REPORT OF THE IMPLEMENTATION COMMITTEE

MANFRED RITTER, DECEMBER 2021
AGENDA

➢ Context

➢ Main Findings
  – Emission Reduction Obligations
  – Reporting Obligations

➢ Recommendations
Members

(1) Belgium (Wendy Altobello, legal expert)
(2) Canada (Catherine Bloodworth, legal expert)
(3) Croatia (Kritina Tekic, legal expert)
(4) Estonia (Marek Maasikment, technical expert)
(5) Norway (Alice Gaudstad, technical expert)
(6) Serbia (Nebojsa Redzic, technical expert)
(7) Spain (Maria Jose Alonso Maya, technical expert)
(8) Sweden (Petra Hagström, technical expert)
(9) Austria (Manfred Ritter, chair, technical expert)

Mandate

Decision 2012/25 and 2019/2 provides structures and functions of the Implementation Committee and specifies in IV(3) a & b that the IC shall:

- review compliance with the reporting requirements of the protocols to the Convention
- consider any submission or referrals [...] with a view to securing a constructive solution, with the exception, from 2022 onwards, of ongoing or new submissions or referrals of possible non-compliance by a Party to the 1999 Protocol to Abate Acidification, Eutrophication and Ground-level Ozone, as amended on 4 May 2012, with one of its 2010 emission ceilings set out in table 1 of annex II to that Protocol. Such submissions or referrals will no longer be considered.”
MAIN FINDINGS:
EMISSION REDUCTIONS & REPORTING OBLIGATIONS

HM-Protocol (Cd)
- **LIE**: 2022 - Wood Combustion
- **NLD**: closed – recalc./method.
- **SVK**: closed – copper prod. Measure

NOx-Protocol / S-Protocol
- **ALB**: NOx closed – base year
- **MKD**: S 2023 – desulfurization measures

POPs-Protocol (PAH, HCB)
- **LIE**: PAH closed, HCB 2022 – inspection & info campaign
- **FIN**: PAH 2023 – wood & sauna stoves
- **ESP**: PAH closed – open waste burning SR: PAH 2022 – time series consistency
- **LUX**: 2022 – secondary iron/steel
- **SRB**: 2022 – time series consistency

Reporting Obligations
- **Gridded Data**: Republic of Moldovia, Liechtenstein, Montenegro, Serbia, Romania
- **Projections**: North Macedonia
RECOMMENDATIONS

Focus: was on non-GP referrals
Cases: five, six to carry-on
Decisions: non proposed

Thank you for your attention!
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