the main challenges were being met. This study presents the situation in Denmark.

EUROPEAN STRATEGY ON INVASIVE ALIEN SPECIES

CONVENTION ON THE CONSERVATION OF EUROPEAN WILDLIFE AND HABITATS (BERN CONVENTION)

Council of Europe The introduction of alien species can upset ecosystems

and have been identified as the second main cause of species extinction at a global level after habitat loss or deterioration. This publication sets out a European strategy to address this issue, developed in the framework of the Bern Convention and in line with guidelines adopted in 2002 on biological diversity. This strategy seeks to encourage the implementation of co-ordinated measures in all European states which are designed to prevent or minimise adverse impacts of non-native species on native biological diversity.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE MARINE MAMMAL COMMISSION

A REPORT TO CONGRESS

ANNUAL REPORT TO CONGRESS

CORDELL BANK NATIONAL MARINE SANCTUARY, MANAGEMENT PLAN

ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT STATEMENT

WATERBIRDS AROUND THE WORLD

The Stationery Office

CALIFORNIA FISH AND WILDLIFE PROTECTION ACT OF 1990

**HEARING BEFORE THE SUBCOMMITTEE ON WATER, POWER, AND
OFFSHORE ENERGY RESOURCES OF THE COMMITTEE ON INTERIOR
AND INSULAR AFFAIRS, HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, ONE HUNDRED
FIRST CONGRESS, SECOND SESSION ON H.R. 3613 ... H.R. 4700 ...
HEARING HELD IN WASHINGTON, DC, MAY 15, 1990**

**PLAN FOR IMPLEMENTING THE SILVIO O. CONTE NATIONAL FISH AND
WILDLIFE REFUGE ACT IN THE CONNECTICUT RIVER WATERSHED
[CT,MA,VT,NH]**

ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT STATEMENT

**PROCEEDINGS OF THE TWENTY-SECOND ANNUAL SYMPOSIUM ON
SEA TURTLE BIOLOGY AND CONSERVATION**

4 TO 7 APRIL 2002, MIAMI, FLORIDA, USA

NOAA STRATEGIC PLAN

A VISION FOR 2005 : EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

ALTURAS FIELD OFFICE

ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT STATEMENT

ACTION PLAN FOR THE CONSERVATION OF STURGEONS (ACIPENSERIDAE) IN THE DANUBE RIVER BASIN

Council of Europe Six species of sturgeons are native to the Danube River Basin. The need for conservation action is urgent, given that recent observations in the Lower Danube indicate that all sturgeon populations are near extinction. Due to the high commercial value of sturgeon products, in particular caviar, the pressure from poaching and illegal trade remains intense. These species will not survive unless fishing practices are greatly addressed, and both migration routes and habitats for all life-cycle stages are protected. Through national action and international co-ordination, this action plan aims to secure viable populations of all Danube sturgeon species by sustainable management and restoration of their natural habitats and migratory corridors

BIODIVERSITY, SUSTAINABILITY AND HUMAN COMMUNITIES

PROTECTING BEYOND THE PROTECTED

Cambridge University Press Publisher Description

TOOLS FOR ASSESSING AND PROTECTING BIODIVERSITY

Biodiversity is under global threat and available evidence suggests that we are headed towards another mass extinction. There exists a need for tools to assess and protect biodiversity because each level of biodiversity, from genes to ecosystems, requires a unique set of tools to solve challenges in biodiversity conservation. The goal of the work herein provides technical advances for assessing genetic biodiversity for a species of endangered fairy shrimp, *Branchinecta lynchi* (Chapter 1), application of a universal genetic tool to assess taxa diversity of communities of alpine benthic macroinvertebrates (Chapter 2), and an assessment of a novel law that is used in the state of California to ensure protection of biodiversity (Chapter 3). Each chapter increases our knowledge of tools that can be used to assess and protect biodiversity in unique ways and in total spans all levels of biodiversity. Chapter one describes eight novel microsatellite markers for the vernal pool fairy shrimp, *Branchinecta lynchi*, which has been extirpated from 90% of its range. These genetic loci were developed for the purpose of evaluating genetic diversity and population structure of remaining populations, as well as providing a new tool for assisting in the delineation of management areas that will hopefully aid in their conservation and recovery. These markers can also be used for the study of their evolution and a few loci are potentially useful in other *Branchinecta* species. Chapter two evaluates a process that is often taken for granted as being something that is easily done. Namely, in many community ecological studies the goal is to produce a species list from a

