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TO THE MONTREAL PROTOCOL ON
SUBSTANCES THAT DEplete THE
OZONE LAYER

Montreal, 15-17 September 1997

Revised timetable for the assessment, "Aviation and the Global Atmosphere"

1. The Scientific Assessment Panel was requested by the Seventh Meeting of the Parties in its decision VII/34: Assessment Panels, paragraph 3, (b), "An Assessment of other aspects of ozone changes, such as the impacts of aircraft emissions, and the role of ozone changes in the alteration of the global climate system, with particular attention to the need for adequate information in the southern hemisphere. The Panel is requested to work as appropriate with the International Civil Aviation Organization and the Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change."
 2. The Seventh Meeting of the Parties in the same decision also requested the three Assessment Panels in paragraph 2 to update their reports of November 1994 and submit them to the Secretariat by the 31st October 1998 for consideration by the Open-ended Working Group and by the Eleventh Meeting of the Parties to the Montreal Protocol in 1999.
 3. The four Co-chairs of the Scientific Assessment Panel in a memorandum dated 31st August 1997, have stated that the completion of the Special Report: "Aviation and the Global Atmosphere" can be accomplished only by March 1999 while the other parts of their Assessment report will be ready by October 1998, as decided.
 4. Parties may wish to consider the request for more time for the preparation of the document "Aviation and the Global Atmosphere" in the light of this information.
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