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Agency

CENTRE FOR INTERNATIONAL TRADE BRISTOL UK CITES MANAGEMENT AUTHORITY



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May - 2024

What is CITES?

Convention on International Trade in Endangered Species of Wild Fauna and Flora

- CITES is an international agreement to which countries adhere to voluntarily
- There are 184 signatories to the Convention, the latest being Andorra in 2021
- The Convention (drafted 1963, agreed 1973, in force 1975, UK became a party in 1976) covers roughly 34,310 species of plants and 6,610 Animals.
- EC Regulations 338/97 and 865/2006 (as incorporated in UK law as retained EU law)
- Management Authority for British Indian Ocean Territories

<https://cites.org/eng>



LEGALITY

The specimen has been obtained in accordance with the national laws and regulations for the protection of fauna and flora. Parties must make a legal acquisition finding to confirm this.



SUSTAINABILITY

Parties must make a non-detriment finding: a science-based biological finding which confirms that the trade in the species is sustainable and will not be detrimental to the survival of the species and takes account of the role of the species in its ecosystem.



TRACEABILITY

Parties must ensure that trade can be traced through the issuance and control of appropriate CITES permits and certificates. Parties report on all permits and certificates issued in national annual reports, which are compiled in the CITES Trade Database (<http://trade.cites.org>).

UK CITES Authorities

UK Management Authority

Defra policy
APHA operational delivery and compliance

UK Scientific Authorities



UK Enforcement Authorities



Our Work (APHA CITES Team, CIT-B)

- CITES UK Management Authority
 - ✓ We issue permits and certificates for the import, export and commercial use of CITES listed specimens.
 - ✓ Register of captive breeding operations, Scientific Institutions, nurseries and caviar exporters or re-packing operations
- Other work areas include, Ivory ban, Bird Registration, Zoo Licensing, and Invasive Alien Species permitting and compliance.

Delivery

2023 Stats:

62k CITES permits issued

13k applications received

- ✓ 269 NI apps
- ✓ 218 apps rejected

90.17% issued within target

443 Bird Registrations completed

Zoo Licensing:

- ✓ 118 Nomination Requests from Local Authorities to conduct inspections
- ✓ 8 Dispensation requests

Approx. 15,500 Emails and 10K Calls answered



We aim to have reached a decision on applications within 30 days of receipt.



97% of our permits are issued within this 30-day target.



Our busy season runs from the spring through to the autumn months.

