



Wildlife Law Enforcement

June 2021 Eagle Uganda Report

1. INTRODUCTION

This report reflects the period from 1st to 30th June 2021

2. INVESTIGATIONS

2 investigators continued their test period but one's test period was suspended later.

INVESTIGATION INDICATORS		
# of investigations	# of investigations that lead to operations	
23	0	

3. OPERATIONS

2 Traffickers were arrested with 25Kgs of ivory. Both traffickers were remanded at Kitalya Maximum prison but unfortunately granted bail on very weak grounds.

Efforts from CCU, our own investigator, and coordination from an investigator from Cameroon, the EAGLE Uganda team and Uganda Revenue Authority customs officials ensured the operation's success.

OPERATION INDICATORS				
# of operations	# of operations that lead to arrests	# suspect traffickers arrested	Contraband (specify units)	
2	1	2	25Kgs	

4. LEGAL

LEGAL INDICATORS					
# of court prosecutions		Maximum sentence given	# of cases followed	# hearings visited	# jail visits
Court of first instance	Appeal court				
01	0	0	01	02	14

- The Legal advisor interrogated two suspects it URA intelligence team
- The legal advisor conducted house searches at the suspects' homes
- The legal advisor participated in the drawing of the chargesheets for the suspects with URA investigations team
- The legal advisor conducted jail visits of the suspects who were still in police custody
- The legal advisor attended Court for the arraignment of the suspects
- The legal advisor attended court for the bail applications of the accused persons
- The legal advisor attended a meeting with UWA legal officer to discuss wildlife charges against the suspects

5. MEDIA

Department not active yet.

MEDIA INDICATORS				
# of total media pieces published	# of pieces on Radio	# of pieces on TV	# of pieces in national printed press	
0	0	0	0	

6. MANAGEMENT

MANAGEMENT INDICATORS		
# investigators on test	1	
# legal advisors on test	0	
# advocates on test	0	
# media journalists on test	0	
# accountants on test	0	
# internal trainings	2	
# external trainings	0	

- Successful submission of all finance related reports, filing and payment of required tax obligations for the month of May 2021.
- 3 team members continued their French class training.
- The team successfully completed a 12 session martial arts training, empowering team members on defensive skills.
- Assistant coordinator followed up on the 2 arrested suspects (Jail Visits) before they were remanded.

7. EXTERNAL RELATIONS

EXTERNAL RELATIONS INDICATORS	
# of external meetings	01
# of requests for collaboration or support	0
# follow-up meetings related to ongoing agreements/ collaborations	0
# meetings to renew agreements/ collaborations	0

# EAGLE trainings requested from external parties	0
# EAGLE trainings carried out for external parties	0
# EAGLE presentations requested from external parties	0
# EAGLE presentations carried out for others	0

8.FOSTERING ACTIVISM

* The team followed up on the sexual abuse case and still trust building to be able to compile a witness list.