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DRAFT QUESTIONNAIRE ON STRATEGIES AND POLICIES FOR THE 2004 COMPLIANCE REVIEW

Note prepared by the secretariat

Addendum

Draft questions

QUESTIONNAIRE ON STRATEGIES AND POLICIES FOR THE 2004 COMPLIANCE REVIEW

- 1. The objective of the 2004 questionnaire and compliance review is to provide, together with emission data and other information, a basis for the Implementation Committee to review compliance of Parties, as a whole and individually, with their obligations under the protocols to the Convention on Long-range Transboundary Air Pollution.
- 2. The questionnaire consists of 40 questions, directly related to the protocols currently in force, excluding the EMEP Protocol. Each section contains questions related to the reporting requirements of one protocol. The questionnaire addresses reporting on strategies, policies and programmes, best available technologies, limit values, standards, and other information required under the protocols. For background information on the structure and content of the questionnaire, please refer to EB.AIR/2003/2.
- 3. You are encouraged to keep replies brief and to the point, bearing in mind that the secretariat will need to summarize them for a report for consideration by the Implementation Committee and the Executive Body. If your reply involves cross-referencing to answers to other questions, please indicate clearly which answers or parts of answers you are referring to.
- 4. The questionnaire will be available on the Internet from 31 January 2004, with **replies due by 31**March 2004. The secretariat can provide it by electronic mail or on hard copy. The questionnaire makes reference to specific articles and annexes to the protocols. The full text of the Convention and its protocols can be found on the UNECE web site: www.unece.org/env/lrtap..

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person	who could help the secretariat should it have specific questions concerning the answers provided
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The Executive Body of the Convention asked the Head of Delegation of each Party to ensure that a single national report is completed by <u>31 March 2004.</u>

QUESTIONNAIRE ON STRATEGIES AND POLICIES FOR AIR POLLUTION ABATEMENT:

(2004 COMPLIANCE REVIEW)

Parties to the 1979 Convention on Long-range Transboundary Air Pollution

Armenia, Austria, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Belgium, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Canada, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Georgia, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Monaco, Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Republic of Moldova, Romania, Russian Federation, Serbia and Montenegro, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Turkey, Ukraine, United Kingdom, United States, European Community.

SECTION 1. THE 1985 SULPHUR PROTOCOL

Parties: Austria, Belarus, Belgium, Bulgaria, Canada, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Hungary, Italy, Liechtenstein, Luxembourg, Netherlands, Norway, Russian Federation, Slovakia, Sweden, Switzerland, Ukraine.

<u>Note</u>: When referring to European Union directives, please give the exact reference (title and symbol) of the directive and, if applicable, relevant amendments; explain how the directive satisfies the question and indicate whether the directive has been transposed into national law and has been implemented, with a reference to the respective legislation.

Q.1 As required by article 6 of the Protocol, provide information on your country's national strategies, policies and programmes that specifically address the reduction of sulphur emissions. You may wish to refer to your answer to question 18 in section 4 below.

SECTION 2. THE 1988 NITROGEN OXIDES PROTOCOL

Parties: Austria, Belarus, Belgium, Bulgaria, Canada, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Liechtenstein, Luxembourg, Netherlands, Norway, Russian Federation, Slovakia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Ukraine, United Kingdom, United States, and European Community.

<u>Note 1:</u> When referring to European Union directives, please give the exact reference (title and symbol) of the directive and, if applicable, relevant amendments; explain how the directive satisfies the question and indicate whether the directive has been transposed into national law and implemented, with a reference to the respective legislation.

<u>Note 2</u>: When providing information on national emission standards or emission limit values for NOx, please indicate: the numerical value; whether they have been transposed into national law and implemented, with a reference to the respective legislation. When providing a list of NOx source categories, please clarify whether these are actually used as major source categories in your country.

<u>Note 3</u>: When providing information in tables, please use the format below, including reference to your country under "Party" to avoid errors.

- **Q.2** Provide information, as required by article 8, paragraph 1, on national strategies, policies and programmes developed in accordance with article 7 that specifically address the control and reduction of emissions of nitrogen oxides or their transboundary fluxes, including progress achieved under them and any changes made to them.
- Q.3 Provide information, as required by article 8, paragraph 1 (b), and article 2, paragraph 2 (a), on progress made in applying national emission standards to the new and substantially modified stationary sources. In your reply, list the source categories in your country that are considered to be major stationary source categories under the Protocol, taking into account its technical annex and article 1 (Definitions). For each source category, state the national emission standards applied or to be applied, the units and statistical treatment, and the pollution control measures applied. For standards to be applied, please indicate when they will come into effect. You are encouraged to use the table format suggested below.