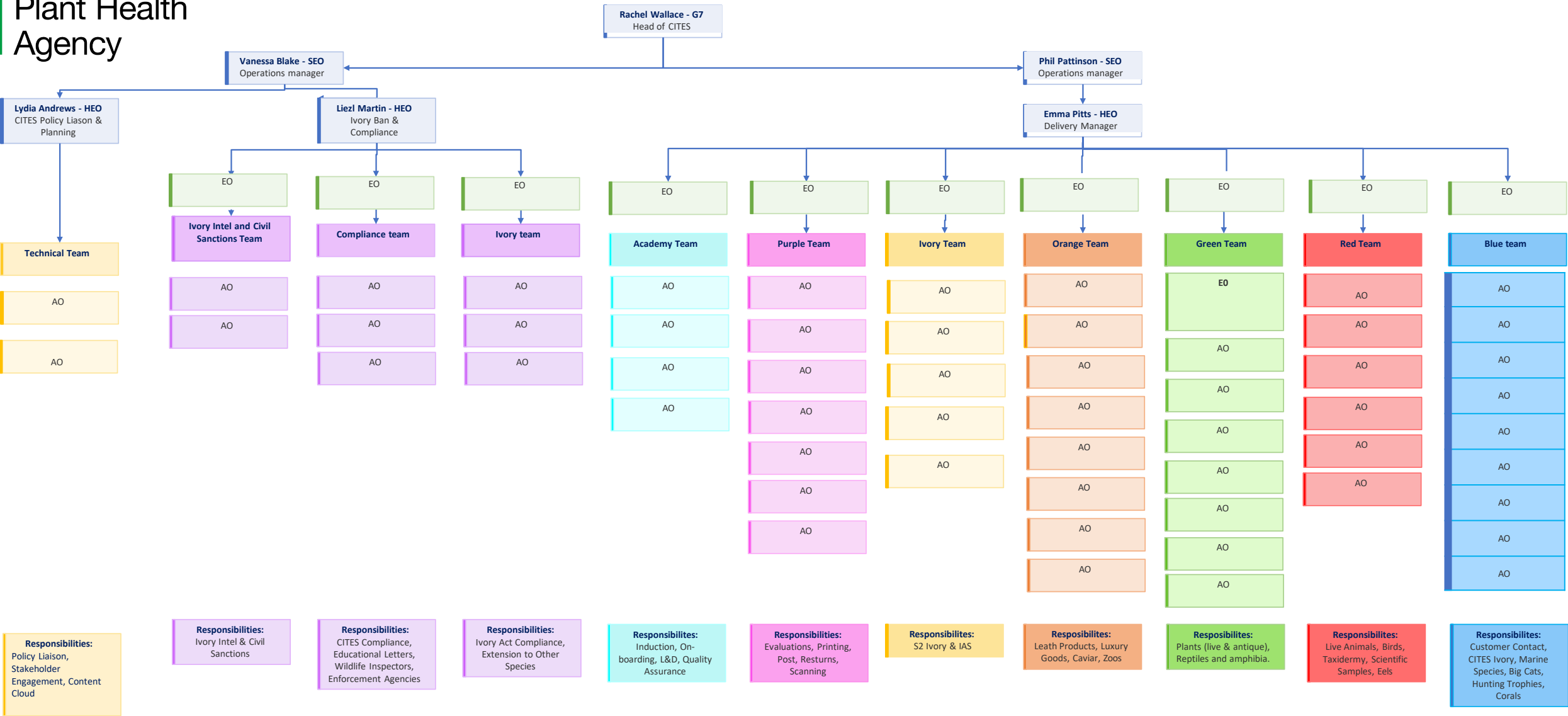


We have a total of 11 teams each focusing on different remits. One of which processes the plants applications.



Animal & Plant Health Agency

Organogram Centre of International Trade Bristol (CIT-B) (Updated March 2024)



What type of specimens are covered by CITES?



What type of specimens are covered by CITES?



Dendrobium nobile

Market selling largely unprocessed parts and derivatives for local purposes

Traditional pharmacy selling processed products

Ornamental plants and timber species in CITES

Ornamental plants

- Orchids
- Cactus
- Carnivorous plants
- Galanthus, Sternbergias and Cyclamens
- Aloes
- Euphorbias
- Cycads
- Palms
- Tree ferns

Timber species



Not sure if you need a CITES permit?

Cyclamen persicum

Mill.

► Primulales ► Primulaceae ► Cyclamen

LEGAL	NAMES	DISTRIBUTION	REFERENCES	DOCUMENTS
CITES Listings	CITES Quotas	CITES Suspensions	EU Listing	EU Decisions

CITES

CITES LISTING

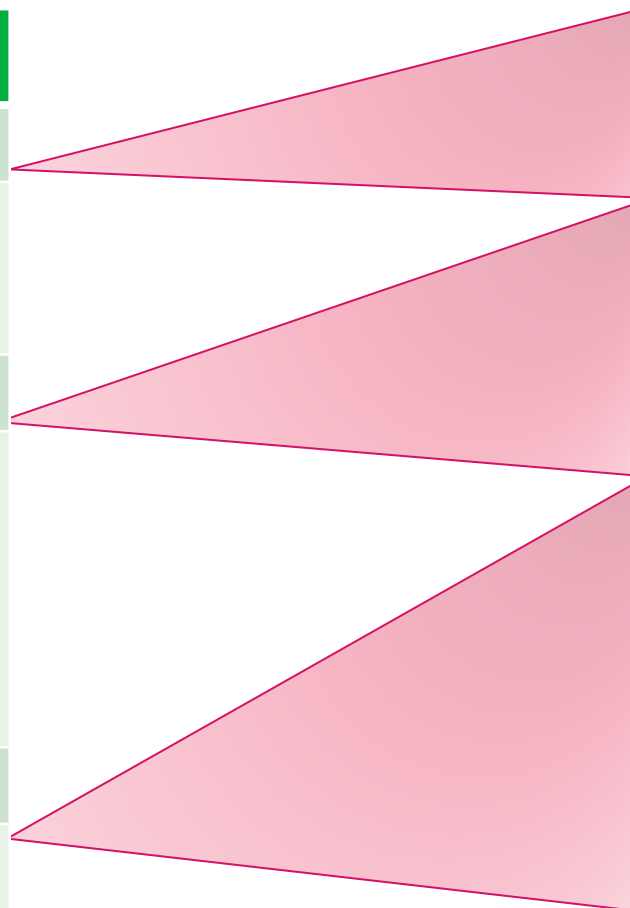
APPENDIX	COUNTRY	DATE	NOTES
			[GENUS listing Cyclamen spp.]
			CoP19 #4
II		23/02/2023	Artificially propagated specimens of cultivars of <i>Cyclamen persicum</i> are not subject to the provisions of the Convention. However, the exemption does not apply to such specimens traded as dormant tubers.

