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## Article: Article 7 on Emissions and Releases

## Our suggested text is:

- [1. Each Party shall take measures to <u>assess</u>, manage, reduce, and, where possible, eliminate emissions and releases to the atmosphere, soil, water and the marine environment from the production, storage, transportation, use and end of life management of:
  - (a) Chemicals of concern as used in plastic products listed in Annex [A], and plastic products listed in Annex [B];
  - (b) Plastic pellets, flakes and powder from the supply chain;
  - (c) Microplastics during production of plastics
  - (d) Microplastics and nano-plastics during use of products.
- 2. In implementing its obligation pursuant to paragraph 1, each Party shall <u>assess</u> <u>sources and trends of emissions and releases and take into account, as appropriate, relevant international rules, standards, and guidelines.</u>