sample of individuals. In this study we compared a newer method by which individuals can be identified (i.e., genetic barcode identification) to the use of established morphological tools and estimated taxonomic resolution gained by a combined use of both methods. We further tested whether a change in taxonomic resolution significantly altered richness estimates for benthic macroinvertebrates sampled from ten lakes in Sequoia National Park, USA. Across all lakes, 81 unique taxa were identified and 42% (34) were reliably identified to species using both barcode and morphological identification. Of the 34 taxa identified to species with both methods of identification, 70% (25) were identified using only their barcodes. The increased resolution of 28%, on average per lake sampled, resulted in a significant difference in estimated richness within a lake at the order, family, genus, and species levels of taxonomy, and suggests that if only morphology is used to create species lists for benthic macroinvertebrates we are potentially underestimating richness. Our results demonstrate that a combined identification approach improves accuracy of benthic macroinvertebrate species lists in alpine lakes and subsequent estimates of richness.

Chapter three moves from development and use of genetic tools to evaluate biodiversity to a social construct for how to protect biodiversity. In this chapter we evaluated socioeconomic and political barriers to plan implementation for conservation plans under the Natural Community Conservation Planning (NCCP) Act of California. The NCCP Act is a proactive approach to resolve an important challenge in conservation: achieving protection of biodiversity in the face of human economic growth and development. We evaluated conservation plans that included over 300 species and the potential protection of nearly seven million acres of habitat and assessed potential barriers in the planning process that may impede implementation. Data pertaining to socioeconomic and ecological characteristics in planning areas was aggregated and then used to characterize plans at different stages (e.g., implemented or abandoned). Second, we evaluated stakeholder involvement used for the planning process. Lastly, we surveyed county and city elected officials from California to assess their opinions regarding the trade-off between conservation and economic development and the value of NCCPs to resolve this trade-off. We found that implemented plans were characterized by higher population density and human development index, lower median housing value, higher number of community types included in plans, and higher average involvement of stakeholders when compared to abandoned plans. Politicians from the regions where NCCPs are implemented were more likely to think that NCCPs are an effective tool for conservation of California's native biodiversity when compared to politicians from places where planning for an NCCP has been abandoned. The methodology used to assess the planning process of the NCCP program, as well as the findings, will inform future NCCP program efforts and can be a model for how to assess other planning efforts in conservation management.

REGIONAL ACTION PLAN

NORTHEAST REGIONAL OFFICE & NORTHEAST FISHERIES CENTER

ENVIRONMENTAL PERFORMANCE REVIEW

ALBANIA - THIRD REVIEW

United Nations This programme assesses progress made by individual countries, in this case Albania, in reconciling their economic and social development with environmental protection, as well as in meeting international commitments on environment and sustainable development. It assists countries to improve their environmental policies by making concrete recommendations for better policy design and implementation. The reviews help to integrate environmental policies into sector-specific policies such as those in agriculture, energy, transport and health.

ANNUAIRE EUROPEEN 1999/EUROPEAN YEARBOOK 1999

Martinus Nijhoff Publishers The "European Yearbook" promotes the scientific study of nineteen European supranational organisations and the Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development (OECD). Each volume contains a detailed survey of the history, structure and yearly activities of each organisation and an up-to-date chart providing a clear overview of the member states of each organisation. Each volume contains a comprehensive bibliography covering the year's relevant publications. This is an indispensable work of reference for anyone dealing with the European institutions.

BIRD CONSERVATION IMPLEMENTATION AND INTEGRATION IN THE AMERICAS

PROCEEDINGS OF THE THIRD INTERNATIONAL PARTNERS IN FLIGHT CONFERENCE, MARCH 20-24, 2002, ASILOMAR, CALIFORNIA

ACTION PLAN FOR THE CONSERVATION OF WOLVERINES IN EUROPE (GULO GULO)

Council of Europe The action plan for the conservation of the wolverines (*Gulo gulo*) in Europe was prepared for the Large Carnivore Initiative in Europe, a voluntary organisation supported by the World Wide Fund for Nature. The plan was discussed and endorsed in the framework of the Council of Europe's Wildlife Convention (Bern Convention). It contains valuable information on the status of the species and useful recommendations and guidelines for its conservation and management

AUSTRALASIAN MARSUPIALS AND MONOTREMES

AN ACTION PLAN FOR THEIR CONSERVATION

IUCN Australia, Papua New Guinea, and eastern Indonesia together share all the monotremes (egg-laying mammals) of the world and all the marsupials (pouched mammals) except those of the Americas. There is an urgent need for concerted action to conserve the marsupials and monotremes of the Australasian region. Australia has the worst extinction rate for the mammals of any continent or country and Papua New Guinea and eastern Indonesia are undergoing rapid development which, if not properly planned and controlled, could threaten the habitat of many marsupials, as well as other species. This Action Plan provides an overall perspective of the problems that confront conservation agencies and NGOs in the region and recommends actions required before the year 2000.

