

16. In the light of national emission targets Member States have set, analyses made by Member States on the limitation and reductions they can achieve in the 2000-2020 time-frame, information provided by the Commission through its Energy 2020 study, the work of the Ad Hoc Group on the potential of Community policies and measures and other relevant information, the Council decides that an emission index for each Member State in the year 2010 shall guide the determination of the contribution of each Member State towards the reduction the Community as a whole will have to realise in 2010 on the basis of the outcome of the protocol negotiations. The attached table 1 represents the current commitments of Member States, adding up already to a 10% reduction. Member States also agree to identify additional national and common and coordinated Community policies and measures such as those indicated in paragraph 15, to meet the proposed Annex X targets. Similar arrangements will need to be developed for the target the Community as a whole will have to realise in 2005.
17. The initial distribution between Member States will be reviewed by the Council, if necessary prior to and in any case after completion of protocol negotiations, on the basis of an assessment of actual developments, taking account of the principles and approaches referred to in paragraphs 11, 12, 13 and 14.
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