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STATUS OF ADDITIONAL CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE MULTILATERAL FUND (DECISION 79/42(c)) Report from the Treasurer

1. The present document provides 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, pursuant to decision 79/42(c).

2. As at 11 October 2017, the Treasurer has received US \$3,233,878 from seven countries. The list of countries' pledged amount together with payments received is attached as Annex I to this document.

Recommendations

3. The Executive Committee may wish:

- (a) To note the report of the Treasurer on the status of additional contributions to the Multilateral Fund as contained in document UNEP/OzL.Pro/ExCom/80/53;
- (b) To note with appreciation the seven 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 continue reporting the status of the additional contributions received for fast-start support separately from other pledged contributions to the Multilateral Fund to the 81st meeting.

Pre-session documents of the Executive Committee of the Multilateral Fund for the Implementation of the Montreal Protocol are without prejudice to any decision that the Executive Committee might take following issuance of the document.

Annex I

ADDITIONAL CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE MULTILATERAL FUND BY THE 17 DONOR COUNTRIES As at 11 October 2017

Party	Distribution by country (US\$)	Pledged amount in local currency	Amount received (US\$)	Status
Australia	920,000	AUD 1,014,604		Pending finalisation of the donor agreement
Canada	1,300,000			Pending finalisation of the donor agreement
Denmark	300,000	DKK 1,500,000	214,516	Payment received
Finland	230,000	EUR 200,000	222,160	Payment received
France	2,500,000			Awaiting response
Germany	3,200,000			Awaiting response
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	108,004	Payment received
Norway	380,000			Awaiting response
Sweden	430,000			Awaiting response
Switzerland	460,000		460,000	Payment received
United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland	2,300,000			Invoice sent, awaiting payment
United States of America	7,000,000			Invoice sent, awaiting payment
TOTAL	26,850,000		3,233,878	

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