V/36. Tribute to the host country

The Conference,

<u>Having met</u> in Basel from 6 to 10 December 1999, the tenth anniversary of the signing of the Basel Convention,

 $\underline{\text{Extends its gratitude}}$ to the Government of Switzerland for the organization of the fifth meeting of the Conference of the Parties and to the people of Basel for the warm hospitality accorded to all delegates at the meeting.