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Proposed amendments to the Montreal Protocol

**Communication submitted by the Government of the Philippines
with regard to a proposed amendment to the Montreal Protocol**

Note by the Secretariat

At the request of the Government of the Philippines, the Secretariat is circulating, in the annex to the present note, the Government's communication to the Secretariat that relates to the phase-down of hydrofluorocarbons as embodied in the amendment proposal submitted by the Federated States of Micronesia in April 2010 (UNEP/OzL.Pro.22/6). The communication is being circulated as received, without formal editing, for the information of the Twenty-Second Meeting of the Parties.

* UNEP/OzL.Pro.22/1.

Annex



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SUBJECT: NOTIFICATION OF CO-SPONSORSHIP

Dear Mr. Gonzales:

Warm greetings from the Philippine Islands.

The Philippines respectfully submits this Notification that it supports and joins the Island Nations as Co-Sponsor of the Proposal to amend and strengthen the Montreal Protocol. The details of said proposal to phase down the production and consumption of HFC gases are embodied in the FSM 2010 Proposal submitted to your good office last April 29, 2010.

May we respectfully request that this Notification of Co-sponsorship submitted by the Philippines be circulated to the other member states of the Montreal Protocol, especially to the Island Nations and other Article 5 Parties.

Thank you for your attention.

Sincerely,

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Vice-Chair to the President
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