VI/21. <u>Technical Guidelines for the Identification and Environmentally Sound</u> <u>Management of Plastic Wastes and for their Disposal</u>

The Conference of the Parties,

Welcoming the adoption by the Technical Working Group of the Technical Guidelines for the Identification and Environmentally Sound Management of Plastic Wastes and for their Disposal,

<u>Noting</u> with appreciation the roles played by Parties, non-governmental organizations and industry in the preparation of the Technical Guidelines,

- 1. <u>Adopts</u> the Technical Guidelines for the Identification and Environmentally Sound Management of Plastic Wastes and for their Disposal (UNEP/CHW.6/21, annex);
- 2. <u>Requests</u> the secretariat to disseminate the Technical Guidelines to Parties, non-governmental organizations and industry in all United Nations languages as appropriate;
- 3. <u>Invites</u> Parties and others to use the Technical Guidelines and to report to the Conference of the Parties at its seventh meeting, through the secretariat, on their experience and any difficulties or obstacles encountered in the application of the Guidelines, with a view to improving them as necessary and required.