



SCIENTIFIC NAME:
Speothos venaticus

COMMON NAME: BUSH DOG
CACHORRO-UNAGRE

IUCN RED LIST STATUS:
NEAR THREATENED

ESTIMATED NUMBER OF
MATURE INDIVIDUALS:
UNKNOWN

POPULATION TREND:
DECREASING



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HABITAT: FORESTS, SAVANNAS, SHRUBLANDS AND GRASSLANDS OF
MULTIPLE COUNTRIES IN SOUTH AMERICA

HABITAT CONDITIONS: CONTINUING DECLINE IN AREA, EXTENT,
AND QUALITY

THREATS: HOUSING AND URBAN AREAS, ANNUAL AND PERENNIAL
NON-TIMBER CROPS, WOOD AND PULP PLANTATIONS, LIVESTOCK
FARMING AND RANCHING, HUNTING AND TRAPPING TERRESTRIAL
ANIMALS, INVASIVE NON-NATIVE/ALIEN SPECIES/DISEASES,
VIRAL/PRION-INDUCED DISEASES

CONSERVATION ACTIONS: CONSERVATION SITES HAVE BEEN
IDENTIFIED AND PROTECTED AREAS EXIST. THE SPECIES HAS
ALSO BEEN SUBJECT TO INTERNATIONAL MANAGEMENT/TRADE
CONTROLS, LEGISLATION, AND EX-SITU CONSERVATION EFFORTS

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WHAT CAN YOU DO?

- * ELECT (OR BECOME) ENVIRONMENTALLY MINDFUL LEADERS
- * CONTACT YOUR REPRESENTATIVES TO VOICE YOUR CONCERNs ABOUT WILDLIFE CONSERVATION (AND PEACEFULLY PROTEST IN FRONT OF THEIR HOMES AND OFFICES, IF THEY DO NOTHING)
- * EMBODY THE "KIND" IN MANKIND BY DONATING SOME OF YOUR TIME AND/OR MONEY TO ORGANIZATIONS LIKE THE IUCN
- * BUY MY NFTs SO I CAN CONTRIBUTE TO IUCN'S EFFORTS
- * USE AND TALK ABOUT YOUR VITIATOROUS NFTs AND APPAREL TO SPREAD THE WORD ABOUT THESE INCREDIBLE SPECIES
- * EAT WHOLE FOODS THAT ARE ORGANIC, PLANT-BASED, AND GROWN IN AGROFORESTRY SYSTEMS INSTEAD OF HIGHLY PROCESSED CORPSES AND CHEMICALLY-TREATED MONOCULTURES

