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A. General Information

- Name of Party
- Date of Report
- Period covered
- Competent Authority
- Changes regarding:
 - Competent Authority
 - Appointed Member of the Advisory Committee
- Membership of other committees/working groups

B. Status of Bats Within the Territory of the Party

1. Summary Details of Resident Species
2. Status and Trends
3. Habitats and Roost Sites
4. Threats
5. Data Collection, analysis, interpretation and dissemination

C. Measures Taken to Implement Article III of the Agreement

6. Legal measures taken to protect bats, including enforcement action
7. Sites identified and protected which are important to the conservation of bats
8. Consideration given to habitats, which are important to bats
9. Activities to promote the awareness of the importance of the conservation of bats
10. Responsible bodies, in accordance with Article III.5 of the Agreement, nominated for the provision of advice on bat conservation and management.
11. Additional action undertaken to safeguard populations of bats.
12. Recent and ongoing programmes (including research and policy initiatives) relating to the conservation and management of bats. In the case of research, summaries of completed projects should be provided, giving references where possible and acknowledging the sources of funding.
13. Consideration being given to the potential effects of pesticides on bats, and their food sources and efforts to replace timber treatment chemicals which are highly toxic to bats.

D. Functioning of the Agreement

14. Cooperation with other Range States
15. Measures taken to implement Resolutions adopted by Meetings of Parties.