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Convention on the Transboundary Effects of Industrial Accidents

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Conference of the Parties
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Item 5. Financing

**Tour-de-table: Parties’
strategic dialogue on
enhancing commitments
and future-proofing the
Convention**

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Convention**



- a. Which commitments and financial or in-kind contribution can your country make in order to support implementation of the vision and objectives set out in the **long-term strategy until 2030**, in particular considering the Convention's evolution and coverage of emerging issues and trends, such as the energy transition, Natch risk management, and disaster risk governance?
- b. As a Party, how can your country contribute in a **fair and equitable manner** to the Convention's trust fund, supporting efforts to enhance the **sustainability and predictability of financing**, in line with the sustainable financial mechanism and decision 2018/2 fostering its implementation?
- c. What **concrete pledges** can your country make **to support implementation of the 2025–2026 workplan**, and thus enable the support of the Convention's continued functioning and evolution?

Based on review of past 3 bienniums (2019-20, 2021-22 and 2023-24), and good practices, grouping of Parties and member States / partners during Roundtable, in the followign **6 rounds**:

1. Largest financial donors

who provided regular annual and additional earmarked contributions

2. Regular financial donors

who provided contributions during each biennium

3. Occasional financial donors

4. In-kind donors

5. Parties that have not yet had the opportunity to contribute

6. Partner orgnaizations

Round 1: Largest financial donors

Switzerland



France



European Union



Norway



The Netherlands





Austria

Bulgaria

Croatia

Cyprus

Czechia

Finland

Germany

Italy

Lithuania

Romania

Slovenia

Serbia



Round 3: Occasional financial donors, thus far



Hungary



Kazakhstan (pledge)

North Macedonia

Montenegro



Poland

Russian Federation



Slovakia

Sweden



Round 4: *Member States* *thus far contributing in-kind only*

Armenia



Republic of



Ukraine



Azerbaijan



Moldova

United Kingdom



Tajikistan



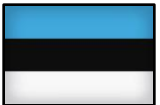
Belarus



Belgium



Estonia



Georgia



Kyrgyzstan



Portugal



Sub-Regional Workshop on land-use planning and industrial safety for Eastern Europe and the Caucasus, May 2019, Republic of Moldova



Mission to support the accession of Georgia to the Convention, November 2023



Third Meeting of the Inter-Institutional Working Group on Tailings Safety and Prevention of Accidental Water Pollution in Tajikistan, May 2024

Round 5: Member States which have not yet had the opportunity to contribute financially or in-kind...



Round 6: *Partner organizations*



The Conference of the Parties :

- Recalled decision 2018/2:
 - a. Urged **all Parties to contribute** to the sustainable funding of activities so as to share the burden equitably and proportionately
 - b. Encouraged the Parties to make **predictable, and preferably multi-year**, sustainable funding pledges prior to the adoption of the annual workplans
 - c. Strongly urged Parties that have **not yet made any** financial or in-kind contributions to do so in the future
 - d. Encouraged Parties that have previously made financial or in-kind contributions to continue providing such contributions **and consider increasing them**, particularly where the contributions made are at a level below the economic strength
 - e. Requested Parties to make contributions **as early as possible** in the budget year, or if feasible, at the end of the preceding year
 - f. Encouraged Parties, bearing in mind that **each contribution carries an administrative transaction cost**, to consider making larger contributions, for example, by grouping payments or increasing their amount, for example by contributing a **minimum amount of \$1,000**,
 - g. Also encouraged Parties to make contributions from **various financial sources** within the national budgets