Proposed response template on written submissions prior to INC-3 (part a)

At its second session, the intergovernmental negotiating committee (INC) requested the secretariat to invite written submissions on:

- Elements not discussed at INC-2, such as principles and scope of the instrument

INC-2 further requested the secretariat to post any submissions received on the INC website and to prepare a synthesis report of the submissions.

The template below was prepared by the secretariat, in consultation with the Chair, and is meant as a guide to assist Members and Observers in preparing their written submissions. A number of documents prepared by the secretariat for INC-1 and INC-2 are of relevance to this submission, including:

**UNEA resolution 5/14 on ‘End plastic pollution: towards an international legally binding instrument’**

**UNEP/PP/INC.1/5 on ‘Potential elements, based on provisions in paragraphs 3 and 4 of United Nations Environment Assembly resolution 5/14, including key concepts, procedures and mechanisms of legally binding multilateral agreements that may be relevant to furthering implementation and compliance under the future international legally binding instrument on plastic pollution, including in the marine environment’**

**UNEP/PP/INC.1/6 on ‘Glossary of key terms’**

**UNEP/PP/INC.1/8 on ‘Description of standard articles on final provisions that are typically included in multilateral environmental agreements’**

**UNEP/PP/INC.2/4 on ‘Potential options for elements towards an international legally binding instrument, based on a comprehensive approach that addresses the full life cycle of plastics as called for by United Nations Environment Assembly resolution 5/14’**

**UNEP/PP/INC.2/INF/4 on ‘Additional information linked to the options for the potential elements towards an international legally binding instrument’**

**UNEP/PP/INC.2/INF/7/REV.1 on ‘Information submitted by the Secretariat of the Basel, Rotterdam and Stockholm conventions’**

All written submissions must be sent to unep-incplastic.secretariat@un.org. As detailed in the mandate, the submissions received will be made available on the INC webpage, a synthesis report of the submissions will also be developed in advance of INC-3.

Please note that not all fields in the template need to be answered in the submission.

**Deadline for submissions:**

1. By 15 August 2023 for written submissions from observer organizations.
2. By 15 September 2023 for written submissions from Members of the Committee.
**Elements not discussed at INC-2**

1. **Scope**

What is the proposed scope for the future instrument? Which types of substances, materials, products and behaviors should be covered by the future instrument?

- Proponer la creación de un instrumento que esté enfocado en la economía circular y que involucre de manera directa a las comunidades orientándolas hacia un consumo mayormente sostenible de productos que contengan plástico, a través de una ruta de gestión de residuos sólidos capaz de integrarse en todo el ciclo de vida del producto y evitar que estos lleguen a los ecosistemas.

- Establecer normas y prohibiciones de acuerdo a la realidad de cada país de manera que estas puedan ser ejecutadas de manera propicia para obtener resultados positivos en cuenta la ejecución del instrumento.

2. **Principles**

What principles could be set out in the future instrument to guide its implementation?

- Fortalecimiento de la economía circular en los municipios y comunidades afectadas por la acumulación de plásticos.

- Movimientos paulatinos hacia una economía circular buscando la menor afectación en la economía y realidad de país.

- Involucramiento de las empresas generadoras de los distintos productos plásticos que son generados y distribuidos en el país y delegarles una verdadera responsabilidad sobre el ciclo del mismo y validar el destino final del producto.
3. Additional considerations

Provide any other relevant inputs, proposals or priorities here that have not been discussed at INC-2 (e.g. preamble; institutional arrangements, including governing body, subsidiary bodies, scientific and technical cooperation and coordination, and secretariat; final provisions including dispute settlements; and if appropriate annexes).

Responsabilidades compartidas entre naciones potencia y naciones en desarrollo para llevar a cabo estudios en las zonas con mayor afluencia de contaminantes.

Inclusión de diferentes entidades gubernamentales para crear un documento con una visión holística de la situación de país así generar ideas o resoluciones de acuerdo a esto.