Finances of IUCN for the period 2016–2020

Action Requested: The World Conservation Congress is invited to APPROVE the audited Financial Statements for the years 2016 to 2019 submitted by the Director General.

1. In accordance with Articles 20 (d) and 88 (d) of the IUCN Statutes, the Director General submits to Congress for approval the audited Financial Statements of IUCN.

2. Hereafter follow the audited Financial Statements for the years 2016, 2017 and 2018 approved by Council, together with the external auditors’ report (Annex 1 to 3). The original English versions of the Financial Statements and the external auditors’ reports have been posted on the IUCN website: http://www.iucn.org/about/programme-work-and-reporting/financial-reports

3. The Financial Statements will actually be annexed to the Report on the finances of IUCN for the period 2016–2020 which the IUCN Director General will submit together with the IUCN Treasurer for the consideration of Congress as required by Article 88 (d) of the IUCN Statutes. This report will be completed by early May 2020 once the Bureau of Council will have approved the audited Financial Statements for the year 2019. The report together with the audited Financial Statements for the year 2019 will be distributed to IUCN Members by 11 May 2020.