

Decision 2019/22

Amendment to decision 2002/1 on the financing of core activities

The Executive Body,

Recalling its decision 2002/1 on the financing of core activities, as amended by decision 2018/8,

Recognizing the importance of the further development and promotion of methodologies which take into account the dynamics of ecosystem response to air pollution, including biodiversity, time lags and interactions with climate change and land use change,

Noting the recommendation by the fifth joint session of the EMEP Steering Body and the Working Group on Effects (ECE/EB.AIR/GE.1/2019/2 – ECE/EB.AIR/WG.1/2019/2) to transform the Joint Expert Group on Dynamic Modelling into a designated international centre under the International Cooperative Programme on Modelling and Mapping,

Noting with appreciation the leadership of the Joint Expert Group by Sweden since 2000,

Noting the change in the host institution of the Programme Coordinating Centre for the International Cooperative Programme on Assessment and Monitoring of Air Pollution Effects on Forests,

Recalling its request to the secretariat to present a revised scale of recommended contributions, based on the most recent United Nations scale of assessments (ECE/EB.AIR/142, para. 71 (i)),

Decides to amend its decision 2002/1, as follows:

1. In appendix I,
 - (a) After the words “Programme Main Coordinating Centre for the International Cooperative Programme on Assessment and Monitoring of Air Pollution Effects on Forests” the words “*at the Federal Research Centre for Forestry and Forest Products, Hamburg, Germany*” are replaced with “*at the Johann Heinrich von Thünen Institute, Federal Research Institute for Rural Areas, Forestry and Fisheries, Eberswalde, Germany*”;
 - (b) At the end of the list, the following is added: “Centre for Dynamic Modelling: *at the Swedish Environmental Research Institute, Stockholm, Sweden*”.
2. In appendix II, the existing table is replaced with the following:

Scale of recommended contributions

(The following is the scale of contributions referred to in paragraph 5)

<i>Parties to the Convention</i> ^a	<i>Per cent</i>
<i>Non-European Union countries</i>	
Albania	0.022
Armenia	0.020
Azerbaijan	0.137
Belarus	0.137
Bosnia and Herzegovina	0.033
Georgia	0.022
Iceland	0.078
Kazakhstan	0.497

<i>Parties to the Convention ^a</i>	<i>Per cent</i>
Kyrgyzstan	0.006
Liechtenstein	0.025
Monaco	0.031
Montenegro	0.011
North Macedonia	0.020
Norway	2.104
Republic of Moldova	0.008
Russian Federation	6.710
Serbia	0.078
Switzerland	3.212
Turkey	3.825
Ukraine	0.159
<i>European Union countries</i>	
Austria	1.889
Belgium	2.291
Bulgaria	0.128
Croatia	0.215
Cyprus	0.100
Czechia	0.868
Denmark	1.546
Estonia	0.109
Finland	1.175
France	12.352
Germany	16.992
Greece	1.021
Hungary	0.575
Ireland	1.035
Italy	9.227
Latvia	0.131
Lithuania	0.198
Luxembourg	0.187
Malta	0.047
Netherlands	3.784
Poland	2.238

<i>Parties to the Convention ^a</i>	<i>Per cent</i>
Portugal	0.977
Romania	0.552
Slovakia	0.427
Slovenia	0.212
Spain	5.988
Sweden	2.528
United Kingdom	12.743
European Union	3.33
Total	100 000

^a Canada and United States of America: voluntary contributions
