Annex I
IUCN National Committees
Application for Council Recognition

NATIONAL COMMITTEES

FINANCIAL OBLIGATIONS AND LIABILITIES

STATEMENT BY THE IUCN NATIONAL COMMITTEE OF:

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In compliance with the Criteria set out for Recognition set forth in the Application Pro Forma and the License Agreement, it is hereby stated that the National Committee of……..……..…… shall be:

self-governing and self-financing;
solely responsible for its fund raising;
solely financially responsible for all the legal obligations directly entered into with third parties or deriving from its activities;
legally and financially independent from IUCN (International Union for Conservation of Nature)

As a consequence of the above statement, the National Committee of ……
declares that:

no financial obligations or liabilities will be imposed on IUCN;
IUCN will not be committed to any financial, legal or other obligations.

The National Committee of …….. ,
and the IUCN Members comprising it, shall indemnify IUCN fully, should:

a) any claim be submitted to IUCN as a result of the activities of the National Committee or the improper use by it of IUCN name and logo; and/or
b) IUCN be requested to settle obligations and liabilities entered into by the National Committee;

IUCN has the right to disclaim and to seek compensation for any material or moral damages deriving therefrom.

Signatures:	Authorized Executive Member:	Treasurer:
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Date:	……	……