#### PART SEVEN

### **GENERAL PROVISIONS**

### Article 20: Enforcement

This Agreement shall not be construed to empower a Party's authorities to undertake enforcement activities under its environmental laws in the territory of another Party.

# **Article 21: Private Rights**

A Party shall not provide for a right of action under its domestic law against the other Party on the ground that the other Party has acted in a manner inconsistent with this Agreement.

## Article 22: Protection of Information

This Agreement shall not be construed to require a Party to release information that would be otherwise prohibited or exempt from disclosure under its laws and regulations, including those concerning access to information and privacy.

# Article 23: Relation to Other Environmental Agreements

This Agreement shall not be construed to affect the existing rights and obligations of either Party under other international environmental agreements to which such Party is a party.

## **Article 24: Dispute Resolution**

- 1. The Parties shall at all times endeavour to concur on the interpretation and application of this Agreement.
- 2. The Parties shall make every attempt, through consultations and the exchange of information, with an emphasis on cooperation, to address any matter that might affect the operation of this Agreement.