Annex V

DECISION 2004/5 CONCERNING COMPLIANCE BY SLOVENIA WITH ITS OBLIGATIONS UNDER THE 1994 OSLO PROTOCOL (ref. 1/00)

The Executive Body,

<u>Acting</u> under paragraph 11 of the structure and functions of the Implementation Committee (Executive Body decision 1997/2, annex, as amended in 2001, ECE/EB.AIR/75, annex V),

1. <u>Recalls</u> its decision 2000/1;

2. <u>Notes</u> the report provided by the Implementation Committee on Slovenia's progress, based on the information, written and oral, that it received from Slovenia on 8 and 14 April 2004, respectively, including its conclusion that Slovenia, having applied neither sulphur emission limit values nor emission limitations with respect to the Trbovlje thermal power plant, was not in compliance with paragraph 5 (b) of article 2 of the 1994 Oslo Protocol as of 1 July 2004, and would achieve compliance with that obligation no earlier than October 2005;

3. <u>Expresses</u> its concern at the failure by Slovenia to fulfil its obligation under paragraph 5 (b) of article 2 of the Oslo Protocol, while recognizing the efforts it had made to accelerate its compliance with that provision;

4. <u>Urges</u> Slovenia to fulfil its obligation under paragraph 5 (b) of article 2 of the Oslo Protocol as soon as possible;

5. <u>Requests</u> Slovenia to inform the Implementation Committee of its progress towards achieving compliance with paragraph 5 (b) of article 2, if possible before the Committee's sixteenth meeting and, in any event, in time for its seventeenth meeting.