PARTY:			
Major stationary source categories for NOx	National emission standards for NOx from new and substantially modified stationary sources	Units & statistical treatment ^{1/}	Pollution control measures and year applied or to be applied 2/

^{1/} The statistical treatment can be a percentile (e.g. 95 percentile), a daily average, a monthly average, etc.

Q.4 Provide information, as required by article 8, paragraph 1 (b), and article 2, paragraph 2 (b), on the progress made in applying national emission standards to new mobile sources. In your reply, list the new mobile source categories in your country that are considered to be major source categories under the Protocol, taking into consideration its technical annex and article 1 (Definitions). For each category, state the standards applied or to be applied, the units and statistical treatment, and the pollution control measures applied. For standards to be applied, please indicate when they will come into effect. You are encouraged to use the table format suggested below.

PARTY:						
New mobile source category/class for NOx			Pollution control measures applied ^{1/}	Comments e.g. reference to EC directive, applied test cycle		
NOX	Petrol	Diesel		test cycle		

^{1/} Refer to Table 2 in the technical annex (amended 23 June 1995) to the 1998 Nitrogen Oxides Protocol concerning control technologies for NOx emissions from mobile sources.

Q.5 Provide information, as required by article 8, paragraph 1 (c), and article 2, paragraph 2 (c), on progress made in introducing pollution control measures for the existing sources in the major stationary source categories, including measures introduced or to be introduced, taking into account the technical annex to the Protocol. In your reply, list the source categories in your country that are considered to be major stationary source categories under the Protocol, taking into account its technical annex and article 1 (Definitions) and the measures applied to each source category. For planned measures, please indicate the year they will be introduced.

^{2/} Refer to the technical annex to the 1988 Nitrogen Oxides Protocol concerning control technologies for NOx emissions from stationary sources.

PARTY:			
Major existing stationary source	Pollution control measures applied 1/	If national emiss applicable:	ion standards are
categories for NOx			Units & statistical treatment ^{2/}

Q.6	Provide informat	ion, as required by article 8, paragraph 1 (d), on progress made in making
unleade	ed petrol available	. Has your country phased out the use of leaded petrol for on-road vehicles?
Yes		No

If not, when do you expect to phase out leaded petrol?

If not, please also report on the availability of unleaded petrol, in particular along the main international transit routes, and the percentage of total sales in terms of mass or volume of leaded and unleaded petrol.

- **Q.7** Provide information, as required by article 8, paragraph 1 (e), on measures taken to facilitate the exchange of technology related to the reduction and control of emissions of nitrogen oxides.
- **Q.8** Provide information, as required by article 8, paragraph 1 (f), on progress made in establishing critical loads. Have you provided critical loads data to the Convention's Working Group on Effects as part of its mapping programme?

^{1/} Refer to the technical annex (amended 23 June 1995) to the 1988 Nitrogen Oxides Protocol concerning technologies for NOx emissions from stationary sources.

^{2/} The statistical treatment can be a percentile (e.g. 95 percentile), a daily average, a monthly average, etc.

SECTION 3. THE 1991 VOC PROTOCOL

Parties: Austria, Belgium, Bulgaria, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Hungary, Italy, Liechtenstein, Luxembourg, Monaco, Netherlands, Norway, Slovakia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, United Kingdom.

Note 1: Question 9 applies only to Parties that have chosen article 2, paragraph 2 (a). The Parties that have chosen 1988 as their base year are: Austria, Belgium, Bulgaria, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Hungary, Netherlands, Spain, Sweden, and United Kingdom. Parties that have chosen article 2, paragraph 2 (a), but another year as their base year are: Czech Republic (1990), Denmark (1985), Italy (1990), Liechtenstein (1984), Luxembourg (1990), Monaco (1990), Slovakia (1990) and Switzerland (1984). It is probable that non-Parties (except those listed under 9bis and 9ter) will choose this option when they ratify the VOC Protocol. They may, therefore, wish to respond to question 9.

<u>Note 2</u>: When referring to European Union directives, please give the exact reference (title and symbol) of the directive and, if applicable, relevant amendments; explain how the directive satisfies the question and indicate whether the directive has been transposed into national law and has been implemented, with a reference to the respective legislation.