NATIONAL STRATEGY AND IMPLEMENTATION PLAN FOR INVASIVE SPECIES MANAGEMENT

STRATEGIC PLANNING FOR LONG-TERM FINANCING OF PACIFIC LEATHERBACK CONSERVATION AND RECOVERY

WorldFish

ENVIRONMENTAL PERFORMANCE REVIEW

NORTH MACEDONIA - THIRD REVIEW

United Nations The third Environmental Performance Review of North Macedonia examines progress made by the country in the management of its environment since 2011. It covers legal and policy frameworks, greening the economy, environmental monitoring, and public participation and education for sustainable development. Furthermore, the EPR addresses issues of specific importance to the country related to air protection, biodiversity and protected areas, as well as water, and waste and chemicals management. The review further provides a substantive and policy analysis of the country's climate change adaptation and mitigation measures and its participation in international mechanisms. The publication is aimed at officials and experts working for public authorities responsible for environmental policy, representatives of civil society, the business community, academia and the media.

AMPHIBIAN CONSERVATION ACTION PLAN : PROCEEDINGS IUCN/SSC AMPHIBIAN CONSERVATION SUMMIT 2005

IUCN

A DIAGNOSTIC TOOL FOR IMPLEMENTING AN ECOSYSTEM APPROACH TO FISHERIES THROUGH POLICY AND LEGAL FRAMEWORKS

Food & Agriculture Org. The implementation of an ecosystem approach to

fisheries (EAF) contributes to sustainable fisheries in various ways. One of them is by reviewing national policy and legal instruments to identify gaps which prevent a country from progressing towards full alignment with, and implementation of, an EAF. This diagnostic tool builds on the previous work of FAO by translating the 17 EAF components identified in the How-to Guide on legislating for an EAF into an EAF Legal Checklist for legal practitioners, policymakers and fisheries managers to use in conducting a preliminary assessment of selected policy and legal instruments and determining whether they are congruent an EAF. The outcomes of the assessment may result in decisions to amend existing national policies and/or legislation, or develop new policy and legal instruments that are aligned with the 17 EAF components, to ensure the full implementation of an EAF towards improving, in a holistic way, the conservation and sustainable use of marine resources, biodiversity and ecosystems.

FAO TECHNICAL GUIDELINES FOR RESPONSIBLE FISHERIES

INSECT CONSERVATION: PAST, PRESENT AND PROSPECTS

Springer Science & Business Media The history of interest and practice in insect conservation is summarised and traced through contributions from many of the leaders in the discipline, to provide the first broad global account of how insects have become incorporated into considerations of conservation. The essays collectively cover the genesis and development of insect conservation, emphasising its strong foundation within the northern temperate regions and the contrasts with much of the rest of the world. Major present-day scenarios are discussed, together with possible developments and priorities in insect conservation for the future.

MARINE CONSERVATION

SCIENCE, POLICY, AND MANAGEMENT

John Wiley & Sons Providing a guide for marine conservation practice, Marine Conservation takes a whole-systems approach, covering major advances in marine ecosystem understanding. Its premise is that conservation must be informed by the natural histories of organisms together with the hierarchy of scale-related linkages and ecosystem processes. The authors introduce a broad range of overlapping issues and the conservation mechanisms that have been devised to achieve marine conservation goals. The book provides students and conservation practitioners with a framework for thoughtful, critical thinking in order to incite innovation in the 21st century. "Marine Conservation presents a scholarly but eminently readable case for the necessity of a systems approach to conserving the oceans, combining superb introductions to the science, law and policy frameworks with carefully chosen case studies. This superb volume is a must for anyone interested in marine conservation, from students and practitioners to lay readers and policy-makers." —Simon

Levin, George M. Moffett Professor of Biology, Department of Ecology & Evolutionary Biology, Princeton University

