

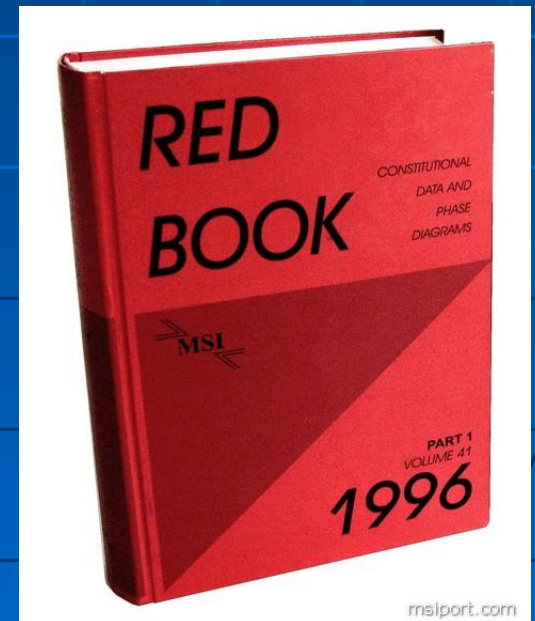
Red Book



"Unlike us animals have no control over their future. Their future, their very existence - is in our hands ... To save them is urgent! There are many animals that need our help now. In ten, even five years it will be too late - they will disappear forever . "

Dzheral Darrell

The history of the Red Book





- *In 1949 the Commission on rare species was organized .*
- *It was composed of famous zoologists from all over the world .*
- *The Commission has done a great job : created the list of rare*
- *and endangered species of animals and formed the Red Book .*

What is the Red Book?

It is a book about animals in danger of extinction.

Nicholas Sweet, the author of a lot of books about animals, says :

*«The Red colour shouts : «STOP, STOP!
YOU CANNOT GO ON LIKE THIS !»*

The Red book itself does not protect, but only warns.

It consists of coloured pages.

**On the red pages
there are especially rare
and
endangered species**

**On the yellow pages there
are vulnerable species of
animals, whose number is
rapidly declining**



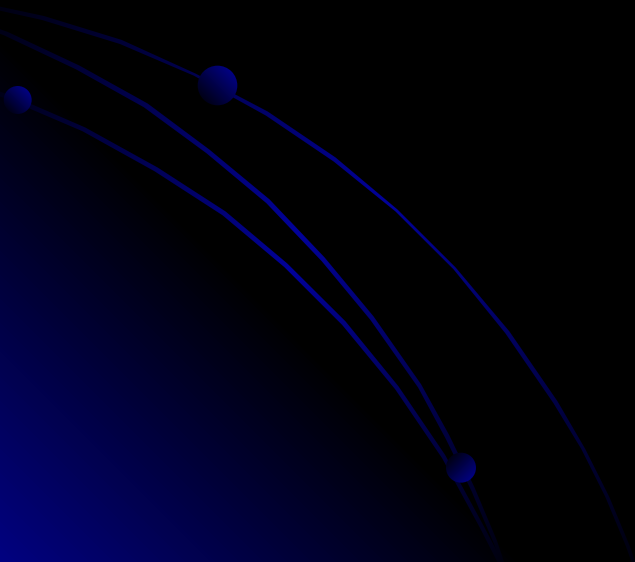
**The white pages are devoted
to animals, the number of
which has always been
small and their position
unstable**



