

## Corrigendum

### Motions

#### World Conservation Congress, Barcelona, Spain, 5–14 October 2008

The following comment, drafted by the Resolutions Working Group, replaces the version found on page 216, which was attached by error to the document.

#### Comment:

*This motion seeks to terminate an existing Agreement between IUCN and Shell that was signed 5 October 2007, on the basis that the Agreement breaches Res 3.060 (Influencing private sector actions in favour of biodiversity) and Res 3.061 (IUCN's interaction with the private sector). According to the terms of the Agreement with Shell, it can be terminated by either Party on six months' notice. It also calls for a review to be conducted after two years to evaluate the extent to which its objectives are being met.*

*As this motion sets a precedent by seeking a World Conservation Congress mandate to terminate an Agreement between IUCN and a private sector institution, it is crucial for members to be fully informed about the implications it has for IUCN's on-going engagement with the private sector if this motion is adopted.*

*To provide the background to assess the agreement and the prescribed scope of work, an aide memoire has been prepared by the Secretariat at the request of the RWG. Implementation of the actions called for in Resolutions 3.060 and 3.061 is also summarised.*

*This motion is referred to an ad hoc contact group. Members are strongly encouraged to read the Explanatory memorandum provided by the sponsors and the aide memoire outlining the nature of the agreement and the existing work programmes to make an informed decision.*

*COSTS: Core funding on the order of CHF 1,300,000 would not be available if the agreement is terminated. Further negative financial consequences may be incurred depending on the conditions of the termination of the agreement.*