

Convention enters into force for the State Party. Information on new facilities shall be provided six months before operations are to begin. 1/

3. Other Facilities

- (i) [Facilities which synthesize, acquire or use chemicals in Schedule [1] for research or medical purposes shall be approved by the State Party. Synthesis at each such facility for research and medical purposes shall be limited per annum to a total maximum of [...]g and to [...]g of any one chemical on the Schedule.]

[Facilities which acquire or use chemicals in Schedule [1] for permitted purposes shall be approved by the State Party. Each transfer from the single small-scale production facility to such facilities shall be notified to the Consultative Committee by inclusion in the annual data reporting, with an indication of the chemical or chemicals involved, the amount transferred and the purpose of the transfer.]

- (ii) The location of the approved facilities shall be provided to the Consultative Committee.

4. Transfers

- (i) A State Party may transfer chemicals in Schedule [1] only to another State Party and only for research, medical or protective purposes in accordance with paragraph 1.
- (ii) Thirty days prior to any such transfer, both States Parties shall notify the Consultative Committee.
- (iii) Chemicals transferred shall not be retransferred to a third State.

5. Verification of the Single Small-Scale Production Facility

- (i) The single small-scale production facility referred to in paragraph 2 shall be subject to [systematic] [permanent] international on-site verification, through on-site inspection and continuous monitoring with on-site instruments. 2/

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1/ It was noted that consideration would need to be given to the compatibility of the requirement in the last sentence with the obligations specified in paragraph 5 (vi).

2/ The view was expressed that continuous monitoring with on-site instruments might not be necessary for very small facilities.