

Decision I/2

MECHANISMS FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE
BASEL CONVENTION

The Conference,

Recalling Resolution 1 of the March 1989 Basel Conference of Plenipotentiaries on the Global Convention on the Control of Transboundary Movements of Hazardous Wastes inviting the Executive Director of UNEP to set up an ad hoc working group of legal and technical experts to consider the necessity of establishing mechanisms for the implementation of the Basel Convention as provided in Article 15, paragraph 5(e) of the Convention,

Having considered the recommendations of the ad hoc working group in document UNEP/CHW/WG.3/1/4,

1. Decides to establish an open-ended ad hoc committee to meet as necessary in order to fulfil the task placed on it by the Conference of the Parties, subject to available resources;
2. Requests the Open-ended Ad Hoc Committee to fulfil the tasks placed on it by this decision and decisions I/3, I/7, 9, 11, 13, 15 and 19, and to present a report on its work to the second meeting of the Conference of the Parties;

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3. Requests the Secretariat of the Basel Convention to convene the Open-ended Ad Hoc Committee and any subgroups the Ad Hoc Committee needs to establish to facilitate its work subject to available resources.
