

Plan of action for decision VII/8a (Armenia)

Through paragraph 4 (a) of decision VII/8a concerning the compliance of Armenia, the Meeting of the Parties to the Aarhus Convention has requested the Party concerned to submit a plan of action, including a time schedule, to the Committee by 1 July 2022 regarding the implementation of the recommendations contained in that decision.

The text of decision VII/8a is available at: <https://unece.org/env/pp/cc/decision-vii8a-concerning-armenia>

In preparing its plan of action, the Party concerned was invited by the Compliance Committee to take into account the Committee's information note for Parties on preparing their plan of action. The Committee's information note, which contains step-by-step guidance for Parties on how to complete their plan of action, is available at: <https://unece.org/env/pp/cc/implementation-decisions-meeting-parties-compliance-individual-parties>

A. Description of the process by which the plan of action has been prepared

B. General character of the measures that will be needed to implement the recommendations in the MOP decision

C. Detailed plan of action	
Recommendation: Para. 2 (a) of decision VII/8a	In paragraph 2 (a) of decision VII/8a, the Meeting of the Parties requests the Party concerned, as a matter of urgency, to take the necessary legislative, regulatory and administrative measures to ensure that: (a) Thresholds for activities subject to an environmental impact assessment procedure, including public participation, are set in a clear manner;
Proposed measures to fulfil recommendation	
Outline of the steps necessary to implement the proposed measures	
Actors involved	
Final date by when implementation of recommendation will be completed	

Recommendation: Para. 2 (b) of decision VII/8a	<p>In paragraph 2 (b) of decision VII/8a, the Meeting of the Parties requests the Party concerned, as a matter of urgency, to take the necessary legislative, regulatory and administrative measures to ensure that:</p> <p>(b) Reasonable time frames that are significantly longer than those currently provided for are set for the public to consult and comment on project-related documentation;</p>
Proposed measures to fulfil recommendation	
Outline of the steps necessary to implement the proposed measures	
Actors involved	
Final date by when implementation of recommendation will be completed	

Recommendation: Para. 2 (c) of decision VII/8a	<p>In paragraph 2 (c) of decision VII/8a, the Meeting of the Parties requests the Party concerned, as a matter of urgency, to take the necessary legislative, regulatory and administrative measures to ensure that:</p> <p>(c) Its legislation, including the law on non-governmental organizations and administrative procedures, complies with article 9 (2) of the Convention with regard to standing;</p>
Proposed measures to fulfil recommendation	
Outline of the steps necessary to implement the proposed measures	
Actors involved	
Final date by when implementation of recommendation will be completed	

Recommendation: Para. 2 (d) of decision VII/8a	<p>In paragraph 2 (d) of decision VII/8a, the Meeting of the Parties requests the Party concerned, as a matter of urgency, to take the necessary legislative, regulatory and administrative measures to ensure that:</p> <p>(d) It continues its efforts to raise awareness of the judiciary to promote implementation of domestic legislation in accordance with the Convention;</p>
Proposed measures to fulfil recommendation	
Outline of the steps necessary to implement the proposed measures	
Actors involved	
Final date by when implementation of recommendation will be completed	