4. Technical guidelines on transboundary movements of electrical and electronic waste and used electrical and electronic equipment, in particular regarding the distinction between waste and non-waste under the Basel Convention

<u>Decision:</u> BC-16/5: Technical guidelines on transboundary movements of electrical and electronic waste and used electrical and electronic equipment, in particular regarding the distinction between waste and non-waste under the Basel Convention

Background:

The Conference of the Parties adopted on an interim basis the revised technical guidelines on transboundary movements of electrical and electronic waste and used electrical and electronic equipment, in particular regarding the distinction between waste and non-waste under the Basel Convention.⁵ It invited Parties and others to use and/or test the technical guidelines, on a pilot basis, and to submit, by 30 April 2024, the results of their use and/or testing.

The Conference of the Parties decided to extend the mandate of the expert working group established by paragraph 4 of decision BC-13/5 and requested it, taking into account, among other things, the submissions received on the use and/or test of the technical guidelines, to prepare updated technical guidelines, and to submit them for consideration by the Conference of the Parties at its seventeenth meeting.

Follow-up:

Call for information	Respondents	Deadline for submission
Parties and others are invited to submit the results of their use and/or testing of the technical guidelines to the Secretariat	Parties Others	30 April 2024

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⁵ UNEP/CHW.16/INF/10/Rev.1.