



## Scenario Cards

Country: Chumas

### Sea turtle jewelry dealer

Because you know how valuable sea turtle jewelry is all over the world, you buy as much as you can, even though it is prohibited.

**Wants:**

Turtles  
Money

Country: Chumas

### Restaurant owner

The people of your community have been eating sea turtle eggs and sea turtles for thousands of years as a delicacy. You buy as many eggs and turtles as you can.

**Wants:**

Turtles  
Turtle eggs  
Money

Country: Chumas

### Turtle trader

Middle class. You buy sea turtles from collectors in Pargimo to sell to companies in Chumas that make medicine, ceremonial products, and traditional food. Although your work has been respected and needed, it has now become illegal.

**Wants:**

Job

Country: Chumas

### Ceremonial sea turtle buyer

You buy products made from sea turtles to sell for ceremonial uses. People in your community have been using sea turtle products for generations. Without them, the ceremonies would fail and harm would fall on the village.

**Wants:**

Turtles

Country: Chumas

### Turtle egg trader

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**Wants:**

Job

Country: Pargimo

### Government employee

You are interested in the agency operating efficiently. You have received a request for a special land development permit, but because of the new CITES regulations, must wait for judicial orders before you can fulfill this request.

**Wants:**

Judicial order for coastal building permits

# Scenario Cards



Country: Pargimo

## Landowner

You have extensive coastal land holdings but are cash poor and need money to rejuvenate other businesses. You believe wild animals are the property of the landowner. You want poachers arrested.

### **Wants:**

Capital investment funds

Country: Pargimo

## Judge

You are frustrated by a lack of professional recognition for community efforts. You would like to further CITES by requiring developers to set aside beach natural areas for turtle habitat when applying for building permits. You hope that ecotourism will develop. You believe wildlife belongs to the public for protection.

### **Wants:**

Professional recognition

Country: Pargimo

## Illegal collector of turtles (poacher)

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### **Wants:**

Job

Country: Pargimo

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Job

Country: Pargimo

## Wildlife biologist and manager

You are frustrated by the poaching of turtles and by news of potential beach development. You would like to see the beaches protected and have a way to replenish the population of baby turtles. You believe wildlife belongs to the public.

### **Wants:**

Beach in natural condition  
Compliance by poacher  
Turtle eggs

Country: Pargimo

## Law officer

You are required to arrest poachers and traders of turtles or turtle products. Your position is difficult because you personally know the families that are trying to subsist through this illegal activity. You believe wildlife should be available for public taking, and you wish you did not have to arrest poachers.

### **Wants:**

Compliance by poacher  
Compliance by trader  
Compliance by ceremonial sea turtle buyer



## Scenario Cards

Country: The Republic of United Peoples

### **CITES organization head stationed in Pargimo**

You are trying to ensure that the agreements of CITES are being enforced. You are well connected to government and environmental organizations in your country, and are willing to help anyone achieve recognition who facilitates compliance with CITES regulations.

**Wants:**

Compliance by poacher  
Compliance by trader  
Compliance by ceremonial sea turtle buyer

Country: The Republic of United Peoples

### **Sea turtle advocate**

You are an advocate for the protection of endangered and threatened species. You would like to see the coastal areas left in a natural state and the citizens respecting the new laws to protect the turtles. You are well financed.

**Wants:**

Beach in natural condition  
Compliance by poacher  
Compliance by trader  
Compliance by ceremonial sea turtle buyer

Country: The Republic of United Peoples

### **Wealthy developer**

Because of increased demands for isolated vacation sites, your company plans to buy land on the southeast coast of Pargimo—natural areas that are prime sea turtle egg laying habitat. You plan to develop the area by building a hotel/lodge and to make a profit for the company and its investors.

**Wants:**

Money  
Land  
Land development permit

Country: The Republic of United Peoples

### **Entrepreneur**

You would like to make a fresh start and move to Pargimo. The business you would like to develop is a turtle farm. Most of the turtles raised on the farm will be sold to local companies, although a set number of turtles can be donated to natural resource agencies each year if needed to maintain populations. You need a loan to begin the business.

**Wants:**

Start-up funds  
Business operating license  
Hotel

Country: The Republic of United Peoples

### **Tourist**

You are looking for rare items (food and jewelry) to buy. You also need some experimental medicines not found in the RUP. On future trips, you would like to find a safe, comfortable hotel for your family to “get away from it all.” You would also like to find out about local natural features for this next trip.

**Wants:**

Food  
Medicine  
Information on natural features  
Jewelry  
Safety

Country: The Republic of United Peoples

### **Owner of pharmaceutical company**

Your company makes medicines, but the high cost of labor in the RUP is forcing you to move to Pargimo, where salaries are lower. It would also be closer to a source of turtle eggs, which contain chemicals that are ingredients in some medicines.

**Wants:**

Money  
Turtle eggs  
Business operating license