

CC-14/3/Add.3: Submission by Togo

The Committee,

Recalling decisions CC-14/3, CC-14/3/Add.1 and CC-14/3/Add.2,

Recalling also decision BC-14/15 pursuant to which resources from the implementation fund, whose allocation is recommended by the Committee to the Executive Secretary to assist Parties with undertaking activities listed in their compliance action plans as approved by the Committee, may be made available by the Secretariat to those Parties, and *noting* that such resources are subject to their continued availability,

1. *Expresses* its appreciation for the cooperation of Togo with the Committee during its fourteenth meeting;¹
2. *Expresses* also its appreciation for the cooperation of the United Nations Resident Coordinator;
3. *Regrets* the lack of transmission by Togo by 30 April 2021 of the copy of the newly adopted decree law thereby completing the activities of its approved compliance action plan;²
4. *Emphasizes* that national circumstances have impeded progress by Togo with the transmission of the copy of the newly adopted decree law thereby completing the activities of its approved compliance action plan and *urges* Togo to make the necessary efforts to finalize implementation of the remaining activities of its compliance action plan by 30 September 2022;
5. *Requests* the Secretariat to continue its communications with and support to Togo, including by participating, upon invitation and subject to the availability of resources, in the evaluation meeting of the decree law and by transmitting this decision to the Minister of Environment and Forest Resources and to the Minister of Foreign Affairs, African Integration and Togolese Abroad, and to report to the Committee as appropriate;
6. *Requests* also the Secretariat to transmit this decision and to liaise as necessary with the Basel Convention Regional Centre for Training and Technology Transfer for French-speaking countries in Africa and with the United Nations Resident Coordinator;
7. *Decides* to keep the matter relevant to the submission CHW/CC/9a/2016/1 under review.

¹ Online, 15-18 November 2021.

² UNEP/CHW/CC.14/2/Add.18/Rev.2.