Decision 2007/8

Compliance by Parties other than Liechtenstein with their obligations to report on emissions

The Executive Body,

Acting under paragraph 11 of the structure and functions of the Implementation Committee (Executive Body decision 2006/2),

1. Takes note of the tenth report of the Implementation Committee with respect to compliance by Parties with their emission data reporting obligations under the Protocols, identified on the basis of information provided by EMEP (ECE/EB.AIR/2007/3, paras. 30–52 and tables 1–7);

2. Regrets that Iceland, Italy, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Romania and the European Community have still not reported final and complete emission data for up to 2005;

3. Regrets that Croatia, France, Greece, Luxembourg and the European Community have still not reported gridded data up to 2005 under the 1994 Sulphur Protocol;

4. Urges:

(a) Croatia to provide the missing gridded data for 2005 under the 1994 Sulphur Protocol;

(b) France to provide the missing gridded data for 2005 under the 1994 Sulphur Protocol;

(c) Greece to provide the missing gridded data for 2000 and 2005 under the 1994 Sulphur Protocol;

(d) Iceland to provide its missing data for 2005 under the Protocol on Persistent Organic Pollutants;

(e) Italy to provide its missing data the base year under the Protocol on Persistent Organic Pollutants,

(f) Lithuania to provide its missing base-year data under the Protocol on Persistent Organic Pollutants;

(h) Romania to provide its missing data for the base year and 2004 under the Protocol on Persistent Organic Pollutants;


5. Reminds all Parties of the importance not only of complying fully with their obligations to report emission data under the Protocols, including (where applicable) in accordance with any legally binding deadlines and formats, but also of submitting their final and complete data on time to ensure the efficient operation of the Convention;

6. Requests the Implementation Committee to review the progress made by the above-mentioned Parties with regard to their emission reporting obligations and to report thereon at its twenty-sixth session.