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## **Bushmeat Briefing: Alternatives, Enforcement and Capacity-Building Examples of Key Solutions to Bushmeat Challenges**

### **Agenda**

**Date:** Friday 29 January 2010  
**Time:** 10:00 AM – 12:00 PM  
**Location:** Room 2004B, WWF-US  
1250 24th Street NW  
Washington DC

#### **Meeting Objectives**

- To share recent developments in policy and field projects in Africa
- To learn about the policy and law enforcement impacts of bushmeat in the U.S.
- To discuss priorities and strategies for better engaging stakeholders and decision makers in addressing the bushmeat crisis

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- 10:00-10:10** Welcome, introductions and context  
*Dr. Heather E. Eves, Adjunct Professor, [Virginia Polytechnic and State University](#)*
- 10:10-10:30** Alternatives to Bushmeat in Equatorial Guinea  
*Ms. Heidi Ruffler, Project Manager, Equatorial Guinea, [Zoological Society of London](#)*
- 10:30-10:50** Bushmeat in the United States: The Case in New York  
*Mr. Phil Alegranti, Special Agent, [US Fish and Wildlife Service](#)*
- 10:50-11:10** Capacity and Network Building in East Africa  
*Ms. Nancy Gelman, Program Officer-Africa Program, Wildlife Without Borders, [US Fish and Wildlife Service](#)*
- 11:10-11:30** Q&A with speakers

**11:30-12:00**            Facilitated discussion on big questions in bushmeat

- Updates on international processes: Convention on Biological Diversity meetings, bushmeat monitoring system meetings (Douala), and others
- How can the current knowledge on effective solutions to the unsustainable bushmeat harvest be applied broadly across the landscape (i.e. through what mechanism can capacity and funding be sufficiently magnified to slow/stop the current trend)?
- What are the most significant barriers to securing sufficient human and financial capital to adequately address the bushmeat crisis in Africa (and elsewhere)?
- Who are the key audiences to be targeted with what key messaging to assure leadership that will effectively champion addressing the bushmeat issue beyond what scientific/biological research and networking have achieved over the last decade?

**12:00**                    Next steps and adjourn