## 5. Request for information on national reporting

## Decision: BC-12/6: National reporting

## Background:

At its twelfth meeting, in decision BC-12/6, the Conference of the Parties adopted the revised format for national reporting as submitted by the small intersessional working group on national reporting for use by parties to report for the year 2016 and onwards, and decided to extend the mandate of the small intersessional working group to develop an electronic user manual for the electronic reporting system and the revised format for national reporting as adopted, in the six official languages of the United Nations.

Furthermore, the Conference of the Parities invited parties that have not yet done so to transmit to the Secretariat their completed questionnaires on the transmission of information for 2013 and for previous years as soon as possible, using the electronic reporting system of the Basel Convention.

## Requests:

	Request	Respondent(s)	Method of submission	Deadline for submission
(a)	Parties are invited to nominate additional experts to participate in the small intersessional working group on national reporting.	Parties	Please make submissions to the Secretariat via the contact point provided below.	30 June 2015
(b)	Parties are invited to transmit their completed questionnaires on the transmission of information for 2013 and for previous years, using the electronic reporting system of the Basel Convention.	Parties	Electronic Reporting System of the Basel Convention, available on the Basel Convention website.	As soon as possible

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