# **Economic Commission for Europe**

Meeting of the Parties to the Convention on Environmental Impact Assessment in a Transboundary Context

Meeting of the Parties to the Convention on Environmental Impact Assessment in a Transboundary Context serving as the Meeting of the Parties to the Protocol on Strategic Environmental Assessment

# Second biannual financial report in period between fifth and sixth sessions of the Meeting of the Parties: period to 30 June 2012

## Note by the secretariat

### **Summary**

The Meeting of the Parties to the Convention on Environmental Impact Assessment in a Transboundary Context requested the Convention secretariat, in accordance with the financial rules of the United Nations, to monitor the expenditure of the Convention's funds and to prepare a report for the next session of the Meeting of the Parties, based on the information contained in biannual reports. This report covers the period from after the fifth session of the Meeting of the Parties, in June 2011, to the end of June 2012.

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#### I. Introduction

1. This report sets out income, in-kind contributions and expenditure in the reporting period, as well as the balance in the Convention's trust fund at the end of the period. It also identifies any savings and overspend. The report addresses work under the Convention, including under its Protocol on Strategic Environmental Assessment. Details of income and expenditure are provided in the annex to this report.

## II. Pledges and fund-raising

- 2. The pledges made at the fifth session of the Meeting of the Parties were insufficient to cover the core budget. The Parties were therefore also invited to come forward with further contributions, and the Meeting of the Parties: (a) encouraged Parties that had up till then not pledged anything to make contributions during the current and future budget cycles; and (b) Parties that had up till then only committed limited funds or in-kind contributions to raise their contributions during the current and future budget cycles.
- 3. The Chair of the Bureau wrote to a number of Parties in March 2012 for this purpose. Some Parties made unpledged contributions in the reporting period, including subsequent to the letter from the Chair. No country was in arrears in payment of its pledged contribution.

# III. Income and expenditure

- 4. Table 1 summarizes the income and expenditure in United States dollars. (Financial contributions to the Convention's trust fund are listed in tables A.1 and A.2, in annex.)
- 5. Activities under the workplan<sup>2</sup> were assigned priorities 1 or 2 in the core budget; other activities, not explicitly listed in the workplan, have been assigned priority 3. Pledged and non-earmarked contributions are only to be used to fund core budget activities with priority 1 or 2.
- 6. Some countries imposed conditions on their contributions, notably by earmarking them for priority-2 activities and especially to support participation in meetings by representatives of countries with economies in transition (CITs). Switzerland made funds available for technical advice to Uzbekistan, as foreseen in the workplan but not expected to be covered by the core budget (therefore assigned priority 3). Sweden and Switzerland provided funds for activities not listed in the workplan but implied in the declaration by the first session of the Meeting of the Parties to the Convention serving as the Meeting of the Parties to the Protocol; these activities have also been assigned priority 3. Switzerland made a contribution to cover practical costs of a side-event to the "Environment for Europe" Ministerial Conference, held in Astana in September 2011, whereas Sweden's contribution is intended to enable the secretariat to support the ratification of the Convention by the Russian Federation.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Meeting of the Parties to the Convention decision V/10 (ECE/MP.EIA/15).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Meeting of the Parties to the Convention decision V/9 (ECE/MP.EIA/SEA/2).

- 7. One priority-2 activity was not completed within the previous intersessional period and was therefore carried forward, together with its budgeted funds: a subregional cooperation workshop for the Mediterranean Sea.
- 8. The income, together with the funds for the carried-over activity, totalled \$444,196. Outstanding pledged contributions total \$267,603.
- 9. Subsequent contributions received from Denmark, Germany, Norway, Poland and Switzerland between July and October 2013 will be reflected in the next bi-annual financial report.

