

Chemicals and Waste Briefing 29 April 2016, MIE-II



Basel, Rotterdam and Stockholm Conventions Meetings

Ms. Kerstin Stendahl, Deputy Executive Secretary of the Basel, Rotterdam and Stockholm Conventions

29 April 2016

Effectiveness Evaluation of the Stockholm Convention

Ms. Anne Daniel, Chair 

First Meeting of the committee
16-18 February 2016, Geneva



- Review of the preliminary analysis for effectiveness evaluation
- Need for **additional sources of information** to support conclusions and recommendations of the committee
- Reports submitted by **30 April** will be taken into account in the committee's review of the effectiveness of the Convention

Second meeting of the committee
4-6 October 2016, Geneva

30 April 2016

Extended
deadline for submission of 3rd national reports pursuant to Article 15



to finalize effectiveness evaluation report including conclusions and recommendations as to the effectiveness of the Convention



STOCKHOLM COP-8
4-15 May 2017

To consider the effectiveness evaluation report

Tenth Meeting of the Open-ended Working Group (OEWG-10)

Mr. Jahisiah Benoit, Co-Chair  and Mr. Santiago Dávila Sena, Co-Chair 

30 May-2 June 2016, UNEP Headquarters, Nairobi, Kenya

Pre-meetings on Sunday, 29 May 2016

Back to back with UNEA-2 (23-27 May 2016) and ICC-12 (4-6 June 2016)

Funding for meeting:    



- **Strategic framework** (mid-term evaluation)
- Development of guidance on **ESM**
- Cartagena Declaration
- **Technical guidelines** on POPs waste, E-waste
- Implementation of Article 9, para 2-4
- **Legal clarity**: glossary of terms and review of Annexes I, III, IV, IX
- **PACE** follow-up, transboundary movements
- **Household waste** partnership concept

Intersessional period

- Parties/others: provide comments and information, feedback on OEWG
- WGs: revise the drafts
- Secretariat: prepare reports




BASEL COP-13

4-15 May 2017

- Adoption of technical guidelines and various guidance (ESM, legal clarity, etc)
- Partnership decisions
- OEWG work programme


Twelfth Meeting of the Basel Convention Implementation and Compliance Committee (ICC-12)

Mr. Alberto Capra, Chair 

ICC lead members:



4-6 June 2016, UNEP Headquarters, Nairobi, Kenya

Funding for meeting: 



12 specific submissions

Implementation fund:

currently supporting 6 parties implementing their compliance action plan



Review of general issues of implementation and compliance:

- National reporting
- National legislation
- Illegal traffic
- Control system
- Insurance, bond and guarantee



- Ongoing activities of the work programme supported by the Secretariat
- Regular intersessional consultations among members
- Consultations with parties and others, possibly on:
 - classification of compliance performance with national reporting,
 - guidance on the consequences of illegal traffic,
 - guidance on insurance, bond and guarantee



BASEL COP-13
4-15 May 2017

To review report and recommendations from ICC, including proposed guidance, and adopt its 2018-2019 work programme

BRS Conventions: Enhancing Cooperation and Coordination

Moore Stephens, Independent assessor

Steering Committee – COP Presidents, ESs, DES, UNEP, FAO

Synergies reviews

- Synergies arrangements
- Matrix management approach and organization
- Operation of FAO-part of the Rotterdam Convention

Interviews:
April-May-June

Surveys:
May 2016

Parties, BRS staff, Regional Centres, FAO/UNEP Regional Offices, Partners (IGOs, NGOs, Industry, Academia)

**20 JUNE
CELEBRATION**
10 years of synergies

21-23 JUNE
Global workshop on enhancing national cooperation & coordination for the implementation of BRS



COPs 4-15 May 2017

Submission of synergies review reports and Secretariat proposal in Nov 2016

2016 Forthcoming Meetings

- **2nd meeting of the Environmental Network for Optimizing Regulatory Compliance on illegal Traffic (ENFORCE)**, 3-4 May, Sao Paulo, Brazil
- **10th meeting of the Open-ended Working Group of the Basel Convention**, 30 May-2 June, Nairobi, Kenya
- **12th meeting of the Basel Convention Implementation and Compliance Committee**, 4-6 June, Nairobi, Kenya
- Meeting of the **Bureau of the Rotterdam Convention**, 14-15 June, Geneva, Switzerland
- **Enhancing national coordination and cooperation** for the implementation of the BRS conventions, 21-23 June, Geneva, Switzerland
- Meeting of the **Bureau of the Stockholm Convention**, 28-29 June, Geneva, Switzerland
- Meeting of the **Bureau of the Basel Convention**, 11-12 July, Geneva, Switzerland
- 5th meeting of the **EWG on ESM** , 13-15 July 2016, Bratislava, Slovakia
- 1st meeting of the **informal group on household waste**, 2-4 August 2016, Montevideo, Uruguay (tbc)
- **CRC-12** , 14-16 September 2016, Rome, Italy (tbc)
- **POPRC-12**, 19-23 September 2016, Rome, Italy (tbc)