**On the grey pages there are
animals that are still poorly
known**

**On the green pages there
are animals which may be
saved from extinction**

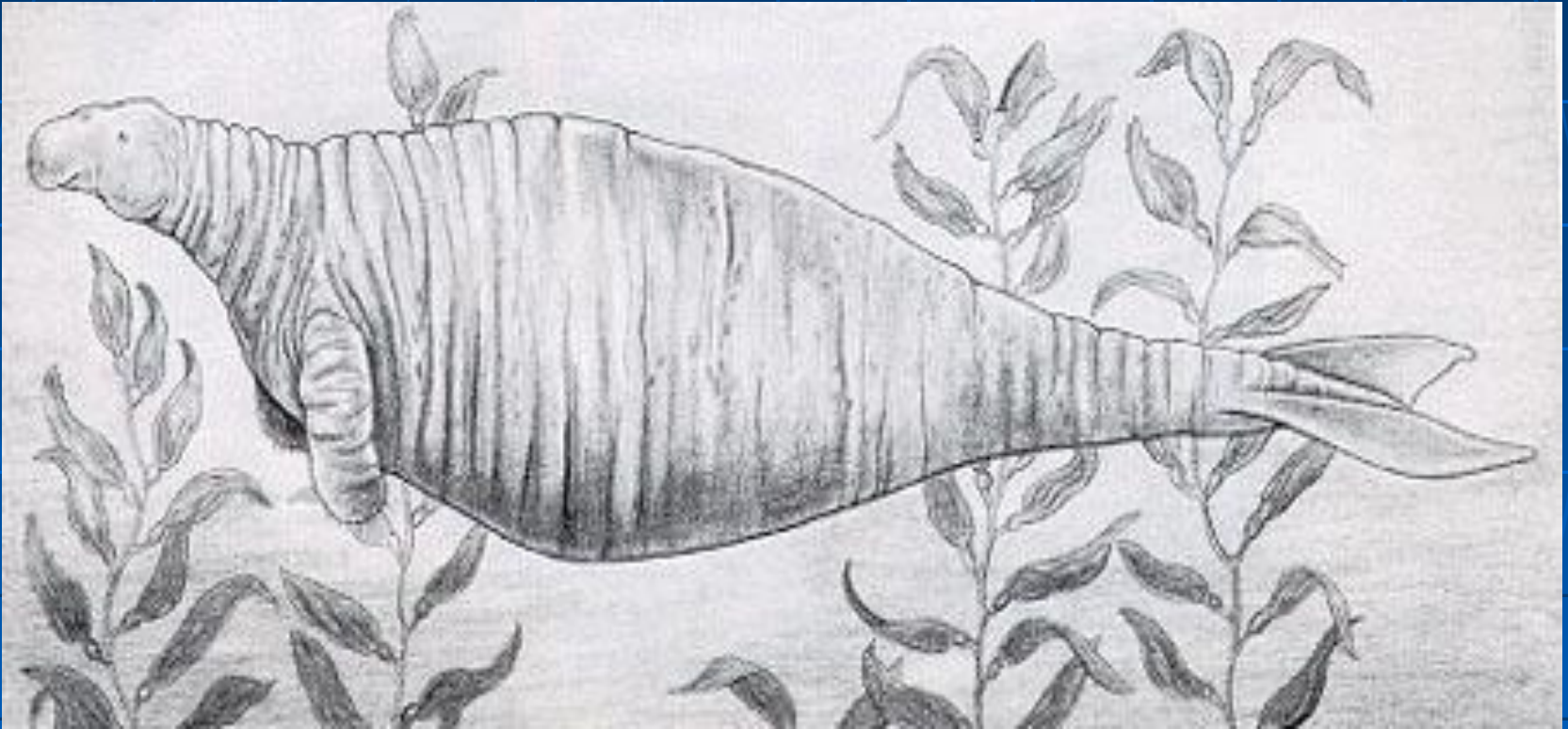
On the black pages there are those species which are already extinct : stuffed animals or skeletons



Dodo



Cow-fish



Bullock's false toad



Spoon-billed sandpiper



Singapore freshwater crab



Javan rhino



Northern bald ibis



Red River giant softshell turtle



Luristan newt



Red-finned Blue-eye

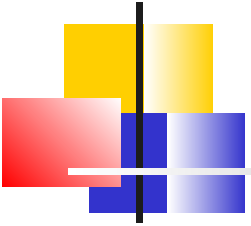


Saola



Pygmy three-toed sloth





Red Book is a document that contains both rare and endangered species of plants and animals.

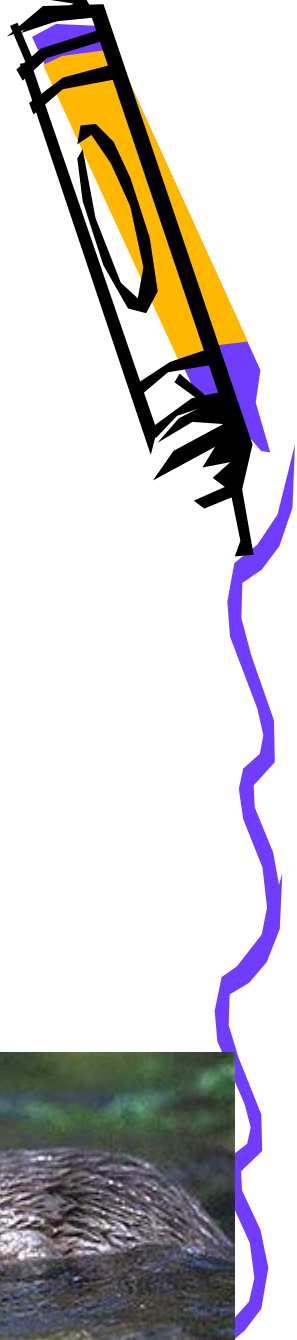


European mink

River otter

Yellow ground squirrel

Muskrat





Conclusion

Plants and animals listed in the Red Book are few. If nothing is done, they may disappear altogether and the people who will live after us, will not see them .



*Thank you for
attention!*