

5. Technical guidelines on incineration on land and on specially engineered landfill

1. As is mentioned in the note by the Secretariat on technical guidelines (UNEP/CHW.15/6), the following technical guidelines have been updated by the co-lead countries, in consultation with the small intersessional working group established pursuant to paragraph 6 of decision BC-13/6, for the consideration and possible adoption by the Conference of the Parties at its fifteenth meeting:
 - (a) Technical guidelines on the environmentally sound incineration of hazardous wastes and other wastes as covered by disposal operations D10 and R1 (draft updated version of 24 February 2021) (UNEP/CHW.15/6/Add.4);
 - (b) Technical guidelines on the environmentally sound disposal of hazardous wastes and other wastes in specially engineered landfill (D5) (draft updated version of 24 February 2021) (UNEP/CHW.15/6/Add.5).
2. Given that the issue pertaining to the technical guidelines is to be considered by the Conference of the Parties during the face-to-face segment of its fifteenth meeting in 2022, Parties and others are invited to provide comments on the above-mentioned technical guidelines by **29 October 2021**. The comments received by those deadlines will be made available on the Convention's website for consideration by the Conference of the Parties at its face-to-face segment.
3. The invitations for comments in relation to the above-mentioned technical guidelines are summarized below:

Topic	Document symbol	Respondents	Initial deadline	Extended/new deadline
Technical guidelines on the environmentally sound incineration of hazardous wastes and other wastes as covered by disposal operations D10 and R1	UNEP/CHW.15/6/Add.4	Parties Observers	N/A	29 October 2021
Technical guidelines on the environmentally sound disposal of hazardous wastes and other wastes in specially engineered landfill (D5)	UNEP/CHW.15/6/Add.5	Parties Observers	N/A	29 October 2021

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