## 14. Synergies in preventing and combating illegal traffic and trade in hazardous chemicals and wastes

<u>Decisions</u>: BC-15/27, RC-10/13 and SC-10/23: Synergies in preventing and combating illegal traffic and trade in hazardous chemicals and wastes

## **Background:**

In part II of the abovementioned decisions, the Conference of the Parties to the Basel Convention reminded Parties to the Convention to report cases of illegal traffic using the prescribed form for confirmed cases of illegal traffic<sup>1</sup> or through table 9 of the format for national reporting.

In part III of those decisions, the conferences of the Parties to the Basel, Rotterdam and Stockholm conventions invited Parties to the three conventions to provide best practices for preventing and combating illegal traffic and trade in hazardous chemicals and wastes covered by the conventions, including the texts of any measures that have been adopted by them for that purpose.

## Follow-up:

	Call for information	Respondents	Method of submission	Deadlines for submission
(a)	Parties to the Basel Convention are reminded to report cases of illegal traffic;	Parties	Please submit information about cases of illegal traffic using the prescribed form² or table 9 of the format for national reporting	As appropriate
(b)	Parties to the Basel, Rotterdam and Stockholm conventions are invited to provide best practices for preventing and combating illegal traffic and trade in hazardous chemicals and wastes covered by the Basel, Rotterdam and Stockholm conventions, including the texts of any measures that have been adopted by them for that purpose.	Parties	Please make submissions to the Secretariat via the contact person provided below	As appropriate

## Contact person:

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> See www.basel.int/Procedures/ReportingonIllegalTraffic/tabid/1544/Default.aspx.

 $<sup>^2\</sup> http://basel.int/Procedures/ReportingonIllegalTraffic/tabid/1544/Default.aspx.$