ACTION PLAN: OBJECTIVE ONE - ECONOMIC GROWTH AND PROSPERITY

ACTION	MILESTONE INDICATORS
Promote better international coordination of freshwater issues, particularly in developing countries, addressing quality and access concerns in an integrated fashion.	Promote objectives at 6 th meeting of the UN Commission on Sustainable Development in 1998 where freshwater will be main theme
Promote the launch of negotiations on an international convention on forests, that would include a common definition of, and commitment to, achieving sustainable management of the world's forests.	Promote convention objective within the Intergovernmental Forum on Forests (IFF) created by the UNGA special session reviewing Agenda 21. IFF will meet periodically and report to CSD. In the year 2000 the IFF will advise whether or not to launch negotiations

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The implementation of measures to reduce transboundary pollution impacts and achieve progress on agreed means to reduce greenhouse gas emissions, protect the ozone layer, address climate change and biodiversity.

ACTION	MILESTONE INDICATORS
Participate in UNEP-sponsored negotiations to conclude a convention to implement Prior Informed Consent (PIC) procedures to trade in certain banned and severely restricted chemicals.	Conclude negotiations on the new PIC convention in 1998 and proceed to ratification
Secure a Protocol on Persistent Organic Pollutants (POPs) under the UN Economic Commission for Europe's (ECE) Convention on Long Range Transboundary Air Pollution (LRTAP).	Conclude a POPs protocol under LRTAP in late 1997 or early 1998
Negotiate a global POPs agreement under UNEP auspices.	Launch negotiations of a global POPs convention under UNEP auspices in 1998
Engage in negotiations on climate change issues under the Berlin Mandate Process, with the aim of concluding a legal instrument on commitments for the post-2000 period.	Conclude a new protocol at the 3 rd meeting of the Conference of the Parties in Kyoto Japan, December 1997

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