

**Open-ended Working Group of the Basel Convention
on the Control of Transboundary Movements of
Hazardous Wastes and Their Disposal**

Tenth meeting

Nairobi, 30 May–2 June 2016

Agenda item 3 (d) (i)

**Matters related to the work programme of the
Open-ended Working Group for 2016–2017:
international cooperation and coordination:
Basel Convention Partnership Programme**

**Draft decision OEWG-10/[...]: Partnership for Action on
Computing Equipment**

Submission by the strategic matters contact group

The Open-ended Working Group

1. *Takes note* of the progress made in the implementation of the Partnership for Action on Computing Equipment, including the draft revised section 3 of the guidance document¹ and the draft concept for a follow-up partnership to the Partnership for Action on Computing Equipment;²
2. *Invites* parties and others to submit comments on the draft revised section 3 of the guidance document and the draft concept for a follow-up partnership referred to in paragraph 1 of the present decision to the Secretariat by 15 September 2016;
3. *Requests* the Partnership Working Group to revise section 3 of the guidance document, taking into account comments made during the tenth meeting of the Open-ended Working Group and comments submitted pursuant to paragraph 2 of the present decision, for submission to the Conference of the Parties at its thirteenth meeting for its consideration and possible adoption;
4. *Requests* the Partnership Working Group to revise the draft concept for a follow-up partnership, taking into account comments made during the tenth meeting of the Open-ended Working Group and comments submitted pursuant to paragraph 2 of the present decision, for submission to the Conference of the Parties at its thirteenth meeting for its consideration;
5. *Requests* the Secretariat to prepare a draft decision on the establishment of a follow-up partnership for consideration by the Conference of the Parties at its thirteenth meeting;
6. *Takes note* of the manual on steps to establish and implement environmentally sound management of used and end-of-life computing equipment and encourages parties and others, particularly countries where environmentally sound management is not fully established, to use it.

¹ UNEP/CHW/OEWG.10/INF/13, annex I.

² UNEP/CHW/OEWG.10/INF/13, annex II.