**ANSWER KEY**

**Multiple Choice**

1. D
2. A
3. B
4. A
5. C

**Fill in the Blank:**

6. The term “endangered” means a species is in danger of **extinction** throughout most or all of its home range.

7. The International Union for the Conservation of Nature, or IUCN, created the **Red List** (two words) which is a comprehensive list of species evaluated for conservation status.

8. Wood stork populations have suffered due to degradation, or destruction, of Florida’s **wetlands**.

9. Staghorn and Elkhorn were the first two **corals** to be added to the Endangered Species List in 2006.

**Short Response:**

10. Answers will vary. **Example answer:** I would like to protect the declining elkhorn and staghorn coral species in the Florida Keys. If I could pass a law that protected those two species, it would be named the **Caribbean Acropora Protection Act**.