Table 1 **Income and expenditure** 

		Amount by priority			
		1	2	3	Total
(a)	Contributions made to the trust fund, with non-earmarked contributions being allocated first to priority 1 activities (from tables A.1 and A.2)	308 299	54 664	58 593	421 596
(b)	Funds for carried-over activities (see para. 7)	0	22 600	0	22 600
(c)	Total income to the trust fund in the period ((a)+(b))	308 299	77 264	58 634	444 196
(d)	Expenditure from the trust fund for budgeted priority 1 and 2 workplan activities (from tables A.3, A.5 and A.6) and unbudgeted priority 3 activities (from table A.4)	167 162	51 800	4 727	223 689
(e)	13% United Nations programme support costs	21 731	6 734	614	29 080
<b>(f)</b>	Trust fund balance: income less expenditure in the period ((c)-(d)-(e))	119 406	18 730	53 293	191 428
(g)	In-kind contributions made, valued according to the budgeted activity cost, or estimated for priority-3 activities (from table A.7)	0	0	37 000	37 000
(h)	Outstanding pledged contributions (derived from table A.1)	267 603	0	0	267 603

- 10. The secretariat spent from the trust fund in accordance with the budget (table A.3, with further details in tables A.5 and A.6). The funds were spent on a priority-1 external expert to provide secretariat support and on four priority-2 activities in the following areas:
  - (a) Three sessions of the Implementation Committee;
- (b) A meeting of the Chairs of the Bureaus of the ECE Conventions and of the Committee on Environmental Policy (as no fourth meeting of Bureau);
  - (c) Secretariat travel in relation to the workplan;

- (d) The promotion of contacts with countries outside the region.
- 11. In addition, further to the earmarked contributions by Sweden and Switzerland, the secretariat spent from the trust fund on the side-event to the "Environment for Europe" Ministerial Conference and on supporting the ratification of the Convention by the Russian Federation.
- 12. The expenditure totalled \$223,698, to which was added 13 per cent United Nations programme support costs of \$29,080, leaving a balance in the trust fund of \$191,428.
- 13. Parties, other States and organizations also undertook three priority-3 workplan activities in the following areas by providing in-kind contributions (table A.7):
- (a) Financial support of a speaker at the side-event to the "Environment for Europe" Ministerial Conference;
- (b) A subregional cooperation meeting in Poland for the countries of the Baltic Sea area;
- (c) A four-day workshop to strengthen capacity for the development of EIA and SEA systems in Uzbekistan, with sharing of experiences from other countries in the implementation of the Espoo Convention and in particular its Protocol.
- 14. These activities, funded by in-kind contributions, have been valued at \$37,000 in total.

# IV. Overspending and savings

- 15. There has been no overspend or savings to date.
- 16. Table 2 presents the budgetary requirements for the period between the fifth and sixth sessions of the Meeting of the Parties, identifying how much of the budget has been fulfilled by expenditure and in-kind contributions and taking into account savings and overspend. Table 2 refers to priority-1 and -2 activities as only these had a budgetary allocation.

Table 2 **Budgetary requirements** 

			Amount by pr	iority
		1	2	3 Total
(a)	Budget for period between the fifth and sixth sessions of the Meeting of the Parties (ECE/MP.EIA/15, decision V/10), plus for carried-over activities (from table A.8)	470 000	685 000	1 155 000
(b)	Expenditure from the trust fund (from table 1, row (d))	167 162	51 800	218 962
(c)	In-kind contributions made (from table 1, row (g))	0	0	0
(d)	Savings against budget for workplan activities (from table A.8)	0	0	0
(e)	Overspend against budget for workplan activities (from table A.8)	0	0	0
(f)	Outstanding budgetary requirements	302 838	633 200	936 038

		Amount by priority			
		1	2	3	Total
	((a)-(b)-(c)-(d)+(e))				
(g)	13 per cent United Nations programme support costs	39 369	82 316		121 685
	Total outstanding requirements ((f)+(g))	342 207	715 516		1 057 723

# V. Outstanding requirements and operating reserve

- 17. Table 2 also presents the outstanding budgetary requirements at the end of the period, totalling \$1,057,723 for priority-1 and -2 activities. These requirements may be contrasted with the available funds for such activities, totalling \$138,136, and the outstanding pledged contributions of \$267,603. **A substantial shortfall is therefore anticipated.**
- 18. An operating reserve of \$411,925 was created by carrying forward unspent funds from the two periods between the third and fourth, and the fourth and fifth sessions of the Meeting of the Parties, as decided by the Meeting of the Parties at the respective sessions. The operating reserve provided contingency funding to ensure continued operations under the Convention in the event of unanticipated problems, for example delayed receipt of contributions.

