

Decision 2013/20

Concerning compliance by the European Union with its obligations to report projections

The Executive Body,

Acting under paragraph 11 of the structure and functions of the Implementation Committee and the procedures for review (ECE/EB.AIR/113/Add.1, decision 2012/25, annex),

1. *Takes note* of the sixteenth report of the Implementation Committee with respect to compliance by Parties with their emission reporting obligations under the protocols to the Convention on Long-range Transboundary Air Pollution, identified on the basis of information provided by the Centre on Emission Inventories and Projections (ECE/EB.AIR/2013/3, paras. 52–90, and informal document No. 1, table 7);

2. *Notes with regret* that the European Union has not reported projections data for sulphur, nitrogen oxides, volatile organic compounds and ammonia for the years 2015 and 2020 under the Protocol to Abate Acidification, Eutrophication and Ground-level Ozone (Gothenburg Protocol);

3. *Urges* the European Union to provide its missing projections data for 2015 and 2020 under the Gothenburg Protocol;

4. *Reminds* the European Union of the importance of not only complying fully with its emission reporting obligations under the Protocols, but also of submitting the final and complete data on time;

5. *Requests* the Implementation Committee to review the progress made by the European Union with regard to their reporting obligations for projections data for the years 2015 and 2020 under the Gothenburg Protocol, and to report to it thereon at its thirty-third session in 2014.
