

## A. Coverage

1. For the purposes of this agreement, QELROs shall apply to anthropogenic emissions by [all] sources [and anthropogenic removals by sinks] [for which agreed inventory methodologies exist] [not including land use change and forestry] of [carbon dioxide/the greenhouse gases [from the source categories/sectors] listed in Annex G/all greenhouse gases not controlled by the Montreal Protocol] [weighted by global warming potentials with 100 year time horizons, as listed in Annex G].

2. Methodologies for establishing anthropogenic emissions by sources [and anthropogenic removals by sinks] shall be the best available methodologies accepted by the Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change and as decided upon by the Conference of the Parties to the Convention at its third session. [Where such methodologies are not used, appropriate adjustments shall be applied according to methodologies agreed by the [Conference/Meeting] of the Parties.]

[3. The criteria for [the addition of greenhouse gases [or source categories/sectors] to the list in Annex G] [or] [for agreeing new inventory methodologies or global warming potentials] [are/include] the following:

(a) The availability of an agreed value for the relative global warming potential of the greenhouse gas;

(b) The availability of a comparable methodology for the accurate estimation of anthropogenic emissions by sources [and anthropogenic removals by sinks] of the greenhouse gas; and

(c) The significance of the greenhouse gas in terms of its contribution to global warming.]

[3. bis. The first Meeting of the Parties to the protocol shall decide on criteria for the addition of greenhouse gases [or source categories/sectors] to the list in Annex G.]

[4. Based on the work of the Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change, the Parties shall regularly review, and as appropriate revise, [the list of greenhouse gases [and source categories/sectors] in Annex G] [and] [agreed global warming potentials [in Annex G] and methodologies] [with a view to including other greenhouse gases [and source categories/sectors] not controlled by the Montreal Protocol in Annex G.]

5. [Any changes to a global warming potential or methodology] [The greenhouse gases [and source categories/sectors] added to the list in Annex G] shall only apply to QELROs which are adopted after [such changes are agreed] [their inclusion].]