The annotations (in red) and the notes (in green) will tell you whether any parts or derivatives of the plant are listed on CITES and require permits or not

If, after checking Species+, you have any doubts regarding the possible exemptions for your plants, please contact us by email wildlife.licensing@apha.gov.uk.


Degrees of protection – CITES species

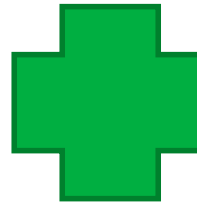
CITES Appendices
Appendix I
<ul style="list-style-type: none">species threatened with extinction and for which trade is prohibited, and may only be authorised in exceptional circumstances
Appendix II
<ul style="list-style-type: none">species not immediately threatened with extinction, but which may become so unless trade is regulated, orlook-alike species, which are similar in appearance to endangered species and are therefore included to facilitate a more effective control
Appendix III
<ul style="list-style-type: none">species subject to regulation within the territory of a CITES Party and for which the cooperation of other Parties is needed to prevent or restrict their exploitation



GB Annexes	
Annex A	<p>All species listed in Appendix I of CITES, plus certain other species included because they meet additional EU/GB criteria for prohibition of trade</p> <p>Imports can only take place with a CITES (re)-export and an import permit</p>
Annex B	<p>All the remaining species listed in Appendix II of CITES, plus certain other species included because they meet additional EU/GB criteria for regulation of trade</p> <p>Imports can only take place with a CITES (re)-export and an import permit</p>
Annex C	<p>Contains the Appendix III species that are not listed in Annex B.</p> <p>Imports can take place with a CITES (re)-export document and an import notification</p>
Annex D	<p>List of species that does not have a CITES equivalent. Some species in App III for which the UK has a reservation.</p> <p>Imports can take place with an import notification</p>

- CITES export permit issued by the country of export

 اتفاقية التجارة الدولي وبالحفاظ Convention on International Trade in Endangered Species of Wild Fauna and Flora		رقم الشهادة / PERMIT / CERTIFICATE No. 22AE00000		Original	
3. Importer (Name & Address) COMPANY LTD UNIT 18 BUSINESS PARK, WAGLESDOWN LANE, ST. ASK, BRESTOL,		4. Exporter (Name, address & country) Perfume Industries P.O BOX 49000 AIRPORT INTERNATIONAL FREEZONE United Arab Emirates		24-01-2023 التاريخ	
5. Special Conditions بالاتفاقية		6. Name, address, national ID number and country of Management Authority مدير سلطة ومكتب الترخيص		5. Special Conditions بالاتفاقية	
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- UK import permit

