

## **Display of information about methyl bromide alternatives at international Montreal Protocol meeting**

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**Request for suppliers to send display materials about their products  
- methyl bromide alternatives -  
for display at 17<sup>th</sup> Meeting of the Parties to the Montreal Protocol  
12-16 December 2005, Dakar, Senegal**

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### **Display about alternative products**

Companies are invited to send information materials for a display about alternatives to ozone-depleting substances such as methyl bromide. Alternatively, companies may come to the meeting and set up their own displays of products and information if they wish. There is no charge for display space.

The display will take place in Dakar, Senegal, on 12 - 16 December 2005, at Le Méridien Président Dakar Conference Centre, to coincide with international meetings of the Vienna Convention for the Protection of the Ozone Layer (called the 7<sup>th</sup> Conference of the Parties) and the Montreal Protocol on Substances that Deplete the Ozone Layer (17<sup>th</sup> Meeting of the Parties).

### **Tell us if you plan to send information**

Please inform Ms Ruth Batten, by 30 November 2005, if you plan to send (or bring) information materials - send an email to [ruth.batten@unep.org](mailto:ruth.batten@unep.org) with a copy to Dr Melanie Miller (email: [melanie.miller@skynet.be](mailto:melanie.miller@skynet.be)) and Ms. Martha Leyva (email: [martha.leyva@unep.org](mailto:martha.leyva@unep.org), fax: + 254 20 62 4691/4692/4693, tel: + 254 20 62 5129).

### **What type of information to send?**

Display materials can include any of the following: commercial product leaflets, flyers, brochures, website details, business cards, posters, CDs, photos with captions, diagrams, or any other materials that explain your products or services. Examples of useful information:

- description of your product or product range (relevant to methyl bromide alternatives)
- list of crops/uses and pest species for which your product is suitable
- list of countries and crops/uses where your product is registered and/or used
- data on crop yields or results of alternatives compared to methyl bromide
- cost of alternative system, compared to methyl bromide
- examples (or case studies) about farms or companies who use your products
- lists of suppliers and/or website details

The meeting participants are mainly government policy officers from many countries of the world. A number of agricultural specialists will also attend, as well as international agencies that implement projects for phasing out methyl bromide in developing countries.

**Dates**

The display will run from 9am Monday 12 December and is expected to finish around 6pm Friday, 16 December. Please ensure your information materials arrive at the Conference Centre building by Friday 9 December, so we can set up the display on 11 December. If you decide to come to the meeting in person, you can set up your own display from 10am Saturday 10 December.

**Address for shipping goods for display**

Attn: Mr Cheikh Ndiaye Sylla  
Direction de l'Environnement et Etablissements Classés  
106, Rue Carnot Dakar 1er étage  
BP: 6557 Dakar Etoile  
Senegal  
Tel. +221 822 62 11

Mark all packages as follows:

**Information for display only – no commercial value**  
**For Conference: 17th Meeting of the Parties to the Montreal Protocol**  
**Le Méridien Président Hotel, 12 to 16 December 2005**

**Facilities**

The display will be in the foyer of Le Méridien Président Dakar Conference Centre, near the conference internet café and main room where the Montreal Protocol meeting takes place. The display will be set up on display boards (approx. 140 x 90 cms) and tables (approx. 180 x 90 cms). Alternatively, companies can bring their own display boards, lights, booths, etc, if they wish. Booths of about 2 x 1.5 meters can be set up, but smaller pop-up displays are preferable because they take less space.

**If you intend to come in person, pre-registration is necessary**

Company representatives that intend to come to Dakar need to register before the meeting using the Pre-Registration Form, as soon as possible. The Pre-Registration form is found on the Ozone Secretariat website:

[www.unep.org/ozone](http://www.unep.org/ozone)

One form must be completed for each person. Industry and other non-government participants are classified as 'Observers'.

**Venue for display**

Le Méridien Président Dakar Conference Centre  
Route des Almadies, BP : 8181  
Dakar  
Senegal  
Tel +221 869 69 69  
Fax +221 869 69 24 (Attn. Ruth Batten).

If you wish to attend the meeting, it is necessary to pre-register (see section above) and bring passports to gain entry to the conference building. Security at the conference is normally strict.

**Website for meeting details, accommodation, etc.**

Information about the meeting, documentation and hotel details can be downloaded from the website of the Ozone Secretariat:

[www.unep.org/ozone](http://www.unep.org/ozone)

**Contact**

Ms Ruth Batten at the Ozone Secretariat (the secretariat of the Montreal Protocol) is responsible for all administrative and organizational aspects of the meeting.

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