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EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF  
THE MULTILATERAL FUND FOR THE  
IMPLEMENTATION OF THE MONTREAL PROTOCOL  
Seventy-ninth Meeting  
Bangkok, 3-7 July 2017

**STATUS OF ADDITIONAL CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE MULTILATERAL FUND  
(DECISION 78/1(c))  
Report from the Treasurer**

1. The present document is prepared as a follow-up to decision 78/1(c) to provide information on the status of additional contributions, pledged by a group of donor countries intended to provide fast-start support for the implementation of the HFC phase-down.
2. Subsequently to the 78<sup>th</sup> meeting, the Treasurer was informed by the Government of Luxembourg that it had also agreed to make additional contributions, bringing the total number of countries to 17.
3. As at 3 June 2017, the Treasurer has received US \$2,598,714 from five countries. The list of countries' pledged amount together with payments received is attached as Annex I to this document.

**Recommendations**

4. The Executive Committee may wish:
  - (a) To note the report by the Treasurer on the status of additional contributions as contained in document UNEP/OzL.Pro/ExCom/79/4;
  - (b) Further to note with appreciation the non-Article 5 countries that had made payments to provide fast-start support for the implementation of the HFC phase-down; and
  - (c) To request the Treasurer to report to the Executive Committee on the status of the additional contributions for fast-start support separately from other pledged contributions to the Multilateral Fund to the 80<sup>th</sup> meeting.

## Annex I

**Status of payment against pledge on the additional contribution to the Multilateral Fund by the 17 donor countries  
As at 3 June 2017**

| <b>Party</b>                     | <b>Distribution by country US\$</b> | <b>Amount in local currency</b> | <b>Amount received in US\$</b> | <b>Status</b>  |
|----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|---------------------------------|--------------------------------|--|
| Australia                        | 920,000                             | AUD 1,014,604                   |                                | Agreement ready to be signed by the Government                     |
| Canada                           | 1,300,000                           |                                 |                                | Opted for "Letter of intent"; awaiting letter                      |
| Denmark                          | 300,000                             | DKK 1,500,000                   | 214,516                        | Payment received   |
| Finland                          | 230,000                             | EUR 200,000                     |                                | Awaiting response  |
| France                           | 2,500,000                           |                                 |                                | Awaiting response  |
| Germany                          | 3,200,000                           |                                 |                                | Awaiting response/ongoing discussion on the amount of contribution |
| Ireland                          | 190,000                             |                                 | 190,000                        | Payment received   |
| Italy                            | 2,000,000                           |                                 | 2,000,000                      | Payment received   |
| Japan                            | 4,800,000                           |                                 |                                | Awaiting response  |
| Luxembourg*                      | 0                                   | EUR 35,200                      | 39,199                         | Payment received   |
| Netherlands                      | 730,000                             |                                 |                                | Awaiting response  |
| New Zealand                      | 110,000                             | NZD 155,000                     | 155,000                        | Payment received   |
| Norway                           | 380,000                             |                                 |                                | Awaiting response  |
| Sweden                           | 430,000                             |                                 |                                | Awaiting response  |
| Switzerland                      | 460,000                             |                                 |                                | Awaiting response  |
| United Kingdom                   | 2,300,000                           |                                 |                                | Awaiting response  |
| United States of America         | 7,000,000                           |                                 |                                | Awaiting response  |
| <b>Total pledge</b>              | <b>26,850,000</b>                   |                                 |                                |  |
| <b>Total payment</b>             | <b>2,598,714</b>                    |                                 | <b>2,598,714</b>               |  |
| <b>Outstanding payment</b>       | <b>24,251,286</b>                   |                                 | <b>24,251,286</b>              |  |
| <b>Percentage payment/pledge</b> | <b>9.68%</b>                        |                                 |                                |  |

(\*) Additional to the initial 16 donor countries pledge.