

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
# 64 Madagascar	<i>Senna meridionalis</i> [NB the proponents place this species in the order FABACEAE, but this is not in accordance with the standard nomenclatural reference adopted by the Conference of the Parties] (Taraby)	Inclusion in Appendix II	<i>Senna meridionalis</i> , commonly known as Taraby, occurs in southern Madagascar, where it is estimated to be locally common. It is offered for sale in various parts of the world, but generally in low volumes. The plants offered for sale range from small individuals grown from cuttings, to larger individuals of unknown origin. Some wild collection is known to have taken place in the early 2000s. No exports have been reported from Madagascar since 2006. Given the distribution of the species and the absence of any reported recent trade from the range State, the species would not appear to meet the criteria for inclusion in Appendix II. REJECT