<u>Note 3</u>: When providing information on national emission standards or emission limit values, please indicate the numerical value; whether they have been transposed into national law and have been implemented, with a reference to the respective legislation. When providing a list of VOC source categories, please clarify whether these are actually used as major source categories in your country.

<u>Note 4</u>: When providing information in tables, please use the format below, including reference to your country under "Party" to avoid errors.

Q.9 Provide information, as required by article 8, paragraph 1, on national strategies, policies and programmes developed in accordance with article 7 that specifically address the control and reduction of VOC emissions or their transboundary fluxes, including progress achieved under them and any changes made to them. Article 2, paragraph 2 (a), requires effective measures to be taken to reduce the national annual VOC emissions by at least 30 per cent by the year 1999, using the 1988 level as a basis. If your country has specified another year upon signature or accession, use that year as a basis.

<u>Note 5</u>: This option (question 9 bis) applies to **Norway**, which is a Party, and to **Canada**, which is a non-Party. Norway specified the 1989 level as its basis for its TOMA and Canada chose 1988.

Q.9(bis) Provide information, as required by article 8, paragraph 1, on national strategies, policies and programmes developed in accordance with article 7 that specifically address the control and reduction of VOC emissions or their transboundary fluxes, including progress achieved under them and any changes made to them. Article 2, paragraph 2 (b), requires measures to be taken to reduce annual VOC emissions in the TOMA (as described in annex I) by at least 30 per cent by the year 1999, using the 1988 level (or 1989 as the case may be) as a basis.

Note 6: This option (question 9 ter) applies to **Greece**, which is a non-Party.

Q.9(ter) Provide information, as required by article 8, paragraph 1, on national strategies, policies and programmes developed in accordance with article 7 that specifically address the control and reduction of VOC emissions or their transboundary fluxes, including progress achieved under them and any changes made to them. Article 2, paragraph 2 (c), requires effective measures to be taken to ensure that by 1999 the national annual VOC emissions do not exceed their 1988 level.

Q.10 Provide information, as required by article 8, paragraph 2 (b), and article 2, paragraph 3 (a) (i), on the application of appropriate national or international emission standards to control and reduce VOC emissions from new stationary sources. In your reply, list the source categories in your country that are considered to be major new stationary source categories under the Protocol, taking into account its annex II and article 1 (Definitions). For each source category, state the emission standards applied or to be applied, the units and statistical treatment, and the pollution control measures required for the new sources, taking into account annex II to the Protocol. For standards to be applied, please indicate when they will come into effect. You are encouraged to use the table format suggested below.

PARTY:			
Major new stationary source categories for VOCs	Emission standards for VOCs from new stationary sources	Units & statistical treatment ^{1/}	Pollution control measures and year applied or to be applied ^{2/}

^{1/} The statistical treatment can be a percentile (e.g. 95 percentile), a daily average, a monthly average, etc.

^{2/} Refer to annex II to the 1991 VOC Protocol concerning control measures for emissions of VOCs from stationary sources.

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Q.11 Provide information, as required by article 8, paragraph 2 (b), and article 2, paragraph 3 (b) (i), on progress made in applying measures to control and reduce VOC emissions from the existing stationary sources. In your reply, list the source categories in your country that are considered to be major stationary source categories under the Protocol, taking into account its annex II and article 1 (Definitions). For each source category, state the techniques/technologies applied or to be applied, taking into account annex II to the Protocol. For the technologies to be applied, please state the year they will be applied.

PARTY:			
Major existing stationary source categories for VOCs	Emission standards for VOCs from existing stationary sources	Units & statistical treatment ^{1/}	Pollution control measures and year applied or to be applied ^{2/}

^{1/} The statistical treatment can be a percentile (e.g. 95 percentile), a daily average, a monthly average, etc.

Q.12 Provide information, as required by article 8, paragraph 2 (b), and article 2, paragraph 3 (b) (ii), on progress made in introducing techniques to reduce VOC emissions from petrol distribution and motor vehicle refuelling operations and to reduce the volatility of petrol, taking into account annexes II and III to the Protocol.

Q.13 Provide information, as required by article 8, paragraph 2 (b), and article 2, paragraph 3 (a) (iii), on the application of appropriate national or international emission standards for new mobile sources based on best available techniques. Your reply should list the mobile source categories and state the standards applied and the control techniques or programmes used for each category, taking into account annex III to the Protocol. You are encouraged to use the table format suggested below.

