

## HRES 1420

Recognizing the Convention on International Trade in Endangered Species of Wild Fauna and Flora on its 35th anniversary.

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## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Foreign Affairs Committee	House	Referred To	May 28, 2010

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

International Affairs

## Related Bills

*No related bills are listed.*

## Summary (as of May 28, 2010)

Congratulates the Convention on International Trade in Endangered Species of Wild Fauna and Flora on its 35th anniversary.

Recognizes the important contributions the Convention has made in regulating international trade in endangered species and protecting such species worldwide.

Recognizes the increasing importance of the Convention in addressing multiple and compounding threats on species and ecosystems arising from over-exploitation, habitat loss, invasive species, disease, and the effects of climate change.

Applauds the Convention's recent leadership in reaffirming strong protections for the African elephant, and other endangered species.

Urges: (1) renewed, expanded, and accelerated commitments to the Convention by all Parties to ensure the Convention's contribution to species conservation; (2) the U.S. delegation to the Convention to utilize international cooperation to encourage other Parties to the Convention to collaborate effectively to curb excessive exploitation of species for international trade; and (3) the Convention to adopt stronger protections for the polar bear, sharks, bluefin tuna, and other endangered species at the 16th meeting of the Conference of the Parties in 2013.

## Actions Timeline

- **May 28, 2010:** Introduced in House
- **May 28, 2010:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E1009)
- **May 28, 2010:** Referred to the House Committee on Foreign Affairs.