

**SECOND SUPPLEMENT TO THE GIBRALTAR
GAZETTE**
No. 4030 of 10 October, 2013

LEGAL NOTICE NO. 137 OF 2013.

NATURE PROTECTION ACT 1991

**NATURE PROTECTION (ACCESSION OF CROATIA)
NOTICE 2013**

In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by section 23 of the Nature Protection Act 1991, and in order to transpose Part B of the Annex to Council Directive 2013/17/EU of 13 May 2013 adapting certain directives in the field of environment, by reason of the accession of the Republic of Croatia, the Minister has issued the following Notice—

Title and commencement.

1. This Notice may be cited as the Nature Protection (Accession of Croatia) Notice 2013.

Amendment to Schedule 5.

2.(1) Schedule 5 to the Nature Protection Act 1991 (which reproduces Council Directive 92/43/EEC of 21 May 1992 on the conservation of natural habitats and of wild fauna and flora (“the Habitats Directive”) is amended in accordance with this paragraph.

(2) In Annex I to the Habitats Directive—

(a) under the heading “3. Freshwater habitats”, after entry 3290, insert the following entry—

“32A0 Tufa cascades of karstic rivers in the Dinaric Alps”;
and

(b) under the heading “6. Natural and semi-natural grassland formations”, after entry 6530, insert the following entry—

“6540 Sub-Mediterranean grasslands of the *Molinio-Hordeion secalini*”.

- (3) In Annex II to the Habitats Directive–
- (a) under the taxon “Microtidae” before the entry “*Microtus cabreræ*” insert the entry “*Dinaromys bogdanovi*”;
 - (b) under the taxon “Lacertidae” before the entry “*Lacerta bonnali* (*Lacerta monticola*)” insert the entry “*Dinarolacerta mosorensis*”-
 - (c) under the taxon “Viperidae” for the entry “*Vipera ursinii* (*except Vipera ursinii rakosiensis*)” substitute the following entries–
 - “*Vipera ursinii* (*except Vipera ursinii rakosiensis and Vipera ursinii macrops*)
 - * *Vipera ursinii macrops*”;
 - (d) under the taxon “Salmonidae” after the entry “*Salmo salar* (only in fresh water) (V) (*except the Finnish populations*)”, insert the entry “*Salmothymus obtusirostris* (o)”;
 - (e) under the taxon “Cyprinidae”–
 - (i) after the entry “*Alburnus albidus* (o) (*Alburnus vulturius*)”, insert the entry “*Aulopyge huegelii* (o)”;
 - (ii) after the entry “*Chondrostoma genei* (o)” insert the entry “*Chondrostoma knerii* (o)”;
 - (iii) after the entry “*Chondrostoma lusitanicum* (o)” insert the entry “*Chondrostoma phoxinus* (o)”;
 - (iv) after the entry “*Scardinius graecus* (o)” insert the following entries–
 - “*Squalius microlepis* (o)
 - Squalius svallize* (o)”;
 - (f) under the taxon “Globiidae” before the entry “*Knipowitschia* (*Padogobius*) *panizzae*” insert the entry “*Knipowitschia croatica* (o)”;

- (g) under the taxon “Lepidoptera” after the entry “*Polyommatus eroides*” insert the entry “*Proterebia afra dalmata*”; and
 - (h) under the taxon “CRUCUFRAE” after the entry “*Crambe tataria* Sebeok” insert “**Degenia velebitica* (Degen) Hayek”.
- (4) In Annex IV to the Habitats Directive–
- (a) under the taxon “Microtidae” before the entry “*Microtus cabreræ*” insert the entry “*Dinaromys bogdanovi*”;
 - (b) under the taxon “Lacertidae” after the entry “*Algyroides nigropunctatus*” insert the following entries–
 - “*Dalmatolacerta oxycephala*
 - Dinarolacerta mosorensis*”; and
 - (c) under the taxon “Lepidoptera” after the entry “*Proserpinus proserpina*” insert the entry “*Proterebia afra dalmata*”.

Amendment of Schedule 8.

3.(1) Schedule 8 to the Nature Protection Act 1991 (which reproduces Directive 2009/147/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 30 November 2009 on the conservation of wild birds (“the Birds Directive”) is amended in accordance with this paragraph.