<p>1. Exporter / Importer FOSTER DIAMOND LUXE LTD 110 RUE DE LILLE 75000 PARIS FRANCE</p>	<p>2. PERMIT <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> EXPORT <input type="checkbox"/> RE-EXPORT <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER</p>	<p>No. 62765/01 2. Last day of validity: 01/07/23</p>				
<p>3. Importer FOSTER DIAMOND LUXE LTD 160 NEW BOND STREET LONDON BX19 0PB</p>	<p>CITES Convention on International Trade in Endangered Species Of Wild Fauna and Flora</p>					
<p>6. Location at which live specimens of Annex A species will be kept</p>	<p>4. Country of re-export FRANCE 5. Country of export UNITED KINGDOM 7. Issuing Management Authority Animal and Plant Health Agency (APHA) UK CITES Management Authority Horizon House Deanery Road Bristol BS1 5AH Tel: +44(0)117 372 3700 Website: www.gov.uk/cites-imports-and-exports</p>					
<p>8. Description of specimens (including marks, sex/date of birth for live animals) LPS One watchtrap made of Alligator skin. This permit is valid on permit number 00CH00000 issued on 02/02/2016 *TRAINING PURPOSES ONLY*</p>	<p>9. Not issued (X) 10. Quantity 1 11. CITES Appendix II 12. GS Annex B 13. Source W 14. Purpose T United States of America 16. Permit No. 11US00000AA0 17. Date of issue 10/01/11 18. Country of last re-export France 19. Certificate No. FR2100000000-R 20. Date of issue 01/01/23</p>					
<p>21. Scientific name of species Alligator mississippiensis 22. Common name of species American Alligator</p>						
<p>23. Special conditions This permit is valid if the live animals are transported in compliance with the CITES Guidelines for the transport and Preparation for Shipment of Live Wild Animals or, in the case of air transport, the Live Animals Regulations published by the International Air Transport Association (IATA). *TRAINING PURPOSES ONLY* This permit is not valid unless presented to customs authorities (Border Force) at a CITES designated port for completion of Box 27 at the point of entry to or on exit from Great Britain. Imports and exports of CITES specimens may only take place at designated CITES ports listed at https://www.gov.uk/guidance/trading-cites-listed-specimens-through-uk-ports-and-airports-designated-poe.</p>						
<p>24. The (re-)export documentation from the country of (re-)export <input type="checkbox"/> has been surrendered to the issuing authority <input type="checkbox"/> has to be surrendered to the border customs office of introduction MINISTRE DE LA TRANSITION ECOLOGIQUE ET SOLIDAIRE DIRECTION DE L'EAU ET DE LA</p>	<p>25. The <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> importation <input type="checkbox"/> exportation <input type="checkbox"/> re-exportation of the goods described above is hereby permitted. Signature and official stamp: Emily Penny Head of International Trade Name of issuing official: Eva Pereira-Blanco Place and date of issue: Bristol, 24 January 2023</p>					
<p>26. Bill of Lading/Air Waybill No: 27. For customs use only</p>	<p>Quantity/net mass (kg) actually imported or (re-)exported</p> <table border="1"><thead><tr><th>Quantity</th><th>Number of animals dead on arrival</th></tr></thead><tbody><tr><td> </td><td> </td></tr></tbody></table> <p>Customs Document Type Number Date</p>		Quantity	Number of animals dead on arrival		
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Importing CITES-listed plants into the UK (special procedure)

- Phytosanitary certificate in lieu of CITES export permit from country of origin

- UK import permit

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4. Country of (re-)export FRANCE		5. Country of import UNITED KINGDOM	
6. Location at which live specimens of Annex A species will be kept		7. Issuing Management Authority Animal and Plant Health Agency (APHA) UK CITES Management Authority Horizon House Deanery Road Bristol BS1 5AH Tel: +44(0)117 372 3700 Website: www.gov.uk/cites-imports-and-exports	
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15. Country of origin United States of America		16. Permit No. 11US00000A/0 17. Date of issue 10/01/11	
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Phytosanitary certificates in lieu of CITES export permits

Phytosanitary certificates in lieu of CITES export permits:

- **UK import permits are still required**

Only used for low-risk specimens (from a conservation perspective):

- Artificially propagated specimens of App II
- Artificially propagated specimens of hybrids of App I (Unannotated)

Only accepted from the countries listed at CITES.org:

Exemptions and special procedures | CITES ([cites.org](https://www.cites.org))

Austria	Canada	Netherlands
Belgium	Germany	Republic of Korea
Czech Republic	Hong Kong, SAR (China)	Singapore
Denmark	Italy	Sweden

The UK is not currently issuing phytosanitary certificates in lieu of CITES export permits.

Phytosanitary certificates in lieu of CITES export permits

What must be on the Phyto?

- ✓ **Scientific name at the species level** (exceptions apply)
- ✓ **type and quantity of specimens**
- ✓ bear a stamp, seal or other specific indication stating that **'the specimens are artificially propagated as defined by CITES'**.

