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Hazardous Wastes and Their Disposal**  
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Item 6 (c) of the provisional agenda\*  
**Implementation of the decisions adopted  
by the Conference of the Parties at its seventh meeting:  
reporting**

## Reporting

### **Proposed decision approved by the fifth session of the Open-ended Working Group for submission to the eighth meeting of the Conference of the Parties**

1. The following draft decision was approved by the Open-ended Working Group at its fifth session for consideration and possible adoption by the Conference of the Parties at its eighth meeting.

**VIII/[ ]: Transmission of information, including implementation of decision II/12**

*The Conference of the Parties,*

*Recalling* its decision VII/35,

1. *Urges* Parties that have not yet done so to transmit to the Secretariat the completed questionnaire on transmission of information for the year 2004 and for previous years, as soon as possible and if possible in electronic form, using the revised questionnaire adopted by the Conference of the Parties at its sixth meeting, bearing in mind that, in accordance with the provisions of article 13, paragraph 3, Parties shall transmit, before the end of each calendar year, a report on the previous calendar year;

2. *Requests* that such information be provided by Parties to the Secretariat for the calendar year 2005 before the end of calendar year 2006, if possible in electronic form;

3. *Invites* Parties to fill in any data gaps which may exist in their previously reported datasets on generation and transboundary movement of hazardous wastes and other wastes for the years 1999 and later;

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4. *Encourages* Parties to continue to report on their implementation of decision II/12 in their reports under article 13 of the Convention;

5. *Requests* the Secretariat to prepare country fact sheets and annual compilation documents for the years 2004 and 2005 and to make such information available on a regular basis to Parties and non-Parties;

6. *Also requests* the Secretariat to incorporate the contents of part I of the questionnaire, on transmission of information, in English, into the reporting database, within available resources, if the questionnaires are completed by Parties in any official language of the United Nations other than English;

7. *Further requests* the Secretariat to prepare a further consolidated report on the implementation of decision II/12 and to report thereon to the Conference of the Parties at its ninth meeting;

8. *Requests* the Secretariat to continue to provide training to developing countries and other countries that are in need of assistance to meet their reporting obligations by organizing workshops through its regional centres or by other appropriate means.

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