

5. While responding to the full range of concerns expressed by Canadians, the review should concentrate on the potential environmental effects of the NAFTA on Canada. It will address the potential environmental effects of the NAFTA by negotiating group, by medium (soil, air, water), and by major environmental concern (standards, investment, dispute settlement). The review will comment on any activities or measures being undertaken in the parallel discussions with Mexico and the U.S. on environmental issues, or in other forums that may affect environmental concerns raised in the context of the NAFTA negotiations.

6. The environmental review will be submitted to Cabinet no later than the NAFTA.