

## **VII/36. Guidance elements for bilateral, multilateral or regional agreements or arrangements**

*The Conference of the Parties,*

*Recalling* decisions VI/12 and VI/18,

*Noting* decision OEWG-II/3 of the Open-ended Working Group on guidance elements for bilateral, multilateral and regional agreements or arrangements,

1. *Agrees* to cease work on the guidance elements for bilateral, multilateral and regional agreements or arrangements;

2. *Requests* the Secretariat to assist Parties that require assistance in addressing any specific problems that they have related to bilateral, multilateral and regional agreements or arrangements, within the means available to the Secretariat;

3. *Requests* Parties to supply any texts of such agreements or arrangements to the Secretariat pursuant to article 11;

4. *Requests* the Secretariat to place texts of such agreements or arrangements on the Basel Convention web site.