#### Annex

**Details of the financial report (overleaf)** 

Table A.1 **Income to the Convention's trust fund** 

Party <sup>a</sup>	Description of pledge in ECE/MP.EIA/15, annex, plus additional contributions <sup>b</sup>	Pledge	Amount received
Albania	(None)	0	0
Armenia	Unpledged contribution	0	1,000
Austria	Six shares per year for three years, for both instruments.	18,000	5,967
Azerbaijan	(None)	0	0
Belarus	(None)	0	0
Belgium	Unpledged contribution of $\leq$ 15,000 from Flanders Region (Belgium) in 2011.	0	20,000
Bosnia and Herzegovina	(None)	0	0
Bulgaria	US\$ 5,000 for the Convention and US\$ 3,000 for the Protocol in the period up to the next Meeting of the Parties, to be paid in 2012.	8,000	8,000
Canada	(None)	0	0
Croatia	Three shares per year.	9,000	3,000
Cyprus	Unpledged but regular contribution of €6,000 in 2011.	0	8,208
Czech Republic	US\$ 5,000 per year until the next Meeting of the Parties, depending upon the availability of funds in the national budget.	15,000	10,000
Denmark	(None)	0	0
Estonia	(None)	0	0
Finland	An associate expert will be funded for one year with an option for a second year. (US\$ 2,153 carried over.)	0	2,153
France	€10,000 per year, subject to availability in the budget.	39,000	14,306
Germany	A minimum of 30 shares for the period to the next session of the Meeting of the Parties to the Convention and the next session of the Meeting of the Parties to the Convention serving as the Meeting of the Parties to the Protocol. This sum will be divided into at least two payments and will be earmarked. Any payment depends on the availability of funds in the national budget that will have to be adopted by the Parliament for each year.	30,000	15,000
Greece	(None)	0	0
Hungary	US\$ 4,000 per year contribution for the period to the next Meeting of the Parties (in years 2011, 2012, 2013 and 2014).	16,000	8,000
Ireland	Unpledged but regular contribution of €10,000 in 2011.	0	13,680
Italy	(None)	0	0
Kazakhstan	(None)	0	0
Kyrgyzstan	(None)	0	0
Latvia	(None)	0	0
Liechtenstein	(None)	0	0
Lithuania	(None)	0	0
Luxembourg	(None)	0	0
Malta	(None)	0	0
Montenegro	(None)	0	0
Netherlands	€48,000 for the intersessional period between the fifth and sixth sessions of the Meeting of the Parties.	62,400	68,670

Party <sup>a</sup>	Description of pledge in ECE/MP.EIA/15, annex, plus additional contributions <sup>b</sup>	Pledge	Amount received
Norway	10-15 shares per year for the period to the next session of the Meeting of the Parties to the Convention and the next session of the Meeting of the Parties to the Convention serving as the Meeting of the Parties to the Protocol (12.5 shares per year indicated in pledge column). Any payment depends on the availability of funds in the national budget that will have to be adopted by the Parliament for each year. In addition, an unpledged contribution in 2011 of NOK 100,000 (US\$ 17,014) to support travel by government and NGOs representatives of CITs. Similar contribution at end of 2011 for 2012, comprising both pledged and unpledged elements.	37,500	86,108
Poland	Five shares per year for the period to the next Meeting of the Parties (in years 2012, 2013 and 2014).	15,000	0
Portugal	(None)	0	0
Republic of Moldova	(None)	0	0
Romania	(None) Unpledged contribution of US\$ 415 resulting from interest on trust fund for inquiry commission (2004-2006).	0	415
Serbia	US\$ 1,000 in 2012.	1,000	0
Slovakia	<b>€</b> 2,000.	2,600	2,861
Slovenia	Three shares per year for three years for both the Convention and the Protocol.	9,000	6,000
Spain	(None)	0	0
Sweden	20 shares, in kind, primarily for Baltic cooperation for both instruments, subject to the approval of the national budget. An unpledged contribution at end of 2011 for secretariat support of the ratification of the Convention and accession to the Protocol by the Russian Federation.	0	28,469
Switzerland	Likely US\$ 20,000 (20 shares) per year to the next meeting of the Parties. An unpledged contribution of CHF 25,000 (US\$ 28,474) in 2011 intended to support capacity-development activities in Central Asia and Azerbaijan, and an unpledged contribution of CHF 1,557 in 2011 to cover the costs of practical arrangements for a side-event during the "Environment for Europe" Ministerial Conference, held in Astana, 21-23 September 2011 (actual costs were US\$ 1,650).	60,000	52,943
The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia	(None)	0	0
Ukraine	US\$ 6,000 (six shares) in total for the period to the next meeting of the Parties. Unpledged contribution of US\$ 415 resulting from interest on trust fund for inquiry commission (2004-2006).	6,000	415
United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland	(None)	0	0
European Union	${\in}50,\!000$ per year (but see paragraph 2 of decision V/10 on the budget, financial arrangements and financial assistance).	195,000	66,401
	Total	523,500	421,596

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>a</sup> All Parties to the Convention are listed, whether or not contributing to the trust fund.

b Exchange rates for pledges, at 23 June 2011: US\$ 1.40 per €

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>c</sup> Shares are US\$ 1,000 in value.