New mobile source category/class	Emission standard VOCs (unit:g/km		Pollution control measures applied ^{1/}	Comments e.g. reference to EC
for VOCs	Petrol	Diesel		directive, applied test cycle

^{1/} Refer to technical annex III to the VOC Protocol concerning control technologies for emissions of VOCs from on-road motor vehicles.

Q.14 Provide information, as required by article 8, paragraph 2 (b), and under article 2, paragraph 3 (a) (iv), on the measures taken to foster public participation in emission control programmes such as public announcements, encouraging the best use of all modes of transport and the promotion of traffic management schemes.

^{2/} Refer to annex II to the 1991 VOC Protocol concerning control measures for emissions of VOCs from stationary sources.

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- Q.15 Provide information, as required by article 8, paragraph 2 (b), and article 2, paragraph 3 (a) (ii), on the application of national or international measures to products that contain solvents and the promotion of the use of products that are low in or do not contain VOCs (e.g. the labelling of products specifying their VOC content), taking into account annex II to the Protocol.
- **Q.16** Provide information, as required by article 8, paragraph 2 (c), on measures taken to facilitate the exchange of technology related to the reduction and control of VOC emissions.
- **Q.17** As set out in article 2, paragraph 5, article 8, paragraph 1, and article 7, in implementing the present Protocol, and in particular any product substitution measures, Parties are required to take appropriate steps to ensure that toxic and carcinogenic VOCs, and those that harm the stratospheric ozone layer, are not substituted for other VOCs. Please describe the measures taken to that effect.

SECTION 4. THE 1994 SULPHUR PROTOCOL

Parties: Austria, Belgium, Canada, Croatia, Czech Republic, Denmark, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Ireland, Italy, Liechtenstein, Luxembourg, Netherlands, Norway, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, United Kingdom, and European Community.

- <u>Note 1</u>: When referring to European Union directives, please give the exact reference (title and symbol) of the directive and, if applicable, any relevant amendments; explain how the directive satisfies the question and indicate whether the directive has been transposed into national law and implemented, with a reference to the respective legislation.
- <u>Note 2</u>: When providing information on national emission standards or emission limit values, please indicate the numerical value; whether they have been transposed into national law and implemented, with a reference to the respective legislation. When providing a list of source categories for sulphur, please clarify whether these are actually used as major source categories in your country.
- <u>Note 3</u>: When providing information in tables, please use the format below, if possible, including reference to your country under "Party" to avoid errors.
- **Q.18** Report, as required by article 5, paragraph 1 (a), on national strategies, policies, programmes and measures, referred to in article 4, paragraph 1, that specifically address the control and reduction of sulphur emissions.

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- **Q.19** In particular, provide information on the steps taken to implement obligations under article 2, paragraph 4, such as measures taken to reduce sulphur emissions from new and existing sources, including:
- -Measures to increase energy efficiency;
- -Measures to increase the use of renewable energy;
- -Measures to reduce the sulphur content of particular fuels and to encourage the use of fuel with a low sulphur content, including the combined use of high-sulphur with low-sulphur or sulphur-free fuel; and
- -Measures to apply best available control technologies, using as guidance annex IV to the Protocol.

Note 5: According to article 2, paragraph 5, questions 20 to 23 do not apply to the Parties to the United States/Canada Air Quality Agreement of 1991.

Q.20 As required by article 5, paragraph 1, and article 2, paragraph 5 (a), report on progress made in your country in applying emission limit values at least as stringent as those specified in annex V to the Protocol to the major new stationary combustion sources, stating the source category, the technologies applied and whether similar or more stringent values than those in annex V were applied.

PARTY:					
Major new stationary combustion source category / fuel type for SO2	input (MW _{th})	Limit values (mg SO ₂ /Nm ³) ^{1/} or other emission limitations	Oxygen percentage in flue gas & statistical treatment ² /	Desulphurization rate (%)	Pollution control measures applied ^{3/}
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^{1/} Refer to annex V to the 1994 Sulphur Protocol concerning emission and sulphur content limit values.

Q.21 As required by article 5, paragraph 1, and article 2, paragraph 5 (b), report on progress made in your country in applying emission limit values such as those specified in annex V to existing stationary combustion sources with a thermal input above 500 MW_{th}, stating the source category, the technologies applied and whether similar or more stringent values than those in annex V were applied. If other equivalent limitations or other appropriate provisions were applied to achieve the sulphur emissions ceilings specified in annex II to the Protocol, please describe those.

