Annex V

DECISION 2005/5 CONCERNING COMPLIANCE BY IRELAND WITH ITS OBLIGATIONS UNDER THE 1988 NOx PROTOCOL (ref. 3/02)

The Executive Body,

Acting 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. Recalls its decisions 2002/7, 2003/6 and 2004/8 in which it had urged Ireland to fulfil its obligations under the 1988 NOx Protocol as soon as possible;

2. Notes the report provided by the Implementation Committee (EB.AIR/2005/3, paras. 20 to 21) concerning Ireland’s compliance with article 2, paragraph 1, of the 1988 NOx Protocol, and in particular the Committee’s conclusion that it was apparent from the updated data provided by Ireland that it had achieved compliance with its obligation in 2003;

3. Decides that there is no reason for the Implementation Committee to continue to review Ireland’s compliance with its obligation under article 2, paragraph 1, of the NOx Protocol as initiated by the secretariat’s referral in 2002.