ESA assignment: Choose one out of these two topics.

1. Opponents of the Endangered Species Act often argue that the act is outdated and in need of reform. What elements of the act are they referring to? How would their reforms, if enacted, address those concerns? How would they provide protection for listed species?

2. You have been charged with rewriting the ESA. Decided what sort of framework your legislation will use and write the appropriate text (it does not necessarily have to be in bill form) that if enacted, would achieve your policy goals.