

6th Session of the Meeting of Parties

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Resolution 6.2

Amendment of the Annex to the Agreement



The Meeting of the Parties to the Agreement on the Conservation of Populations of European Bats (hereafter "the Agreement"),

Recalling Resolution No. 7 adopted at its Third Session (Bristol, July 2000), amending the Agreement and incorporating an Annex of bat species occurring in Europe to which the Agreement applies;

Appreciating that the majority of Parties has already accepted the Amendment to the Agreement and that it has entered into force in August 2001;

Recognising that there will be the need to amend the Annex from time to time in the light of recent research results;

Further recognising that the names of bat species included in the Annex should conform to the rules of nomenclature laid down by the International Commission on Zoological Nomenclature;

Noting that IUCN – The World Conservation Union as well as the Convention on the Conservation of Migratory Species of Wild Animals (CMS) identify *Mammal Species of the World* by Wilson and Reeder (Smithsonian Institution Press, Washington; John Hopkins University Press, Baltimore) as the standard list of mammals;

Acknowledges the establishment of an Advisory Panel of specialists to consider potential changes to the Annex;

Agrees to adopt the following changes to the Annex, on the recommendation of the Advisory Panel; and

Notes other potential changes to the Annex, but which are rejected or deferred pending the availability of further information;

Noting also the recommendation in Resolution 6.10 to increase synergies with other regional treaties, including the EU Habitats Directive and the Berne Convention;

Decides to:

1. Replace the name *Barbastella leucomelas* with *Barbastella darjelingensis* (Hodgson, 1855);
2. Accept the addition of *Eptesicus anatolicus* Felten, 1971 to the list of species of the Annex (and retain *Eptesicus bottae* in the list);
3. Accept the addition of *Eptesicus isabellinus* (Temminck, 1840) to the list of species of the Annex;
4. Accept the addition of *Myotis escaleraei* (Cabrera, 1904) to the list of species of the Annex;
5. Accept the addition of *Pipistrellus hanaki* Hulva & Benda, 2004 to the list of species of the Annex;
6. Accept the addition of the following species, which occur on the European territories of the Atlantic Islands of Canary Islands, Madeira and Azores: *Nyctalus azoreum* (Thomas, 1901), *Pipistrellus maderensis* (Dobson, 1878) and *Plecotus teneriffae* Barrett-Hamilton, 1907.

Adopts the revised list of species for the Annex to the Agreement as attached to this Resolution.

Bat species occurring in Europe to which the Agreement applies:

Pteropodidae

Rousettus aegyptiacus (GEOFFROY, 1810)

Emballonuridae

Taphozous nudiventris CRETZSCHMAR, 1830

Rhinolophidae

Rhinolophus blasii PETERS, 1866

Rhinolophus euryale BLASIUS, 1853

Rhinolophus ferrumequinum (SCHREBER, 1774)

Rhinolophus hipposideros (BECHSTEIN, 1800)

Rhinolophus mehelyi MATSCHIE, 1901

Vespertilionidae

Barbastella barbastellus (SCHREBER, 1774)

Barbastella darjelingensis (Hodgson, 1855)

Eptesicus bottae (PETERS, 1869)

Eptesicus nilssonii (KEYSERLING & BLASIUS, 1839)

Eptesicus anatolicus Felten, 1971

Eptesicus isabellinus (Temminck, 1840)

Eptesicus serotinus (SCHREBER, 1774)

Hypsugo savii (BONAPARTE, 1837)

Myotis alcathoe VON HELVERSEN & HELLER, 2001

Myotis aurascens KUZYAKIN, 1935

Myotis bechsteinii (KUHLM, 1817)

Myotis blythii (TOMES, 1857)

Myotis brandtii (EVERSMANN, 1845)

Myotis capaccinii (BONAPARTE, 1837)

Myotis dasycneme (BOIE, 1825)

Myotis daubentonii (KUHLM, 1817)

Myotis emarginatus (GEOFFROY, 1806)

Myotis escalerae (Cabrera, 1904)

Myotis hajastanicus ARGYROPULO, 1939

Myotis myotis (BORKHAUSEN, 1797)

Myotis mystacinus (KUHLM, 1817)

Myotis nattereri (KUHLM, 1817)

Myotis nipalensis (DOBSON, 1871)

Myotis punicus FELTEN, 1977

Myotis schaubi KORMOS, 1934

Nyctalus azoreum (THOMAS, 1901)

Nyctalus lasiopterus (SCHREBER, 1780)

Nyctalus leisleri (KUHLM, 1817)

Nyctalus noctula (SCHREBER, 1774)

Otonycteris hemprichii PETERS, 1859

Pipistrellus hanaki Hulva & Benda, 2004

Pipistrellus kuhlii (KUHLM, 1817)

Pipistrellus maderensis (DOBSON, 1878)

Pipistrellus nathusii (KEYSERLING & BLASIUS, 1839)

Pipistrellus pipistrellus (SCHREBER, 1774)

Pipistrellus pygmaeus (LEACH, 1825)

Plecotus auritus (LINNAEUS, 1758)

Plecotus austriacus (FISCHER, 1829)

Plecotus kolombatovici DULIC, 1980

Plecotus macrobullaris KUZYAKIN, 1965

Plecotus sardus MUCEDDA, KIEFER, PIDINCHEDDA & VEITH, 2002

Plecotus teneriffae BARRETT-HAMILTON, 1907

Vespertilio murinus LINNAEUS, 1758

Miniopterus schreibersii (KUHLM, 1817)

Molossidae

Tadarida teniotis (RAFINESQUE, 1814)