PACIFIC SMALL ISLAND DEVELOPING STATES



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ARTICLE 6 Sustainable Production

- 1. The Conference of the Parties shall, at its first session, adopt in an annex a global target to reduce the production of primary plastic polymers to sustainable levels.
- 2. Each Party shall take measures across the full lifecycle of plastics to achieve the global target referred to in paragraph 1.
- 3. Each Party shall report statistical data on its production, imports and exports of primary plastic polymers and the measures taken to achieve the global target referred to in paragraph 1.
- 4. The Conference of the Parties shall, at its first session, adopt the format, timing, methodologies and guidance for the implementation of this Article.
- 5. The Conference of the Parties shall, every five years, based on a scientific, technical, social, economic, and cultural assessment by a subsidiary body, review progress in the implementation of this Article and, as appropriate, update the global target referred to in paragraph 1.

NOTE: This proposal largely corresponds to the cross regional proposal on Article 6, with a few adjustments to the description of the assessment by the subsidiary body in paragraph 5.