

**“THE LIST OF TERRESTRIAL AND MARINE WILDLIFE IN PALAWAN AND THEIR CATEGORIES PURSUANT TO REPUBLIC ACT 9147 or the “WILDLIFE ACT””**

**I. CRITICALLY ENDANGERED SPECIES  
(INCLUDING THOSE LISTED UNDER APPENDIX I OF CITES)**

<u>FAMILY</u>	<u>SCIENTIFIC NAME</u>	<u>COMMON NAME</u>
<b>A. BIRDS</b>		
1. Psittacidae	<i>Cacatua haematuropygia</i>	Philippine Cockatoo
2. Falconidae	<i>Falco peregrinus</i> <sup>1</sup>	Peregrine Falcon
3. Phasianidae	<i>Polyplectron emphanum</i> <sup>1</sup>	Palawan Peacock Pheasant
4. Columbidae	<i>Caloenas nicobarica</i> <sup>1</sup>	Nicobar Pigeon
<b>B. REPTILES</b>		
1. Cheloniidae	<i>Eretmochelys imbricata</i>	Hawksbill Turtle
2. Bataguridae	<i>Seibenrockeilla leytensis</i>	Philippine Pond Turtle
3. Crocodylidae	<i>Crocodylus mindorensis</i>	Philippine Crocodile
4. Crocodylidae	<i>Crocodylus porosus</i> <sup>1</sup>	Saltwater Crocodile
5. Cheloniidae	<i>Chelonia mydas</i> <sup>1</sup>	Green Turtle
6. Cheloniidae	<i>Lepidochelys olivacea</i> <sup>1</sup>	Olive Ridley Turtle
7. Cheloniidae	<i>Caretta caretta</i> <sup>1</sup>	Loggerhead Turtle
8. Dermocheliidae	<i>Dermochelys coriacea</i> <sup>1</sup>	Leatherback Turtle
<b>C. MAMMALS</b>		
1. Dugongidae	<i>Dugong dugon</i> <sup>1</sup>	Seacow
2. Cervidae	<i>Axis calamianensis</i> <sup>1</sup>	Calamian Hog Deer
3. Phocoenidae	<i>Neophocaena phocaenoides</i> <sup>1</sup>	Finless Porpoise
4. Balaenopteridae	<i>Balaenoptere edeni</i> <sup>1</sup>	Bryde’s Whale
5. Balaenopteridae	<i>Balaenoptera acutorostrata</i> <sup>1</sup>	Minke Whale
6. Balaenopteridae	<i>Megaptere novaeangliae</i> <sup>1</sup>	Humpback Whale
7. Balaenopteridae	<i>Physeter macrocephalus</i> <sup>1</sup>	Sperm Whale
<b>D. FLOWERING PLANTS</b>		
1. Dipterocarpaceae	<i>Dipterocarpus gracilis</i>	Panau
2. Dipterocarpaceae	<i>Dipterocarpus grandiflorus</i>	“Apitong”
3. Dipterocarpaceae	<i>Dipterocarpus hasseltii</i>	Hasselt Panau
4. Sapindaceae	<i>Guioa palawanica</i>	

**II. ENDANGERED SPECIES  
(INCLUDING THOSE LISTED UNDER APPENDIX II & III OF CITES)**

<u>FAMILY</u>	<u>SCIENTIFIC NAME</u>	<u>COMMON NAME</u>
<b>A. BIRDS</b>		
1. Ardeidae	<i>Gorsachius goesagi</i> <sup>1</sup>	Japanese Night Heron
2. Ardeidae	<i>Tringa guttifer</i>	Nordmann’s Greenshank
3. Megapodiidae	<i>Megapodius cumingi</i> <sup>2</sup>	Tabon Scrubfowl

