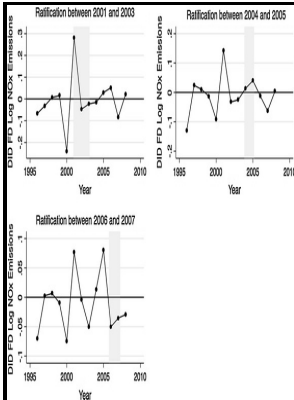


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## International environmental agreements for local and global pollution

The Promise of Rio The 1992 Rio Earth Summit was heralded as the turning point for global environmental policy. This was specifically the case at the Minerals Management Service MMS, which is the federal agency under the US Department of the Interior that managed the US oceanic oil resources prior to the spill. Environmental effects of international trade.

## International environmental agreements for local and global pollution

Sustainability does not apply to the resource itself as it is finite but to ensuring good environmental standards in its extraction and processing, and the health and safety standards required of those extracting it.

## Multilateral Environmental Agreements

Conservation targets not always set 1.

## Environmental Policy and Foreign Policy

Rio Declaration, Principle 2 The Polluter Pays Principle National authorities should promote the internalization of environmental costs and the use of economic instruments, taking into account the approach that the polluter should, in principle, bear the cost of pollution. This is defined as the ability or desire to sustain a resource at a certain level and based on three scientific principles: increased dependence on renewable energy, biodiversity, and chemical cycling.

## Environmental law

In addition, federal legislation has been proposed that requires electric utilities to meet 20 percent of their electricity demand through renewable

energy sources and energy efficiency by 2020, and the enabling policy mechanism in the legislation is a federal RPS. According to the 2003 data that Environment Canada submitted to the Programme, Canada has, to date, met all its consumption reduction obligations for HCFCs and methyl bromide.

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