ARTICLE 16

EFFECTIVENESS EVALUATION REVIEW

- 1. The Conference of the Parties shall regularly commit to a review of the scope and contents-evaluate as well as the effectiveness and implementation of the Convention, on the basis of available scientific, environmental, technical, financial and socio-economic information, The first evaluation shall be undertaken no later than six years after the date of entry into force of the Convention and thereafter at intervals to be decided by the Conference of the Parties.
- 2. The evaluation shall be conducted on the basis of available scientific, environmental, technical, financial and socio-economic information, which may include:
 - a. National reports referred to in Article 15;
 - b. Information and recommendations provided by the Committee referred to in Article 13;
 - c. Other information the Conference of the Parties deems relevant, including the information referred to in Article 17.
- 3. 2. The Conference of the Parties shall, at its $\frac{X}{4}$ 4th meeting, adopt the modalities for the evaluation referred to in paragraph 1 of the Article.

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ARTICLE 16

REVIEW

- 1. The Parties commit to a review of the scope and contents as well as the effectiveness and implementation of the, on the basis of available scientific, environmental, technical, financial and socio-economic information, no later than six years after the entry into force of this Treaty, and thereafter at intervals to be decided by the Conference of the Parties.
- 2. The Conference of the Parties shall, at its **4**th meeting, adopt the modalities for the review referred to in paragraph 1 of the Article.