4. Accipitridae	<i>Aviceda jerdoni</i> <sup>3</sup>	Jerdon's Baza, Crested Lizard-Hawk
5. Accipitridae	<i>Pernis ptilorhyncus</i> <sup>3</sup>	Asiatic Honeybuzzard
6. Accipitridae	<i>Milvus migrans</i> <sup>3</sup>	Black Kite
7. Accipitridae	<i>Haliastur indus</i> <sup>3</sup>	Brahminy Kite
8. Accipitridae	<i>Haliaeetus leucogaster</i> <sup>3</sup>	White-bellied Sea Eagle
9. Accipitridae	<i>Spilornis cheela</i> <sup>3</sup>	Crested Serpent Eagle
10. Accipitridae	<i>Circus spilonotus</i> <sup>3</sup>	Eastern Marsh-Harrier
11. Accipitridae	<i>Accipiter gularis</i> <sup>3</sup>	Japanese Sparrow Hawk
12. Accipitridae	<i>Accipiter trivirgatus</i> <sup>3</sup>	Crested Goshawk
13. Accipitridae	<i>Accipiter soloensis</i> <sup>3</sup>	Chinese Goshawk
14. Accipitridae	<i>Butastur indicus</i> <sup>3</sup>	Grey-faced Buzzard
15. Accipitridae	<i>Spizaetus cirrhatus</i> <sup>3</sup>	Changeable Hawk-Eagle
16. Accipitridae	<i>Spizaetus philippensis</i> <sup>3</sup>	Philippine Hawk Eagle
17. Pandionidae	<i>Pandion haliaetus</i> <sup>3</sup>	Osprey
18. Falconidae	<i>Falco tinnunculus</i> <sup>3</sup>	Eurasian Kestrel
19. Falconidae	<i>Falco severus</i> <sup>3</sup>	Oriental Hobby
20. Psittacidae	<i>Prioniturus platenae</i> <sup>3</sup>	Blue-headed Racquet Tail
21. Psittacidae	<i>Tanygnathus lucionensis</i> <sup>3</sup>	Blue-naped Parrot
22. Strigidae	<i>Otus mantananensis</i> <sup>3</sup>	Mantanani Scops Owl
23. Strigidae	<i>Otus fuliginosus</i> <sup>3</sup>	Palawan Scops Owl
24. Strigidae	<i>Ninox scutulata</i> <sup>3</sup>	Brown Hawk-Owl
25. Strigidae	<i>Strix seloputo</i> <sup>3</sup>	Spotted Wood Owl
26. Strigidae	<i>Asio flammeus</i> <sup>3</sup>	Short-Eared Owl
27. Bucerotidae	<i>Anthracoceros marchei</i> <sup>3</sup>	Palawan Hornbill
28. Sturnidae	<i>Gracula religiosa palawanensis</i> <sup>3</sup>	Palawan Mynah

## B. REPTILES

1. Trionychidae	<i>Pelochelys cantorii</i>	Cantor's Giant Softshell
2. Varanidae	<i>Varanus salvator</i> <sup>3</sup>	Variable Monitor Lizard
3. Boidae	<i>Python reticulates</i> <sup>3</sup>	Reticulated Python
4. Elapidae	<i>Ophiophagus hannah</i> <sup>3</sup>	King Cobra
5. Elapidae	<i>Naja naja</i> <sup>3</sup>	Asiatic Cobra

## C. MAMMALS

1. Sciuridae	<i>Sundasciurus juvenicus</i>	Northern Palawan Tree Squirrel
2. Muridae	<i>Palawanomys furvus</i>	Palawan Soft-furred Mountain Rat
3. Tragulidae	<i>Tragulus napu nigricans</i>	Balabac Chevrotain, Mousedeer
4. Balaenopteridae	<i>Balaenoptera physalus</i>	Fin Whale
5. Manidae	<i>Manis culionensis</i> <sup>3</sup>	Palawan Pangolin
6. Felidae	<i>Prionailurus bengalensis</i> <sup>3</sup>	Leopard Cat
7. Mustelidae	<i>Amblonyx cinereus</i> <sup>3</sup>	Oriental Small-clawed Otter
8. Cercopithecidae	<i>Macaca fascicularis</i> <sup>3</sup>	Long-tailed Macaque
9. Tupaiidae	<i>Tupaia palawanensis</i> <sup>3</sup>	Palawan Tree Shrew
10. Pteropodidae	<i>Pteropus vampyrus</i> <sup>3</sup>	Large Flying Fox
11. Pteropodidae	<i>Acerodon leucotis</i> <sup>3</sup>	Palawan Flying Fox
12. Delphinidae	<i>Tursiops truncatus</i> <sup>3</sup>	Bottlenosed Dolphin
13. Delphinidae	<i>Lagenodelphis hosei</i> <sup>3</sup>	Fraser's Dolphin
14. Delphinidae	<i>Stenella attenuata</i> <sup>3</sup>	Pantropical Spotted Dolphin
15. Delphinidae	<i>Grampus griseus</i> <sup>3</sup>	Risso's Dolphin
16. Delphinidae	<i>Stenella longirostris</i> <sup>3</sup>	Long-snouted Spinner Dolphin

