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THE MONTREAL PROTOCOL ON SUBSTANCES THAT  
DEplete THE OZONE LAYER

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List of those Parties that do not wish to receive products and equipment whose continuing functioning relies on substances in Annexes A and B of the Montreal Protocol

Pursuant to paragraph 5 of decision X/9 of the Tenth Meeting of the Parties to the Montreal Protocol the secretariat is circulating for the information of the Parties, as an annex to the present document, the list of those parties that do not wish to receive products and equipment whose continuing functioning relies on substances in Annexes A and B of the Montreal Protocol.

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Algeria

Antigua and Barbuda – does not want to import vehicles, equipment and other systems which use ODS in their operations from Japan, Taiwan, Republic of Korea, Malaysia, Hong Kong, Indonesia, Singapore, Mexico, Brazil and Venezuela.

Argentina -Does not wish to import aerosol products whose functioning relies on Annex A substances for their propulsion, except for medical uses and cleaning of electronic circuits. By law 24040 the production of aerosols dependent on Annex A substances is prohibited since December 1993, except for the uses mentioned above.

Australia - except portable fire extinguishers where:

- (a) the product is essential for medical, veterinary, defence, industrial safety or public safety purposes; and no practical alternative exists to the use of scheduled substances in the operation or manufacture, as the case requires, of the product if it is to continue to be effective for such a purpose;
- (b) because of the requirements of a law concerning the manufacture or use of the product, there is no practical alternatives to the use of the scheduled substances in the operation or manufacture, as the case requires, of the product; or
- (c) the product is for use in conjunction with the calibration or scientific, measuring or safety equipment.

Azerbaijan

Bahrain

Brazil

Bulgaria

Canada

China

Does not wish to import aerosol products except for medical use or other uses which have no alternatives up to now and whose continuing functioning relies on Annex A and Annex B substances.

Comoros

Republic of Congo

Cote d'Ivoire

Costa Rica

Croatia

Czech Republic

Denmark

Dominican Republic – does not wish to import “domestic and/or commercial refrigeration and air conditioning/heat pump equipment (when containing controlled substances listed in Annex A or Annex B as a refrigerant and/or in insulating material of the product)....”

Egypt

El Salvador – Does not wish to import aerosol products except for medical use.

European Community

Fiji

Hungary

Indonesia

Jamaica

Jordan

Kuwait – excluding spare parts or any future maintenance needs for existing

equipment in the country.

- Luxembourg
- Madagascar
- Malawi – except used air-conditioned vehicles
- Malaysia
- Monaco
- New Zealand
- Norway
- Pakistan
- Romania
- Russian Federation
- Saint Kitts & Nevis
- Saint Lucia – including motor vehicles
- Seychelles
- Slovakia
- South Africa
- Sri Lanka
- Syrian Arab Republic
- Tunisia – except aerosol for medical use
- Tuvalu
- Yemen

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