VI/13. <u>Interim procedure for electing the members of the committee for administering</u> the the

mechanism for promoting implementation and compliance

The Conference of the Parties.

Bearing in mind decision VI/12 of the sixth meeting of the Conference of the Parties on the establishment of the mechanism for promoting implementation and compliance,

Noting in particular that the Committee for administering the mechanism shall consist of 15 members nominated by the Parties and based on equitable geographical representation of the five regional groups of the United Nations,

Noting also that paragraph 6 of the appendix to decision VI/12 requires the election of five members, one from each region, for one term, and ten members, two from each region, for two terms,

Recognizing the necessity to allow further time for such election,

- 1. <u>Calls upon</u> the Parties to nominate candidates meeting the requirements of paragraph 5 of the appendix to decision VI/12 for membership of the Committee;
- 2. <u>Requests</u> the Parties to submit their nominations to the secretariat two months before the first meeting of the Open-ended Working Group;
- 3. <u>Further requests</u> the secretariat to distribute the nominations together with the provisional agenda and supporting documents for that meeting;
- 4. <u>Decides</u> that the Open-ended Working Group shall elect the members of the Committee on behalf of the Conference of the Parties.