17. Delphinidae *Globicephala macrorhyncus*<sup>3</sup> Short-finned Pilot Whale

#### D. CLAMS

1. Tridacnidae *Hippopus hippopus*<sup>3</sup> Bear's Paw Clam  
2. Tridacnidae *Hippopus porcelanus*<sup>3</sup> China Clam

#### E. FLOWERING PLANTS

1. Lauraceae *Cryptocarya palawanensis* "Parena"  
2. Araliaceae *Schefflera curranii*  
3. Araliaceae *Schefflera palawanensis*  
4. Diptocarpaceae *Vatica mangachapoi obtusifolia*  
5. Dipterocarpaceae *Vatica maritime*

#### F. FISH

1. *Cheilinus undulatus* Napoleon Fish/Humphead Wrasse

### III. VULNERABLE

#### FAMILY

#### SCIENTIFIC NAME

#### COMMON NAME/ "VERNACULAR NAME"

#### A. BIRDS

1. Ardeidae *Egretta eulophotes* Chinese Egret  
2. Columbidae *Ducula pickeringii* Grey Imperial Pigeon  
3. Muscicapidae *Ptilochichla falcate* Falcated Ground-babbler  
4. Muscicapidae *Ficedula platenae* Palawan Flycatcher  
5. Scolopacidae *Numenius tahitiensis* Bristle-thighed Curlew

#### B. MAMMALS

1. Soricidae *Crocidura palawanensis* Palawan Shrew  
2. Sciuridae *Sundasciurus rabori* Palawan Montane Squirrel  
3. Mustelidae *Mydaus marchei* Palawan Stink Badger  
4. Viverridae *Arctictis binturong whitei* Palawan Bearcat  
5. Suidae *Sus barbatus ahoenobarbus* Palawan Bearded Pig

#### C. AMPHIBIANS

1. Discoglossidae *Barbourula busuangensis* Philippine Discoglossid Frog  
2. Bufonidae *Pelophryne albotaeniata* Palawan Toadlet  
3. Ranidae *Ingerana mariae* Mary Inger's Frog

#### D. MARINE FISH

1. Serranidae *Epinephelus lanceolatus* Giant Grouper  
2. Rhincodinidae *Rhincodon typus* Whaleshark  
3. Ginglymostomatidae *Nebrius ferrugineus* Tawny Nurse Shark  
4. Rhynchobatidae *Rhynchobatus djiddensis* White-spot Giant Guitarfish  
5. Stegostomatidae *Stegostoma fasciatum* Leopard Shark

**E. FRESHWATER FISH**

1. Cyprinidae	<i>Puntius manguaoensis</i>	Lake Manguao Barb
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**F. CLAMS**