PHYTOSANITARY CERTIFICATE
No. EC NL/PCN [redacted]

1 Name and address of exporter
[redacted]

2 Declared name and address of consignee
[redacted]

3 Plant Protection Organisation of the Netherlands
to Plant Protection Organisation's of
UNITED KINGDOM

4 Declared means of conveyance
Truck

5 Declared point of entry
UNITED KINGDOM

6 Distinguishing mark; number and description of packages; name of produce;
botanical name of plants

7 Quantity declared

No.	Product (pot plants)	Packages	Quantity
0001	Aloe aristata, pot plants	10	10 Pieces
0002	Aloe vera, pot plants	10	10 Pieces
0003	Aloe excelsa, pot plants	10	10 Pieces
0004	Ceanothus sp., pot plants	10	10 Pieces
0005	Scheuchzeria sp., pot plants	10	10 Pieces
0006	Gasteria sp., pot plants	10	10 Pieces
0007	Naworthia sp., pot plants	10	10 Pieces
0008	Kalanchoe sp., pot plants	10	10 Pieces
0009	Fachysphyllum sp., pot plants	10	10 Pieces
0010	Peperomia sp., pot plants	10	10 Pieces
0011	Sedum sp., pot plants	10	10 Pieces

10 This is to certify that the plants, plant products or other regulated articles described herein:
— have been inspected and/or tested according to appropriate official procedures, and
— are considered to be free from the quarantine pests specified by the importing contracting party, and
— to conform with the current phytosanitary requirements of the importing contracting party, including those for regulated

11 Additional declaration
Aloe aristata (0001); Aloe excelsa (0003)
The specimens are artificially propagated as defined by CITES
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12 Place of issue
[redacted]

13 Date
03-FEBRUARY-2019

14 Name and signature of authorised officer
[redacted]

15 Date
[redacted]

16 Stamp of Organisation
[redacted]

17 Additional information
[redacted]

18 Verification of document - www.e-cert.nl - verification number
[redacted]

Due to the limited number of days for which a phyto is issued prior to export (13 days), **APHA is expediting applications for UK import permits under this circumstances:**

- ✓ Let us know your timescales at the time of your application
- ✓ Apply as soon as you have a copy of the joint CITES-Phytosanitary Certificate
- ✓ Allow us as much time as possible to deal with your application

Application process – how to speed up the process?



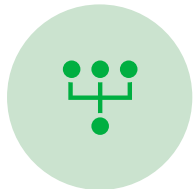
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❖ website: [Apply for CITES permits and certificates to move or trade endangered species - GOV.UK \(www.gov.uk\)](http://www.gov.uk)

❖ email: CITESApplication@apha.gov.uk

Read

Read the guidance – Gov.uk

Review

Fill out the form correctly

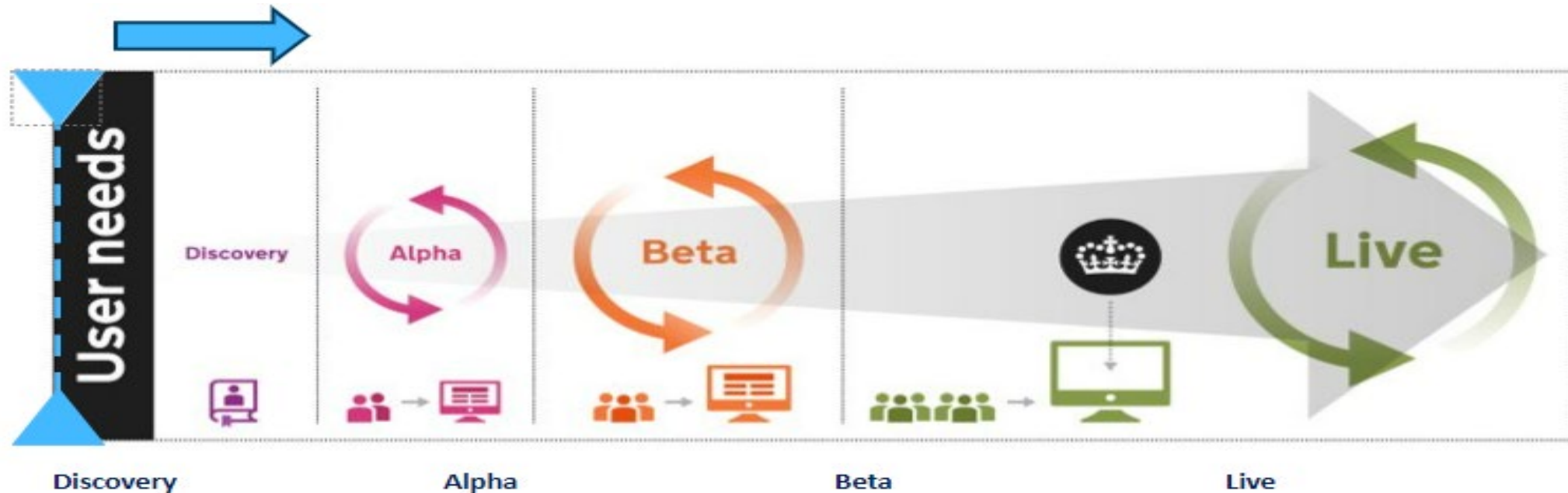
Include

Include enough information and documentary evidence supporting your application

Reply
(15 wd)

