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**Protection of Endangered Species of Animals and Plants
(Exemption for Appendices II and III Species)
(Amendment) Order 2014**

(Made by the Secretary for the Environment under section 47(2) of the
Protection of Endangered Species of Animals and Plants Ordinance
(Cap. 586))

1. Commencement

This Order comes into operation on 28 November 2014.

**2. Protection of Endangered Species of Animals and Plants
(Exemption for Appendices II and III Species) Order amended**

The Protection of Endangered Species of Animals and Plants
(Exemption for Appendices II and III Species) Order (Cap. 586
sub. leg. B) is amended as set out in sections 3 and 4.

**3. Section 5 amended (exemption in respect of import, etc. of
Appendix II species as personal or household effects)**

(1) Section 5(1)—

Repeal

“a live animal)”

Substitute

“a live animal and a specified hunting trophy”).

(2) After section 5(4)—

Add

“(5) In subsection (1)—

specified hunting trophy (指明狩獵品) means a rhino horn, or elephant ivory, or part of a rhino horn or elephant ivory, that is a hunting trophy or part of a hunting trophy.”.

4. Schedule amended (species referred to in section 5)

- (1) The Schedule, item 4—

Repeal

“*Strombus gigas*”

Substitute

“*Strombus gigas*”.

- (2) The Schedule, item 5—

Repeal

“*Hippocampus*”

Substitute

“*Hippocampus*”.

- (3) The Schedule, after item 6—

Add

- “7. Any species of the genus *Aquilaria* <agarwood> and *Gyrinops* Up to 1 kilogram of woodchips (i.e. wood that has been reduced to small pieces), 24 millilitres of oil and 2 sets of beads or prayer beads (or 2 necklaces or bracelets) per person”.

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Explanatory Note

The main purpose of this Order is to amend section 5 of, and the Schedule to, the Protection of Endangered Species of Animals and Plants (Exemption for Appendices II and III Species) Order (Cap. 586 sub. leg. B) (*principal Order*) to give effect to the changes made in March 2013 to the resolutions adopted by the Conference of the Parties to the Convention on International Trade in Endangered Species of Wild Fauna and Flora.

2. This Order also makes minor textual amendments to the principal Order.