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Act
6 of 2000.

[17th March, 2000.]

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1. This Act may be cited as the Endangered Species (Protection, Conservation and Regulation of Trade) Act. Short title.

2.—(1) In this Act— Interpretation

"animal" means any member of the animal kingdom other than man, whether alive or dead;

"animal reproductive material" means—

- (a) an egg, sperm or embryo of an animal; and
- (b) any other part or product of an animal from which another animal can be produced;

"animal specimen" means—

- (a) any animal;
- (b) any animal reproductive material;
- (c) the flesh, skin, bone, blood, scales, feathers, horns or shell of any animal; and
- (d) any readily recognizable part,

of a species or any derivative thereof specified in the First, Second, Third or Fourth Schedule; First, Second,
Third or
Fourth
Schedule.

"Appendix" means an Appendix to the Convention and Appendices shall be construed accordingly;

"approved scientific institution" means an institution declared by the Management Authority under section 8 to be an approved scientific institution in relation to a particular specimen or class of specimens;

"article" includes a substance or mixture of substances;

"artificial propagation" has the meaning assigned to it in section 11;

"authorized officer" means—

- (a) any person designated as such by the Natural Resources Conservation Authority;
- (b) any customs officer;
- (c) any Game Warden approved as such under the Wild Life Protection Act;
- (d) any member or officer of the Jamaica Constabulary Force or the Jamaica Defence Force;
- (e) any person designated—
 - (i) a Fishery Inspector under the Fishing Industry Act;
 - (ii) a Marine Officer under the Exclusive Economic Zone Act and the Maritime Areas Act;
 - (iii) an Inspector under the Aquaculture, Inland and Marine Products and By-Products (Inspection, Licensing and Export) Act;
- (f) any person appointed a forest officer under the Forestry Act;
- (g) any person appointed a park manager or designated a national park ranger under the Natural Resources (National Parks) Regulations, 1993;
- (h) any person appointed a marine park manager or designated a marine park ranger under the Natural Resources Conservation (Marine Parks) Regulations, 1992,