1. Tridacnidae	<i>Tridacna derasa</i>	Smooth Giant Clam
2. Tridacnidae	<i>Tridacna gigas</i>	Giant Clam

**G. FLOWERING PLANTS**

1. Leguminosae	<i>Adenanthera intermedia</i>	“Malatanglin”
2. Alangiaceae	<i>Alangium longiflorum</i>	“Malatapai”
3. Euphorbiaceae	<i>Antidesma obliquinervium</i>	
4. Euphorbiaceae	<i>Antidesma subolivaceum</i>	
5. Meliaceae	<i>Aphanamixis cumingiana</i>	
6. Myrsinaceae	<i>Ardisia squamulosa</i>	“Tagpo”
7. Araliaceae	<i>Arthrophyllum pulgarens</i>	
8. Burseraceae	<i>Canarium luzonicum</i>	
9. Annonaceae	<i>Dasymaschalon scandens</i>	
10. Dilleniaceae	<i>Dillenia luzoniensis</i>	“Malakatmon”
11. Meliaceae	<i>Dysoxylum palawanensis</i>	
12. Hamamelidaceae	<i>Embolanthera spicata</i>	
13. Celastraceae	<i>Glyptopetalum palawanense</i>	
14. Leguminosae	<i>Intsia bijuga</i>	“Ipil”
15. Myristicaceae	<i>Knema latericia latericia</i>	
16. Euphorbiaceae	<i>Macaranga cogostiflora</i>	
17. Annonaceae	<i>Mitrephora fragrans</i>	
18. Annonaceae	<i>Mitrephora lanota</i>	“Lanutan”
19. Sapotaceae	<i>Palaquium bataanense</i>	
20. Annonaceae	<i>Polyalthia elmeri</i>	
21. Burseraceae	<i>Protium connarifolium</i>	
22. Leguminosae	<i>Pterocarpus indicus</i>	
23. Meliaceae	<i>Sandoricum vidalii</i>	
24. Anacardiaceae	<i>Semecarpus paucinervius</i>	
25. Verbenaceae	<i>Vitex parviflora</i>	“Molave”
26. Myrtaceae	<i>Xanthostemon verdugonianus</i>	“Mankono”
27. Flacourtiaceae	<i>Xylosma palawanense</i>	“Porsanbagyo”
28. Rhamnaceae	<i>Ziziphus talanai</i>	“Balakat”

**IV. OTHER THREATENED SPECIES  
(NEAR THREATENED SPECIES)**

<u>FAMILY</u>	<u>SCIENTIFIC NAME</u>	<u>COMMON NAME/ “VERNACULAR NAME”</u>
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**A. BIRDS**

1. Charadriidae	<i>Charadrius peronii</i>	Malaysian Plover
2. Timaliidae	<i>Malacopteron palawanens?</i>	Melodius Babbler
3. Timaliidae	<i>Stachyris hypogrammica</i>	Palawan Striped-Babbler
4. Muscicapidae	<i>Cyornis lemprieri?</i>	Palawan Blue Flycatcher
5. Muscicapidae	<i>Tersiphone atrocaudata</i>	Japanese Paradise Flycatcher
6. Muscicapidae	<i>Tersiphone cyanescens</i>	Blue Paradise-Flycatcher
7. Paridae	<i>Parus amabilis</i>	Palawan Tit

**B. MAMMALS**

1. Muridae	<i>Maxomys panglima</i>	Palawan Spiny Rat
2. Sciuridae	<i>Sundasciurus moellendorffi</i>	Culion Tree Squirrel
3. Muridae	<i>Hylopetes nigripes</i>	Palawan Flying Squirrel

**C. REPTILES**

1. Emydidae	<i>Cuora amboinensis</i>	South Asian Box Turtle
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**Source:**

- IUCN (International Union for the Conservation of Nature and Natural Resources) 2003 online version
- CITES (Convention on International Trade in Endangered Species of Wild Fauna and Flora) 2003 online version
- National Red List of Philippine Wild Fauna
- PCSD List of Threatened Terrestrial and Marine Wildlife in Palawan (PCSD Resolution No. 04-225)
- PCSDS Database

**Footnotes:**

- <sup>1</sup> CITES-Listed, Appendix I  
<sup>2</sup> Species declared as Endangered in Palawan by virtue of PCSD Resolution No. 93-22  
<sup>3</sup> CITES-Listed, Appendix II

**Interpretation:**

1. In case of conflict between the scientific name and the common name in the actual application, the scientific name shall be the controlling interpretation.
2. Appendix I species in the CITES List are treated as Critically Endangered; Appendix II as Endangered; and, Near Threatened species as Other Threatened pursuant to the Joint DA-DENR-PCSD Implementing Rules and Regulations of R.A. 9147 or the “Wildlife Act”