MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

BETWEEN

IUCN, INTERNATIONAL UNION FOR CONSERVATION OF NATURE AND NATURAL RESOURCES,
an international association established under the laws of Switzerland with its headquarters located at
Rue Mauverney, 28, Gland, Switzerland

AND

THE WORLD ORGANISATION FOR ANIMAL HEALTH
an intergovernmental organization, created by the International Agreement for the creation of the
Office International des Epizooties, done in Paris, 25 January 1924, with its headquarters located at 12
rue de Prony, 75017 Paris, France,

1. Objectives

1.1 The World Organisation for Animal Health (OIE) and the International Union for Conservation of
Nature and Natural Resources (IUCN) will keep the other party informed of activities that may be of
mutual interest.

1.2 Each Organisation will invite the other to participate as an observer in its meetings where matters
of mutual interest may arise, and make the reports of these meetings available.

1.3 The OIE and IUCN will exchange their catalogue of publications to enable both organizations to
request publications on activities related to their work. The OIE and IUCN will exchange free copies of
documents and publications on subjects of mutual interest. Both organizations will benefit from the
concessionary rates applied to their affiliated members or organizations for further orders of
publications.

1.4. The two Organisations will endeavor to cooperate further through both formal and informal
consultations on issues of common interest, in particular the issues listed below:

i. The provision of expertise on wildlife and ecosystem health including early detection of diseases,
notification and response.
ii. The provision on input relating the One Health policy.
iii. Share expert knowledge on wildlife conservation, re-introduction and translocation.
iv. Share expert knowledge and participation at meetings on relevant aspects of biodiversity, invasive
species and ecosystem management.
v. The assistance on technical matters such as taxonomy.
vi. Collaboration on a wildlife disease risk analysis publication and other publications of common
interest as appropriate.

2. Term and Termination

This MoU shall be effective as of its signature by both parties (the “Effective Date”) without any set
duration, other than through termination in virtue of below paragraph.

Either party may terminate this MoU by giving the other party three months advance written notice of
termination.
3. Amendment

This MoU may be amended only by a writing signed by both parties.

4. Non-enforceability clause

This MoU is a non-binding statement of the Parties’ mutual understanding of their proposed collaboration framework. The MoU is not intended to create any legally enforceable rights or obligations in respect of either Party, including any obligation on their part to enter into any Supplemental Agreement.

In witness whereof, the undersigned, being duly authorized to do so, have executed this MoU in the English language in two (2) counterparts, each of which shall be deemed an original, and which together shall constitute one and the same instrument.

Date: June 26th 2012.

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Director General           Director General
IUCN                        OIE