^{2/} The statistical treatment can be a percentile (e.g. 95 percentile), a daily average, a monthly average, etc.

^{3/} Refer to annex IV to the 1994 Sulphur Protocol concerning control technologies for sulphur emissions from stationary sources.

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relevant age of plant limitations for SO ₂	Major existing stationary combustion source category (>500 MW _{th}) / fuel type / relevant age of plant	(mg SO ₂ /Nm ³) ^{1/} or other	centage in flue gas & statistical	ization rate	

^{1/} Refer to annex V to the 1994 Sulphur Protocol concerning emission and sulphur content limit values.

Q.22 As required by article 5, paragraph 1, and article 2, paragraph 5 (b), report on progress made in your country in applying emission limit values or emission limitations to the major existing stationary combustion sources whose thermal input is between 50 and 500 MW_{th}, stating the source category and the technologies applied, using annex V as guidance.

PARTY:				
Major existing stationary combustion source category (50-500 MW _{th})/fuel type/ relevant age of plant for SO ₂	Thermal input (MW _{th})	Limit values (mg SO ₂ /Nm³)¹/ or other emission limitations	Oxygen percentage in flue gas & statistical treatment ^{2/}	Pollution control measures applie d ^{3/}

 $^{1/\}mbox{ Refer}$ to limit values specified in annex V to the 1994 Sulphur Protocol.

Q.23 As required by article 5, paragraph 1, and article 2, paragraph 5 (c), report on progress made in applying national standards for the sulphur content of gas oil which are at least as stringent as those specified in annex V to the Protocol.

PARTY:					
Sulphur content of gas oil (in % or ppm)					
Diesel for on-road	Diesel for off-road	Gas oil for inland	Gas oil for heating		
vehicles	vehicles and engines	navigation			

- **Q.24** As required by article 5, paragraph 1, and article 2, paragraph 6, report on any economic instruments that you may have applied to encourage the adoption of cost-effective approaches to the reduction of sulphur emissions.
- Q.25 Provide information, as required by article 5, paragraph 1 (c), and article 3, paragraph 1, on measures taken to facilitate the exchange of technologies and techniques, including those that

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^{3/} Refer to annex IV to the 1994 Sulphur Protocol concerning control technologies for sulphur emissions from stationary sources.

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increase energy efficiency, the use of renewable energy and the processing of low-sulphur fuels, to reduce sulphur emissions.

- **Q.26** Provide information, as required by article 5, paragraph 1 (c), and article 3, paragraphs 2 and 3, on procedures established to create more favourable conditions for the exchange of technology to reduce sulphur emissions.
- **Q.27** Provide information, as required by article 5, paragraph 1 (c), and article 6, on activities undertaken with a view to encouraging research, development, monitoring and cooperation related to this Protocol.

SECTION 5. THE 1998 PROTOCOL ON PERSISTENT ORGANIC POLLUTANTS (POPs)

Parties: Austria, Bulgaria, Canada, Czech Republic, Denmark, Finland, France, Germany, Iceland, Luxembourg, Netherlands, Norway, Republic of Moldova, Slovakia, Sweden, Switzerland.

<u>Note 1</u>: When referring to European Union directives, please give the exact reference (title and symbol) of the directive and, if applicable, relevant amendments; explain how the directive satisfies the question and indicate whether the directive has been transposed into national law and implemented, with a reference to the respective legislation.

<u>Note 2</u>: When providing information on national emission standards, or emission limit values, please indicate the numerical value; whether they have been transposed into national law and implemented, with a reference to the respective legislation. When providing a list of POP source categories, please clarify whether these are actually used as major source categories in your country.

<u>Note 3</u>: When providing information in tables, please use the format below, including reference to your country under "Party", to avoid errors.

Q. 28 Provide information, as required by article 9, on the national strategies, policies and programmes developed in accordance with article 7, paragraph 1, to implement the Protocol on POPs to control, reduce or eliminate discharges, emissions and losses of persistent organic pollutants. Please include information on measures such as those listed in article 7, paragraph 2. If applicable or relevant, include a description of measures taken for other POPs not yet listed in this Protocol.

Note 4: When answering questions 29 to 33, please take into account article 3, paragraph 4, and article 4 (Exemptions). Whenever article 4 applies, explain the exemption and specify the paragraph of article 4 to which it refers.

