**Whistle in the woods, again: challenges and possible conservation implications of recolonizing dholes *Cuon alpinus* in Nepal**

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Supplementary Material 1 List of literature on the historical and current presence of dholes in Nepal.

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Supplementary Plate 1 Potential livestock depredation by recolonizing dholes in Annapurna Conservation Area, Nepal. The depredated goats were photographed by a local livestock herder in 2020 who presented the images to claim compensation from Annapurna Conservation Area Project, the management authority of the area. The animals had no wounds in the neck region and were devoured in the hind portion, which points towards dhole depredation.

A close-up of a spider

Description automatically generated with low confidence

A animal with blood on its back

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