

## HRES 47

Expressing the sense of the House of Representatives regarding the contributions of the Convention on International Trade in Endangered Species of Wild Fauna and Flora.

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**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** International Affairs

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## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Foreign Affairs Committee	House	Referred to	Mar 1, 2011

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

International Affairs

## Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

## Summary (as of Jan 20, 2011)

Recognizes the important contributions that the Convention on International Trade in Endangered Species of Wild Fauna and Flora has made in regulating international trade in endangered species and protecting endangered 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

- **Mar 1, 2011:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Terrorism, Nonproliferation, and Trade.
- **Jan 20, 2011:** Introduced in House
- **Jan 20, 2011:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E92)
- **Jan 20, 2011:** Referred to the House Committee on Foreign Affairs.