Table A.2 **Income to the Convention's trust fund by date** 

Date	Party	Amount received in original currency	Income
2011			
3 May	Czech Republic	USD 5 000	5,000
27 May	Netherlands	USD 68 669.53	68,670
27 May	Hungary	USD 4 000	4,000
14 July	Finland	EUR 5 000, less USD 5 000 *	2,153
14 July	France	EUR 10 000	14,306
19 July	Slovakia	EUR 2 000	2,861
30 August	Slovenia	USD 3 000	3,000
30 September	Switzerland	CHF 45,000	51,253
31 October	Austria	EUR 4 373.50	5,967
18 November	Ireland	EUR 10 000	13,680
28 November	Cyprus	EUR 6 000	8,208
12 December	Norway	USD 17 014.22	17,014
22 December	Switzerland	CHF 1 557	1,691
19 December	Norway	USD 16 444.28	16,444
22 December	Belgium (Flanders		
2012	Region)	EUR 15 000	20,000
03 January	Sweden	USD 28 469.31	28,469
03 January	Norway	USD 52 649.47	52,649
09 January	Romania	USD 415	415
09 January	Ukraine	USD 415	415
04 January	Germany	USD 15 000	15,000
15 February	Slovenia	USD 3000	3,000
27 March	Bulgaria	USD 8 000	8,000
04 April	Croatia	USD 3 000	3,000
25 April	EC	EUR 50 000	66,401
03 May	Czech Republic	USD 5 000	5,000
28 June	Armenia	USD 1 000	1,000
04 July	Hungary	USD 4 000	4,000
	Total		421,596

<sup>\*</sup> Incorrectly reported previously as USD 5 000, rather than the EUR 5 000 contributed.

 $\label{eq:convention} Table~A.3 \\ \textbf{Expenditure from the Convention's trust fund on budgeted activities}$ 

Index	Activity	Priority	Sub-activity	Type of expenditure	Expenditure <sup>a</sup>
1	Sixth session of the Meeting of the Parties to the Convention and the second session of the Meeting of the Parties to	2		Participation of countries with economies in transition (CITs) Participation of nongovernmental organizations	-
	the Convention serving as the Meeting of the Parties to the Protocol, Ukraine			Invited speakers Participation of non- UNECE countries	-
	Total for activity				-
2.1	Meetings of the Working Group on Environmental	2	First meeting, 24-26 April 2012	Participation of CITs	15,604
	Impact Assessment and Strategic Environmental			Participation of non- governmental organizations	8,739
	Assessment, Geneva			Participation of non- UNECE countries	-
2.2			Second meeting, May 2013	Participation of CITs	-
				Participation of non- governmental organizations	-
				Participation of non- UNECE countries	-
2.3			Third meeting, November 2013	Participation of CITs	-
				Participation of non- governmental organizations	-
				Participation of non- UNECE countries	-
	Total for activity				24,343
3.1	Bureau meetings (free standing)	2	First meeting, 31 January – 1 February 2012	Participation of CITs (Bureau members)	1,507
3.2			Second meeting,		-
3.3			Third meeting,		-
3.4			Meeting of the Chairs of the Bureaus of the ECE Conventions and of the Committee on Environmental Policy (as no fourth meeting of Bureau)		1,350
	Total for activity				2,857
4.1	Meetings of the Implementation	2	Twenty-second session, 5-7 September 2011	Participation of CITs (Committee members)	6,794
4.2	Committee		Twenty-third session, 5-7 December 2011		4,328
4.3			Twenty-fourth session, 20-23 March 2012		4,699
4.4			Twenty-fifth session, September 2012		-
4.5			Twenty-sixth session, November 2012		-