CONSERVATION, BIODIVERSITY AND INTERNATIONAL LAW

Edward Elgar Publishing 'Humanity has been gambling for generations with the extent to which it can degrade nature and continue to prosper. Now the environmental debt is being called in and the ability of international diplomacy and law, government policy and political will to deal with the issues is being tested. Conservation, Biodiversity and International Law is a must read for any practitioner in the high-stakes business of restoring our ability to live in harmony with the natural world that sustains us.' - Alastair Morrison, Department of Conservation, New Zealand 'Biodiversity is the cornerstone of life - our plants, animals, and ecosystems are essential for livelihoods and have shaped our culture and traditions around the world. However our precious biodiversity is at risk as never before. Global targets to reduce biodiversity loss have not been met and we continue to lose biodiversity at an unprecedented rate. In fact we are currently in the middle of an extinction crisis and scientists have advised that one species from our planet is being lost every 38 minutes! The nature of this crisis and the actions taken to address it are clearly and articulately put forward in this landmark book by Professor Al Gillespie. This book is particularly useful in documenting the many policy and legal actions that have been taken to address these issues, and how the application of these instruments can be improved. Although focused on the law, the book covers a range of disciplines including science, philosophy and policy which lay the foundation for international law. This book makes a major and highly valued contribution to the discipline of environmental law and policy and is an invaluable reference for policy makers, practitioners and academic audiences.' - David Sheppard, CEO of the Secretariat of the Pacific Regional Environment Programme (SPREP) 'This book is written by a prominent and influential scholar who also has the benefit of first hand knowledge of practical working of environmental regimes, having participated in several important negotiations. Gillespie's monograph therefore stands out among other publications on the subject of conservation, combining thoughtful and scholarly approach to issues raised with un-paralleled insights into the working of environmental law and the conservation of biodiversity. The book is very original in its presentation of this subject, especially in the selection of topics and the approach which is not only legal but also scientific, philosophical and political. This book is evidence of the great erudition of the author not only in the field of conservation but also in international environmental law and general international law, an example of which can be his analysis of the precautionary principle, trade and a very complex issue of the exception for indigenous peoples and science. Mention also must be made of his detailed approach to various multilateral treaty regimes such as Ramsar

Convention and the World Heritage Convention. Gillespie wrote an exceptional book which is a must for international lawyers, both practitioners and scholars. It is a thought-provoking, very well researched and original monograph, which due to its all-encompassing approach will retain its importance for a very long period of time.' - Malgosia Fitzmaurice, Queen Mary, University of London, UK 'A major work: this book provides a comprehensive picture of the international legal challenges of natural heritage conservation. Truly an indispensable tool for policy-makers, experts and students. The book offers a complete guide to the complex world of treaties that regulate conservation at the global scale.' - Francesco Bandarin, UNESCO Assistant Director-General for Culture This important and timely book provides a rigorous overview of the defining issues presently facing conservation at international level. The author provides detailed coverage of topics ranging from the classification of species right through to access and benefit sharing, drawing on his personal experience at intergovernmental level. Each question is examined through the prism of dozens of treaties and hundreds of decisions and resolutions of the key multilateral regimes, and the law in each area is supplemented by the necessary considerations of science politics and philosophy - providing much-needed context for the reader. Combining expert scholarship and first-hand insight, Conservation, Biodiversity and International Law will be an invaluable resource for researchers and practitioners in international environmental law, as well as providing an accessible guide for students.

NOAA STRATEGIC PLAN FOR DEEP-SEA CORAL AND SPONGE ECOSYSTEMS

RESEARCH, MANAGEMENT, AND INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION

Government Printing Office NOAA Technical Memorandum CRCP 11. Identifies goals, objectives, and approaches to guide NOAA's research, management, and international cooperation activities on deep-sea coral and sponge ecosystems for fiscal years 2010 through 2019. Integrates research and conservation needs and is intended to be a flexible, evolving document that allows NOAA and its partners to address new management challenges and priorities as appropriate. The primary goal of this Strategic Plan is to improve the understanding, conservation, and management of deep-sea coral and sponge ecosystems.

DEPARTMENTS OF COMMERCE, JUSTICE, AND STATE, THE JUDICIARY, AND RELATED AGENCIES APPROPRIATIONS FOR 1994

HEARINGS BEFORE A SUBCOMMITTEE OF THE COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS, HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, ONE HUNDRED

THIRD CONGRESS, FIRST SESSION
