

TRAFFIC Recommendations on the Proposals to Amend the CITES Appendices at the 16th Meeting of the Conference of the Parties

| Proposal #/ Proponent | Species covered by the proposal | Proposal | RECOMMENDATION |
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| # 54 Brazil | <i>Tillandsia kautskyi</i> Kautsky's Tillandsia | Deletion from Appendix II | <p><i>Tillandsia kautskyi</i> is a rare epiphytic bromeliad known from only a few specimens collected in Espírito Santo in Brazil. It has a restricted range and is unlikely to be able to withstand large scale harvest for export. However, while demand for this species by enthusiasts continues, artificial propagation is reportedly the only source of specimens now in trade. No reported exports of wild harvested plants have taken place since the species was listed in Appendix II in 1992 and there is no evidence of ongoing wild collection or illegal trade.</p> <p>ACCEPT</p> |