

**VI/25. Hazardous characteristic H6.2 (Infectious substances)**

The Conference of the Parties,

Welcoming the contribution of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and others in the preparation of the draft paper on hazardous characteristic H6.2 of Annex III to the Basel Convention on the Control of Transboundary Movements of Hazardous Wastes and their Disposal,

1. Takes note of the draft paper on hazardous characteristic H6.2;
2. Requests the Open-ended Working Group to continue to review the paper, based on the work of the United Nations Sub-Committee of Experts on the Transport of Dangerous Goods;
3. Requests the secretariat to continue its consultations with relevant bodies, in particular the World Health Organization and the United Nations Sub-Committee of Experts on the Transport of Dangerous Goods;
4. Invites Parties and others to consider using the draft paper and to report to the Conference of the Parties, through the secretariat, their experiences of its use.