

**ARMENIA**  
**NATIONAL REPORT**  
**ON THE IMPLEMENTATION**  
**OF THE AGREEMENT**  
**ON THE CONSERVATION**  
**OF BATS IN EUROPE**

**2003-2004**

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# **Agreement on the conservation of bats in Europe**

## **Report on implementation of agreement in Republic of Armenia**

### **A. The general information**

Non-party Range: Republic of Armenia

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In the previous official report inf. Euvrobats. AC8.8 I submit the basic results of the researches which have been carried out during the period for 2001-2003.

For past period: May 2003 - February 2004 researches on revealing places of dwelling Chiroptera are continued within the limits of republic Armenia and Nagorni Karabach .

Presence in Nagorni Karabach *Myotis bechsteinii*, *Pipistrellus pygmaeus* and *Barbastella barbastella* is established.

Two books were published in the co-authorship with W. Ayrapetian about wild animals Nagorni Karabach ( species structure, ecology, parasites, maps of places of dwelling and attributive tables) including Chiroptera.

Make ready for the press:

- A biodiversity of karstic caves of Southern Caucasus
- Rare disappearing kinds mammal Armenia and Arcakch

For the accounting period under my management the Master's Degree thesis (G. Papov) about vertical distribution Chiroptera, Insectivora and Rodenta Southern Caucasus is protected.

It is submitted to protection two more works:

- Chiroptera of Nagorni Karabach
- Mammals of lake Sevan region

Theses for participation in conference in are submitted. Gavar, Stepanakert and Yerevan.

6 articles and 4 theses are issued. Shootings film about caves and bats of Armenia and Nagorni Karabach proceed.