

The Conference

1. Welcomes the work initiated by the Harmonized System Committee on the possibility of establishing a correlation between the Harmonized System and the Basel Convention;

2. Requests the Technical Working Group, as part of its work programme, to provide guidance to the Harmonized System Committee, as

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2/ See table annexed to decision V/26.

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appropriate, on the separate identification of hazardous wastes and other wastes in the Harmonized System, including the formulation of proposals to be submitted to the World Customs Organization for the possible inclusion of new hazardous wastes and other wastes in the Harmonized System;

3. Further requests the Technical Working Group to keep the matter of correlation between the Harmonized System and the Basel Convention lists of wastes under review and to provide, as necessary, guidance to the Harmonized System Committee as it progresses in its work;

4. Requests the secretariat, under the guidance of the Technical Working Group, to pursue its cooperation with the World Customs Organization on matters pertaining to the separate identification of hazardous wastes and other wastes in the Harmonized System and on correlation between the Harmonized System and the Basel Convention;

5. Also requests the secretariat to continue its close cooperation with the World Customs Organization on matters pertaining, first, to joint training activities relating to implementation of the Basel Convention and of the Harmonized System; and, second, to the continuation of its cooperation on the control of transboundary movements of hazardous wastes and other wastes and the prevention of illegal traffic in such wastes.