

BC-10/22: Implementation of decision V/32 on the enlargement of the scope of the Trust Fund to Assist Developing and Other Countries in Need of Technical Assistance in the Implementation of the Basel Convention

The Conference of the Parties

1. *Requests* the Secretariat, subject to its human resource limitations and without incurring extra-budgetary costs, to develop a draft report containing recommendations on the expediency of the procedures under the mechanism, the adequacy of resources available for use under the mechanism and cooperation with other international organizations and agencies in responding to emergency situations. The report shall include a comparative study of similar mechanisms in operation in other international organizations such as the International Atomic Energy Agency and the International Maritime Organization;

2. *Expresses* its appreciation to those parties that have to date contributed to the Trust Fund to Assist Developing Countries and other Countries in Need of Technical Assistance in the Implementation of the Basel Convention on the Control of Transboundary Movements of Hazardous Wastes and Their Disposal to support the activities referred to in part 1 of the Interim Guidelines for the Implementation of Decision V/32, Enlargement of the scope of the Technical Cooperation Trust Fund (emergency response), and invites Parties in a position to do so to contribute to the Technical Cooperation Trust Fund to support the activities referred to in parts 1 and 3 of the Interim Guidelines;

3. *Requests* the Secretariat, before 30 June 2012, to circulate the draft report and, on the basis of its findings, to prepare a draft decision for consideration by the Conference of the Parties at its eleventh meeting.