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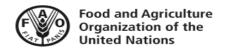


Briefing on the eleventh meeting of the Basel Convention's Open-ended Working Group

Geneva, 3-6 September 2018

Secretariat of the Basel, Rotterdam and Stockholm Conventions







Eleventh meeting of the Open-ended Working Group (OEWG-11)

- 3-6 September 2018, at CICG in Geneva
- Co-Chairs: Ms. Justina Grigaraviciene (Lithuania) (Technical) and Mr. Luay Sadeq Al-Mukhtar (Iraq) (Legal)



- In the six UN official languages
- Pre-meetings on Sunday 2 September
- Back-to-back with 13th meeting of the Basel Convention Implementation and Compliance Committee
- Meeting website: http://www.basel.int/oewg11



Provisional agenda (Document UNEP/CHW/OEWG.11/1)

Strategic framework

 Consider a draft compilation of information related to the indicators in the strategic framework

Development of guidance on ESM

Consider the draft documents developed by the expert working group on ESM

Technical guidelines

- POPs waste; transboundary movements of electrical and electronic waste and used electrical and electronic equipment; incineration on land; specially engineered landfill
- Should technical guidelines on physico chemical treatment and biological treatment be updated?



Provisional agenda (cont.) (Document UNEP/CHW/OEWG.11/1)

National reporting

- Consider types of wastes for which additional practical guidance on the development of inventories would be useful
- Electronic approaches to the notification and movement documents
- Marine plastic litter and microplastics
 - Consider relevant options available under the Convention to further address marine plastic litter and microplastics and develop a proposal for possible further action
- Waste containing nanomaterials



Provisional agenda (cont.) (Document UNEP/CHW/OEWG.11/1)

Consultation with the Implementation and Compliance Committee

 On the draft guidance developed by the Committee and on other matters as decided by the Committee

Legal clarity

- Provide guidance to the expert working group on the review of Annexes I, III and IV and related aspects of Annex IX to the Basel Convention
- Consider whether to review Annexes II, VIII and IX to the Convention

Basel Convention partnership programme

 Consider follow-up to PACE and progress report by Household Waste Partnership





Additional matters

Receipt of application form for the placement or removal of wastes on Annexes VIII and IX

- Received from Government of Norway on 2 June
- OEWG-11 will consider the application as it was received by the Secretariat at least three months prior to the meeting
- The Secretariat has placed the application on the website of the Basel Convention at: http://www.basel.int/TheConvention/Communications/tabid/1596/Default.aspx
- Parties are invited to comment on the application within 20 days, namely by 28 June 2018 directly to the applicant
- Applicant will make, as necessary, an addendum to the application containing answers to the questions within 20 days, and the Secretariat will make the addendum available to the Parties at least 20 days before OEWG-11

APPLICATION FORM FOR THE PLACEMENT OR REMOVAL

A. WASTE IDENTIFICATIO

Proposed wording for the placement (or replacement wording for an existing category)

1.	 Name of the waste: 			B3010 Solid Plastic Waste				
2.	Origin of the w	aste:	Industry and households					
3.	Physical form:	Solid						
4.	Major constitu	ents:	Plastic					
5.	Typical contaminants:		_ I MUSIC					
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6.	Waste Code: UN C		class	uss UN number				
	IWIC			OECD				
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	System Code,							
				BIR, ISRI, IPMI, etc.)				
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8. Hazaro	dous characteristic	s						
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	H12							
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t B of Annex IX			From list B of	X				
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