Index			Sub-activity		Expenditure <sup>c</sup>
4.6			Twenty-seventh session, 2013		
4.7			Twenty-eighth session, 2013		
4.8			Twenty-ninth session, 2014		
	Total for activity				15,821
5	Informal translations of	2			•
	informal papers for				
	meetings listed above				
	Total for activity				
6	Promotion of contacts with	2		Secretariat and Chair's	
	countries outside the ECE			travel and DSA (detailed in	3,429
	region (with reporting of			Table A.5)	
	results to Working Group)				
	Total for activity				3,429
7.1	External expert to provide	1	July–December 2011	Extrabudgetary post	
<b>7.</b> 0	secretariat support for the		2012	<b>5</b>	92,911
7.2	implementation of the Convention and the		2012	Extrabudgetary post	74.051
7.3	Protocol		2013	Extrahudgatary post	74,251
	Fiotocol			Extrabudgetary post	
7.4			January–June 2014	Extrabudgetary post	4/= 4/4
0.1	Total for activity	2	C	C1ii	167,162
8.1	Further secretariat support	2	Consultants	Good practice guidance on public participation in SEA;	9,000
				Guidance on addressing	9,000
				possible inconsistency with	
				State ecological expertise	
8.2			Promotional materials	(None)	
8.3			Secretariat travel in relation to	Secretariat travel and DSA	
0.5			the workplan	(detailed in Table A.6)	5,349
	Total for activity				14,349
9.1	Compliance with and	2	Informal translations of		,
	implementation of		submissions		
9.2	Convention	1	Drafting of review of		
			implementation		
9.3		2	Country-specific performance		
			reviews:		
9.3.1					
9.3.2					
9.3.3					
1.3.3	Total for activity				
10.1	Exchange of good	2	Joint workshop with Aarhus		
10.1	practices	_	come workshop with runus		
10.2	*				
10.4					
11	Total for activity	2			
11	Subregional coperation: workshop for the	2			
	Mediterranean Sea area				
	Total for activity				
	Total for activity				

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>a</sup> Expenditure in italics is estimated

 $\label{eq:convention} Table~A.4 \\ \textbf{Expenditure from the Convention's trust fund on unbudgeted activities}$ 

Index	Activity	Priority	Justification	Type of expenditure	Expenditure <sup>a</sup>
1	Side-event during the "Environment for Europe" Ministerial Conference,	3	Geneva Declaration, para. 19; willingness of Switzerland to provide funds	Practical arrangements: interpretation and refreshments	2,072
	Astana, 21-23 September 2011			Participation of non- governmental organizations	1,213
2	Secretariat support of the ratification of the Convention and accession to the Protocol by the Russian Federation	3	Cavtat Declaration, para. 17; Geneva Declaration, para. 17; willingness of Sweden to provide funds	Meeting with representatives of the Ministry of Natural Resources and Environment, and of the Russian Government Institute of Legislation and Comparative Law Studies, to discuss implementation of the Espoo Convention by the Russian Federation, Moscow, 29 November 2011	1,441
	Total for all activities				4,727

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>a</sup> Expenditure in italics is estimated

 $\label{eq:contacts} \begin{tabular}{ll} Table A.5 \\ \begin{tabular}{ll} Promotion of contacts with countries outside the UNECE region: travel and subsistence allowances \\ \end{tabular}$ 

Index	Pupose of travel	Expenditure <sup>a</sup>
11.1	International Association for Impact Assessment Special Conference on Strategic Environmental Assessment, Prague, 21-23 September 2011 (2 persons, but one paid for from budget line for associate expert)	1,525
11.2	Korea Environment Institute International Conference 2012, Seoul, 13-15 June 2012 (most costs covered by the organizer)	100
	Korea Environment Institute International Conference 2011, Seoul, 17-18 November 2011 (most costs covered by the organizer)	
11.3	International Association for Impact Assessment Conference of IAIA on Energy Future-The role of Impact Assessment, Porto, 29 May - 1 June 2012	1,804
	Activity total	3,429

a Expenditure in italics is estimated

 $\begin{tabular}{ll} Table A.6 \\ \begin{tabular}{ll} Secretariat travel in relation to the workplan: travel and subsistence allowances \\ \end{tabular} \label{table}$ 

