

CC-11/4: Submission regarding Cabo Verde

The Committee,

Recalling the submission by the Secretariat to the Committee regarding Cabo Verde concerning possible difficulties faced by this party to comply with its reporting obligation under paragraph 3 of Article 13 of the Convention (CHW/CC/9c/2010/2),

Recalling also decisions 8/3, 9/3, 10/3 and 10/3/Add.1,

Without prejudice to future decisions by the Committee related to this or other specific submissions,

1. *Welcomes* the participation by Cabo Verde in a workshop on national reporting organized by the Secretariat in cooperation with the Basel Convention Regional Centre for French-speaking countries in Africa in July 2014;

2. *Welcomes* the transmission by Cabo Verde of the Revised Questionnaire on “Transmission of Information” (in accordance with Articles 13 & 16 of the Basel Convention) - National Report for 2012²;

3. *Notes* with appreciation that Cabo Verde has provided answers to all questions and tables 4 and 5 of part I of the questionnaire and that it has explained that it had no data available to be able to complete tables 6 (export), 7 (import) and 8A (generation) of part II of the questionnaire;

4. *Welcomes* the signature by Cabo Verde and the Secretariat on 5 September 2014 of an agreement pertaining to the implementation of the compliance action plan of Cabo Verde with the support of resources from the implementation fund;

5. *Expresses* its appreciation for the cooperation of Cabo Verde with the Committee during its eleventh meeting and for its continued commitment to ensure the implementation of its obligations under the Basel Convention, including through the implementation of its compliance action plan;

6. *Requests* the Secretariat to communicate this decision to the Basel Convention Regional Centre for French-speaking countries in Africa;

7. *Requests* also the Secretariat to continue its communications with and support to Cabo Verde and to report to the Committee as appropriate;

8. *Decides* to keep this matter under review.

² UNEP/CHW/CC.11/3/Add.4/Rev.1, annex II.