If we contact you, carefully reply to all the questions or contact us if you require more time

Pegasus



- A project to replace the 1997 legacy IT – Unicorn
- The team was formed in December 2021
- We launched the back end of Pegasus on 31 May 2023. We are in the process of transitioning to the new system.

- Our aim is to build a single, connected digital system where most applications are made online and replace the current service
- **Anticipate the front-end (customer journey) to go live summer 2024.**

Pegasus – CITES Digital Service Update

What's changing?

APHA is replacing its current application process for CITES permits and licences with a digital service on GOV.UK.

What does this mean to me?

As an applicant, you will be able to apply for CITES permits online and access your digital applications electronically.

When will this happen?

We expect to launch the service on GOV.UK in the coming months (2024).


Some of the benefits to you and key changes:

- Secure (government gateway)
- All in one place
- Keep a digital record
- Track your application

Our 2025 Service Vision

- ✓ A simple, joined-up and efficient CITES application service which helps users to trade endangered species legally and sustainably.
- ✓ We can review applications, make informed decisions and issue permits both quickly and reliably.
- ✓ We will use data to understand wider trends and improve compliance.

Applying for a CITES import permits online

 **GOV.UK**

Government Gateway

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Keeping your information secure

Do not share your Government Gateway user ID and password with anyone else.

Sign in using Government Gateway

Government Gateway user ID
This could be up to 12 characters.

Password

Sign in

New users of Government Gateway

[Create sign in details](#)

Problems signing in

[I have forgotten my password](#)

[I have forgotten my Government Gateway user ID](#)

[I have forgotten my Government Gateway user ID and password](#)

Click **Create sign in details** to create a new user.

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Government Gateway

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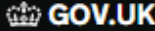
We have sent it to **APHAcites002@hotmail.com**.

You will need your user ID and your password each time you sign in to Government Gateway.

Never share your Government Gateway user ID or password with anyone else.

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Applying for a CITES import permit



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Your applications

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You can also start a new application by viewing and copying any past application

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☐ Re-export

☐ Article 10

Status

☐ In progress

☐ Awaiting payment

☐ Closed

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Reference number	Application date	Status
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Q3G5Z3	27 July 2023	In progress
P0K6C5	26 July 2023	Awaiting payment
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Check and confirm application details

About the permit

Permit type	Import	Change
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Your contact details

Full name	Pegasus Texting	Change
Business name		
Email address	External_TextingPegasus@outlook.com	
Address	4A The Hobbs Trowbridge UNITED KINGDOM B83H 8GA	Change

Delivery address

Address	4A The Hobbs Trowbridge UNITED KINGDOM B83H 8GA	Change
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Specimen details

Scientific name	Alligator mississippiensis	Change
Quantity or net mass	1	Change
Unit of measurement	Number of specimens	Change
Source code	W From the wild	Change
Purpose code	T Commercial	Change
Specimen type	An animal part or derivative	Change
Trade term code	LPG Leather product (small)	Change
Unique identification mark	The specimen is not marked	Change
Description	One watchstrap made from Alligator skin.	Change

Export or re-exporter's contact details

Full name	Forster Diamond Deluxe	Change
Address	New York New York	

Export or re-export permit details

Country	UNITED STATES OF AMERICA	Change
Permit number	12345	
Permit issue date	01 06 2023	