- **Q.29** Provide information, as required by article 3, paragraph 1 (a), on measures taken to eliminate the production and use of substances listed in annex I.
- **Q.30** Provide information, as required by article 3, paragraph 1 (b) (i), on measures taken to ensure that the destruction or disposal of substances listed in annex I is undertaken in an environmentally sound manner, taking into consideration relevant subregional, regional and global

regimes governing the management of hazardous waste, in particular the Basel Convention on the Control of Transboundary Movements of Hazardous Wastes and their Disposal.

- **Q.31** Provide information, as required by article 3, paragraph 1 (b) (ii), on measures taken to endeavour to ensure that the disposal of substances listed in annex I is carried out domestically.
- **Q.32** Provide information, as required by article 3, paragraph 1 (b) (iii), on measures taken to ensure that the transboundary movement of substances listed in annex I is conducted in an environmentally sound manner, taking into consideration applicable subregional, regional and global regimes governing the transboundary movement of hazardous waste, in particular the Basel Convention on the Control of Transboundary Movements of Hazardous Wastes and their Disposal.
- **Q.33** Provide information, as required by article 3, paragraph 1 (c), on measures taken to restrict the substances listed in annex II to the uses described.
- **Q.34** Please report, as required by article 3, paragraph 3, on progress made to develop strategies for identifying articles still in use and wastes containing substances listed in annex I, II or III to the Protocol. Also provide information on measures taken or to be taken to ensure that such wastes and such articles, upon becoming wastes, are destroyed or disposed of in an environmentally sound manner.
- Q.35 Report, as required by article 3, paragraphs 5 (b)(i)-(iv), on progress made towards applying best available techniques (BAT), taking into consideration annex V, and limit values as stringent as those specified in annex IV to each new stationary source and to existing stationary sources. In your reply, list the source categories in your country that are considered to be major stationary source categories under the Protocol, taking into account article 1 (Definitions) and annexes V and VIII. For each source category, state the limit values applied or to be applied, the units and statistical treatment, and the pollution control measures applied. For limit values to be applied, please indicate when they will come into effect. You are encouraged to use the table format below to respond. A Party may, as an alternative, apply different emission reduction strategies that achieve equivalent overall emission reductions. Should this be the case, please describe the strategies and any progress made. When answering this question, you should also consider article 3, paragraph 6, of the Protocol.

PARTY:				
Major stationary source	Limit values for POPs	Units & statistical	Pollution control	
categories for POPs	from new and existing	treatment ²	measures and year	
	stationary sources ^{1/}		applied or to be	
			applied ^{3/}	

^{1/} Refer to limit values specified in annex IV to the 1998 POPs Protocol.

Q.36 Describe, as required by article 3, paragraph 5 (b) (v), the measures taken or to be taken to control emissions from mobile sources, taking into account annex VII to the Protocol concerning recommended control measures for reducing emissions of POPs from mobile sources.

PARTY:			
Mobile source categories for POPs	Limit values for POPs from mobile sources ^{1/}	Units & statistical treatment ^{2/}	Pollution control measures and year applied or to be applied ^{3/}

^{1/} Refer to limit values specified in annexVII to the 1998 POPs Protocol.

Q.37 Provide information, as required by article 3, paragraph 8, relating to the production and sales of substances listed in annexes I and II to the Protocol. You are encouraged to use the table format below.

PARTY:				
Substance	Production	Sales		

- **Q.38** Provide information, as required by article 5, on measures taken to create favourable conditions to facilitate the exchange of technologies and techniques designed to reduce the generation and emission of persistent organic pollutants and to develop cost-effective alternatives.
- **Q.39** Report, as required by article 6, on measures taken to promote the provision of information to the general public, such as information on labelling, risk assessment and hazard, risk reduction, elimination of POPs or a reduction in their use and alternatives to POPs.
- **Q.40** Provide information on activities undertaken with a view to encouraging research, development, monitoring and cooperation related to this Protocol, taking into account article 8.

^{2/} The statistical treatment can be a percentile (e.g. 95 percentile), a daily average, a monthly average, etc.

^{3/} Refer to annex V to the 1998 POPs Protocol concerning best available techniques to control emissions of POPs from major stationary sources.

^{2/} The statistical treatment can be a percentile (e.g. 95 percentile), a daily average, a monthly average, etc.

^{3/} Refer to annex VII of the 1998 POPs Protocol concerning recommended control measures for reducing emissions of POPs from mobile sources.