

7. Cooperation with the World Customs Organization on the Harmonized Commodity Description and Coding System

Decision: BC-16/8: Cooperation with the World Customs Organization on the Harmonized Commodity Description and Coding System

Background:

The Conference of the Parties invited Parties and others to provide information to the Secretariat with a view to assisting the Secretariat in facilitating the inclusion of waste covered by the Basel Convention in the Harmonized Commodity Description and Coding System pursuant to decision BC-14/9. It requested the Secretariat, among other things, to take into account the information received from Parties and others in preparing proposals to amend the Harmonized Commodity Description and Coding System to allow the identification of the types of waste set out in subparagraph 3 (a) of decision BC-14/9 and in facilitating the review of such proposals by the Harmonized System Committee and relevant subcommittees of the World Customs Organization.

Follow-up:

Call for information	Respondents	Deadlines for submission
Parties and others are invited to provide information to the Secretariat with a view to assisting it in facilitating the inclusion of waste covered by the Basel Convention in the Harmonized Commodity Description and Coding System pursuant to decision BC-14/9	Parties Others	No deadline specified; information to be submitted in response to future calls for information by the Secretariat.

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