Country of origin permit details

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Permit number	12345	
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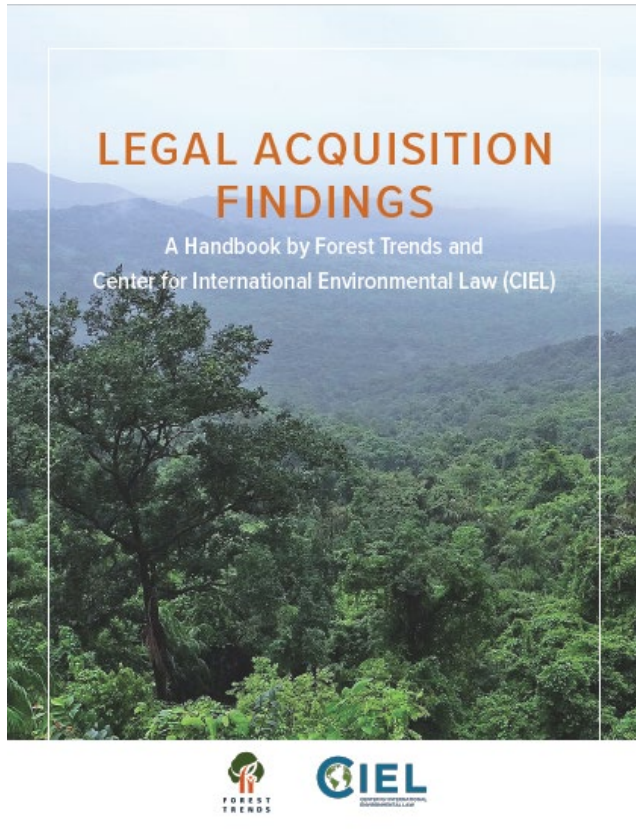
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CITES Online Applications – Starting your CITES application

Centre for International Trade – Bristol
UK CITES Management Authority

Guidance videos – apply online for CITES permits and certificates in the UK: [APHA - YouTube](#)

Application process – Supporting information:



Legal acquisition finding (LAF)

- has the specimen been obtained legally?
- Copies of previous CITES permits or certificates
- Commercial or shipping invoices.
- Relevant national licenses or certificates

Applying for a CITES import permit for artificially propagated live plants: **supporting information**

Before starting your application, you will need the following information to complete your online application:

- A copy of either the CITES export permit or the phytosanitary certificate issued in lieu of CITES from the exporter in the exporting country
- A list of the scientific names of the live plants being imported
- A list of the hybrid or cultivar names, if any
- The name and location of the nursery where the plants were cultivated
- Your bank/credit card to pay the CITES processing fee


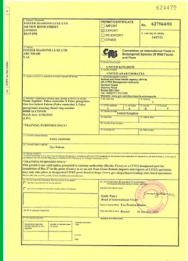




We cannot progress your application without this information.

Applying for a CITES import permit for artificially propagated live plants: **supporting information**

You may also need the following information to hand:

- If the species is new to trade or if we require further information for traceability purposes, we may ask you for:
 - ✓ information on the source and acquisition of the parental stock
 - ✓ pictures of the nursery
 - ✓ copies of invoices, packing lists or any other documentary evidence that the UK Management Authority considers necessary on a case-by-case basis to confirm legal origin of plants or that exemptions are met
- A signed letter of authority from the UK importer if you are applying on the importer's behalf

Permits

 <p>Original</p>	 <p>Holder's copy</p>	 <p>Custom's copy</p>	 <p>Management Authority's copy</p>	<p>Original and copies need to be <u>presented</u> to BF and <u>endorsed</u> at the time of entry/exit the UK (UK CITES designated ports)</p> <p>https://www.gov.uk/guidance/trading-cites-listed-specimens-through-uk-ports-and-airports#designated-poe</p>
<p>Must accompany the shipment (proof of legal (re-)export for the importing country)</p>	<p>copy for the applicant or representative (proof of legal (re-)export)</p>	<p>Retained by BF and returned to MA</p>		<p>(Re-)exports</p>
<p>Retained by BF and returned to MA</p>	<p>Must be kept by applicant or representative (proof of legal import into UK)</p>	<p>Retained by BF and returned to MA</p>	  <p>(Re-)export permit from country of (re-)export</p>	<p>Imports</p>

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- ## Resources:

- Apply for CITES permits and certificates to move or trade endangered species - GOV.UK (www.gov.uk)
- Import plants and plant products from the EU to Great Britain and Northern Ireland - GOV.UK (www.gov.uk)
- Videos – apply online for CITES permits and certificates in the UK: APHA - YouTube
- The CITES Publications | CITES: <https://cites.org/eng/resources/publications.php>
- CITES resources | Kew: <https://www.kew.org/science/our-science/science-services/UK-CITES/cites-resources>
- Species+ (speciesplus.net)