Index	Pupose of travel	Expenditure <sup>a</sup>
10.3.1	Side-event on the importance of impact assessment in planning related to greening the economy and in sustainable water management, during the "Environment for Europe" Ministerial Conference, Astana, 21-23 September 2011	2,895
10.3.2	Meeting with officials of Swiss Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Federal Office for the Environment regarding capacity-development, Bern, 17 October 2011 (2 persons, but one covered by associate expert's travel budget)	237
10.3.3	Presentation on the role of UNECE Water and Espoo Conventions, within an International High Level Conference "Strengthening transboundary water cooperation in Central Asia: the role of international water law and the UNECE Water Convention and the Workshop on the Protocol on Water and Health", Almaty (Kazakhstan), 25-27 October 2011 (costs covered by Water Convention—related project)	-
10.3.4	Fifth seminar on cooperation on the Espoo Convention in the Baltic Sea subregion, Sopot (Poland), 27-28 October 2011	1,587
10.3.5	Training workshop for strengthening capacities in Uzbekistan for understanding and implementing the Convention, and in particular the Convention's Protocol on Strategic Environmental Assessment, Tashkent, 9-12 November 2011 (costs covered by Water Convention-related projects)	
10.3.6	Meeting with DG-DEVCO of the European Commission on the involvement of Espoo Convention Secretariat in the EU funded EAP-Green project, Brussels, 16 March 2012	631
		-
	Activity total	5,349

a Expenditure in italics is estimated

Table A.7 **In-kind contributions made** 

Total

Activity	Priority	Sub-activity	Date	Source	Value <sup>a</sup>	Notes
Promotional	3	Side-event during the "Environment for Europe" Ministerial Conference, Astana	21-23 September 2011	Switzerland	2,000	Financial support for speaker
Subregional cooperation and capacity-building	3	Fifth seminar on cooperation on the Espoo Convention in the Baltic Sea subregion, Sopot (Poland)	27-28 October 2011	Poland, together with Sweden, Germany and Estonia	20,000	
Promoting ratification and application of the Protocol	3	Workshop to strengthen capacity for the development of EIA and SEA systems in Uzbekistan, with sharing of experiences from other countries in the implementation of the Espoo Convention and in particular its Protocol, Tashkent	9-12 November 2011	German International Cooperation Agency, GIZ, and UNDP Uzbekistan	15,000	Trainer fees and travel covered by GIZ, local costs by UNDP

 $^{a}$  Value is that indicated in the current budget (decision V/10) for priority 1 and 2 activities, but is purely indicative for priority 3 activities.

37,000

Table A.8 **Budget, after decision V/10** 

Index	Activity	Priority	Sub-activity	Budget	Savings	Overspend	Explanation / Justification
	Organizational activities						
1	Sixth session of the Meeting of the Parties to the Convention and the second session of the Meeting of the Parties to the Convention serving as the Meeting of the Parties to the Protocol	2	-	90,000	0	0	
2	Meetings of the Working Group on Environmental Impact Assessment and Strategic Environmental Assessment, Geneva	2	-	120,000	0	0	
3	Meetings of the Bureau (free-standing)	2	-	20,000	0	0	
4	Meetings of the Implementation Committee	2	-	40,000	0	0	
5	Informal translations of informal papers for meetings listed above	2	-	65,000	0	0	
6	Promotion of contacts with countries outside the UNECE region	2	-	25,000	0	0	
7	External expert to provide secretariat support for the implementation of the Convention and the Protocol (including coordination of capacity-development, development and maintenance of website, modification of questionnaire, drafting of review of implementation and of other documents)	1		450,000	0	0	
8.1	Further secretariat	2	Consultants	60,000	0	0	
8.2	support for the implementation of the	2	Promotional materials	30,000	0	0	
8.3	Convention and the Protocol	2	Secretariat travel in relation to the workplan	90,000	0	0	

Index	Activity	Priority	Sub-activity	Budget	Savings	Overspend	Explanation / Justification
	Substantive activities						
9.1	Compliance with and implementation of the Convention and the Protocol	2	Informal translations of submissions	10,000	0	0	
9.2		1	Drafting of review of implementation	20,000	0	0	
9.3		2	Country-specific performance reviews	75,000	0	0	
10	Exchange of good practices	2	Workshops or half-day seminars	40,000	0	0	
	Carried forward activitie	es					
11	Subregional cooperation	2	Workshop for Mediterranean Sea area	20,000	0	0	
	Total			1,155,000			