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**Twenty-Fourth Meeting of the Parties to
the Montreal Protocol on Substances
that Deplete the Ozone Layer**
Geneva, 12–16 November 2012

Provisional agenda

I. Preparatory segment (12–14 November 2012)

1. Opening of the preparatory segment:
 - (a) Statements by representative(s) of the Government of Switzerland;
 - (b) Statements by representative(s) of the United Nations Environment Programme.
2. Organizational matters:
 - (a) Adoption of the agenda of the preparatory segment;
 - (b) Organization of work.
3. Administrative matters:
 - (a) Consideration of membership of Montreal Protocol bodies for 2013;
 - (b) Financial reports of the trust funds and budgets for the Montreal Protocol.
4. Issues related to exemptions from Article 2 of the Montreal Protocol:
 - (a) Nominations for essential-use exemptions for 2013;
 - (b) Nominations for critical-use exemptions for 2014;
 - (c) Quarantine and pre-shipment issues;
 - (d) Feedstock uses.
5. Additional information on alternatives to ozone-depleting substances.
6. Procedural issues related to the Technology and Economic Assessment Panel and its subsidiary bodies.
7. Proposal on trade of controlled substances with ships sailing under a foreign flag.
8. Investigation of carbon tetrachloride discrepancy.
9. Evaluation of the financial mechanism of the Montreal Protocol.
10. Proposal on clean production of HCFC-22 through by-product emission control.
11. Proposal on additional funding for the Multilateral Fund for the Implementation of the Montreal Protocol to maximize the climate benefit of the accelerated phase-out of hydrochlorofluorocarbons.
12. Proposal on funding of production facilities for hydrochlorofluorocarbons.

13. Proposal on the review by the Scientific Assessment Panel of RC-316c.
14. Proposal on the implications of the outcome document of the United Nations Conference on Sustainable Development for small island developing States with regard to the implementation of the Montreal Protocol.
15. Proposed amendments to the Montreal Protocol.
16. Compliance and data reporting issues:
 - (a) Proposal on the differences between data reported on imports and data reported on exports;
 - (b) Presentation on and consideration of the work and recommended decisions forwarded by the Implementation Committee under the Non-Compliance Procedure for the Montreal Protocol.
17. Other matters.

II. High-level segment (15 and 16 November 2012)

1. Opening of the high-level segment:
 - (a) Statements by representative(s) of the Government of Switzerland;
 - (b) Statements by representative(s) of the United Nations Environment Programme;
 - (c) Marking the twenty-fifth anniversary of the Montreal Protocol;
 - (d) Statement by the President of the Twenty-Third Meeting of the Parties to the Montreal Protocol.
 2. Organizational matters:
 - (a) Election of officers for the Twenty-Fourth Meeting of the Parties to the Montreal Protocol;
 - (b) Adoption of the agenda of the Twenty-Fourth Meeting of the Parties to the Montreal Protocol;
 - (c) Organization of work;
 - (d) Credentials of representatives.
 3. Status of ratification of the Vienna Convention for the Protection of the Ozone Layer, the Montreal Protocol and the amendments to the Montreal Protocol.
 4. Presentations by the assessment panels on the status of their work, including the latest developments.
 5. Presentation by the Chair of the Executive Committee of the Multilateral Fund for the Implementation of the Montreal Protocol on the work of the Executive Committee, the Multilateral Fund secretariat and the Fund's implementing agencies.
 6. Statements by heads of delegation.
 7. Report by the co-chairs of the preparatory segment and consideration of the decisions recommended for adoption by the Twenty-Fourth Meeting of the Parties.
 8. Dates and venue for the Twenty-Fifth Meeting of the Parties to the Montreal Protocol.
 9. Other matters.
 10. Adoption of decisions by the Twenty-Fourth Meeting of the Parties to the Montreal Protocol.
 11. Adoption of the report of the Twenty-Fourth Meeting of the Parties to the Montreal Protocol.
 12. Closure of the meeting.
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