V/17. Analysis of the dispute settlement mechanism under article 20 of the Basel Convention

The Conference,

Recalling its decision IV/21,

- 1. <u>Welcomes</u> the steps already taken by the secretariat of the Basel Convention in the collection of information concerning aspects of dispute settlement under the Basel Convention;
- 2. <u>Invites</u> Parties which have not yet replied to the set of questions to do so, to facilitate progress on this matter;
- 3. Requests the Legal Working Group to give further consideration, $\underline{\text{inter alia}}$, to the issue of the analysis of the dispute settlement under article 20 of the Basel Convention and to advise on future work on that issue.