(2) In Part B of Annex II to the Birds Directive, for the tables appearing after the entry “*Corvus corone*”, substitute the following tables–

	BE	BG	CZ	DK	DE	EE	GR	ES	FR	IE	HR	IT	CY	LV	LT	LU	HU	MT	NL	AT	PL	PT	RO	SI	BK	FI	SE	UK
<i>Cygnus alir</i>					+															+								
<i>Anser brachyrhynchus</i>	+			+						+																		+
<i>Anser albifrons</i>	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+				+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
<i>Branta hutchinsii</i>				+	+																							
<i>Nettion rufum</i>									+	+																		
<i>Aythya marila</i>	+			+	+	+	+	+					+						+			+						+
<i>Scolopax melba</i>				+	+			+	+																	+	+	
<i>Clangula clangula</i>				+	+			+	+				+														+	+
<i>Melanitta nigra</i>				+	+			+	+				+														+	+
<i>Melanitta fusca</i>				+	+			+	+				+														+	+
<i>Boopobala clangula</i>				+	+			+	+				+	+						+		+				+	+	+

	BE	BG	CZ	DK	DE	EE	GR	ES	FR	IE	HR	IT	CY	LV	LT	LU	HU	MT	NL	AT	PL	PT	RO	SI	BK	FI	SE	UK	
<i>Mergus serrator</i>					+					+									+								+	+	
<i>Mergus mergamus</i>					+					+																	+	+	
<i>Bonasa bonasia</i>								+		+				+						+	+		+	+	+	+	+	+	
<i>Lepomis lagopus lagopus</i>																											+	+	
<i>Tetrao tetrix</i>	+				+				+				+	+						+							+	+	+
<i>Tetrao saxatilis</i>		+			+				+				+	+						+			+	+			+	+	+
<i>Francoisina francoisina</i>																												+	
<i>Alectoris barbara</i>									+			+																	
<i>Alectoris chukar</i>		+						+				+	+																
<i>Coturnix coturnix</i>		+						+	+	+		+	+						+	+		+	+						
<i>Melospiza gallopavo</i>				+	+																+						+		

	BE	BG	CZ	DK	DE	EE	GR	ES	FR	IE	HR	IT	CY	LV	LT	LU	HU	MT	NL	AT	PL	PT	RO	SI	SK	FI	SE	UK
<i>Fulvus aquaticus</i>									+			+																
<i>Gallinula chloropus</i>	+							+	+			+											+	+				+
<i>Haematopus ostralegus</i>									+																			
<i>Pluvialis apricaria</i>	+							+	+	+													+	+				+
<i>Pluvialis squatarola</i>									+																			+
<i>Tringa vanellus</i>	+							+	+	+		+																
<i>Calidris canutus</i>									+																			
<i>Pipilo erythrophthalmus</i>									+			+																
<i>Limosa limosa</i>									+																			
<i>Limosa lapponica</i>									+																			+
<i>Numenius phaeopus</i>									+																			+
<i>Numenius arquata</i>									+	+																		+

<i>Tringa erythropus</i>																													
	BE	BG	CZ	DK	DE	EE	GR	ES	FR	IE	HR	IT	CY	LV	LT	LU	HU	MT	NL	AT	PL	PT	RO	SI	SK	FI	SE	UK	
<i>Tringa totanus</i>									+				+															+	
<i>Tringa nebularia</i>									+																				
<i>Larus ridibundus</i>	+								+																			+	+
<i>Larus cornu</i>									+																			+	+
<i>Larus fuscus</i>									+																				
<i>Larus argentatus</i>	+																											+	+
<i>Larus cachinnans</i>									+																				
<i>Larus marinus</i>									+																			+	+
<i>Columba oenas</i>									+	+	+																	+	+
<i>Streptopelia decaocto</i>	+	+	+	+					+																			+	+
<i>Streptopelia turtur</i>	+								+	+																		+	+

EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM

This Notice amends Schedules 5 and 8 of the Nature Protection Act 1991 in order to transpose Part B of the Annex to Council Directive 2013/17/EU of 13 May 2013 adapting certain directives in the field of environment, by reason of the accession of the Republic of Croatia.