

(8) Request for information on needs assessment

Decision: SC-6/17: Needs assessment

Background:

At its sixth meeting, the Conference of the Parties adopted decision SC-6/17 in which, among other things, it invited developed country parties, other parties and other sources, including relevant funding institutions and the private sector, to provide information to the Secretariat on ways in which they can support the Stockholm Convention. On the basis of the information to be provided pursuant to the above decision, the Secretariat has been requested to prepare a report reviewing the availability of financial resources additional to those provided through the Global Environment Facility and ways and means of mobilizing and channeling those resources in support of the objectives of the Convention, as requested by the Conference of Plenipotentiaries in resolution 2, for consideration by the Conference of the Parties at its seventh meeting.

Request:

- Developed country parties, other parties and other sources, including relevant funding institutions and the private sector, are invited to provide comments on ways in which they can support the Stockholm Convention.

Respondents:

- Developed country parties;
- Other parties;
- Other sources, including relevant funding institutions and the private sector.

Method of submission:

- All submissions are to be made to the Secretariat via the contact point provided below.

Deadline for submissions:

- **31 December 2014.**

Contact point:

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