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let us help you free of charge

HOW TO PARTICIPATE

YES, I want to help support the *Cameroon Elephant Initiative* by making a tax deductible contribution

- Enhancement Fee \$ _____ (500.00) U.S. Dollars
 General Contribution \$ _____ U.S. Dollars

Method of Payment:

- Check Visa Master Card

Card# _____

Expiration _____

Signature _____

Donor/Contributor Information

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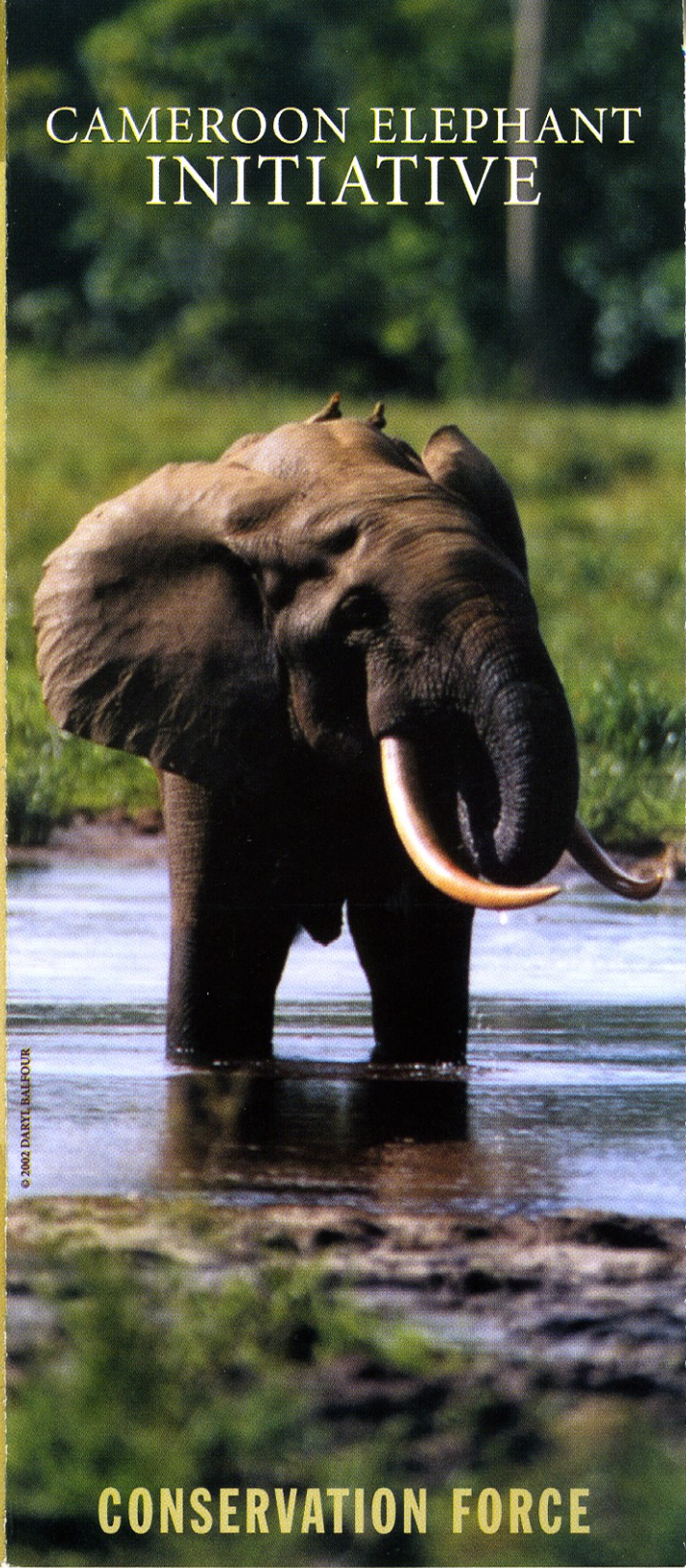
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Cameroon shares the third largest elephant population in the world, approximately 60,000. It also shares some of the most pristine habitat remaining anywhere. Cameroon's National Elephant Management Plan includes tourist safari hunting of elephants as part of the country's strategy to conserve its elephants. For nearly a decade, Cameroon has maintained a CITES quota of eighty elephants per year. Revenue from tourist safari hunting is shared with the local communities as well as the Ministry. Cameroon has also set aside large tracks of land to preserve its wild state.

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The *Cameroon Elephant Initiative* is Conservation Force's continuing effort to reestablish elephant trophy importation by the USF&WS and elephant conservation in Cameroon. Conservation Force succeeded in getting import of elephant trophies from Cameroon into the U.S. in 1995 and 1997.

U.S. ENDANGERED SPECIES ACT (ESA)

Although African Elephant are only listed as "threatened," a "special rule" under the ESA requires the USF&WS to make a finding of enhancement before issuing a permit to import elephant hunting trophies. The *Cameroon Elephant Enhancement Fund* was established by Conservation Force to fulfill that requirement and to accomplish the "enhancement" of elephants in Cameroon. Successful hunters should make a 500.00 U.S. Dollar "enhancement" donation. The donation is expended exclusively on elephant enhancement in Cameroon." Conservation Force will send you an appropriate acknowledgment and include your contribution in a periodic report to the USF&WS and all stakeholders.

HOW TO IMPORT YOUR TROPHY

- 1 Complete a USF&WS import permit application available from Conservation Force. We will also help you complete the form free of charge.
- 2 Contribute 500.00 U.S. Dollars to Conservation Force designated for the *Conservation Force Cameroon Elephant Fund*. We will send you and acknowledgment of your donation.
- 3 Permit Application before the hunt—Respond to question No. "6" of the import application as follows:
"I pledge to pay a 500.00 U.S. Dollar enhancement contribution to *Conservation Force's Cameroon Elephant Enhancement Fund* if my hunt is successful. The contribution will be expended exclusively on elephant enhancement in Cameroon."
- 4 Permit Application after a successful hunt—In response to question No. "6" state that "I have made a 500.00 U.S. Dollar 'enhancement contribution' to Conservation Force's *Cameroon Elephant Enhancement Fund*," and attach a photocopy of the payment.
- 5 Copy us with all correspondence you get from the USF&WS. We need to know your permit application number and need a written authorization to represent you.

