## AGREEMENT ON THE CONSERVATION OF BATS IN EUROPE

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## RESOLUTION CONFIRMING THE AMENDMENT OF THE SCOPE OF THE AGREEMENT

RECOGNIZING the need for conservation measures to protect all species of Microchiroptera in Europe;

ACKNOWLEDGING the omission of European Molossidae species from the original Agreement;

REFERRING to the decision of the Conference of the Parties to the Convention on the Conservation on the Conservation of Migratory Species of Wild Animals, held in Nairobi between 7-11 June 1994, to add the European Free-tailed bat (*Tadarida teniotis*) to its Appendix II,

## AGREES:

- 1. To incorporate the family Molossidae within the scope of the Agreement.
- 2.To replace the words "CHIROPTERA (Rhinolophidae and Vespertilionidae)" where they appear in the preamble to the Agreement with the words "MICROCHIROPTERA (Molossidae, Rhinolophidae and Vespertilionidae)".
- 3. To replace Article I(b) with:
- "(b)"Bats" means European populations of MICROCHIROPTERA (Molossidae, Rhinolophidae and Vespertilionidae) occurring in Europe and non-European Range States".

3. INVITES all Range States whether or not they are simuled within the European Continent of Parties