

45.3 Each of the Annex I Parties shall make its initial communication within one year of the entry into force of the Protocol for that Party. The frequency of subsequent communications shall be determined by the first Meeting of the Parties.⁵²

Proposal 2

46. Each Party listed in Annex A shall include its National Action Plan in its national communication submitted under Article 12 of the Convention, together with any other information required to be submitted under this instrument. Copies of such documents shall be submitted, through the secretariat, to both the Conference of the Parties to the Convention and the Meeting of the Parties.⁵³

Proposal 3

47.1 Parties listed in Annex X shall include in communications under Article 12 of the Convention a detailed description of the policies and measures adopted and implemented to meet the commitments under Articles 2(a) to 2(c) above, specific estimates of their effects and, as appropriate, their costs, and resulting projected anthropogenic emissions.

47.2 Parties listed in Annex X shall submit an initial communication within six months of the entry into force of the Protocol for that Party. Each Party not so listed shall make its initial communication within three years of the entry into force of the Protocol for that Party. The frequency of subsequent communications by all Parties shall be determined by the Conference of the Parties at its sixth and subsequent sessions.

47.3 Such communications shall include in particular the results of reviews of national policies and practices referred to in Article 4.2(e)(ii) of the Convention and any significant changes identified^{54, 55}

Proposal 4

48. Existing review/assessment mechanisms in the Convention relating to the implementation of commitments shall be applicable to commitments made under Article 4.2(a) and (b), and reaffirmed and continued under Article 4.1, respectively.⁵⁶

⁵² Proposal from AOSIS

⁵³ Proposal from Australia

⁵⁴ Since the new commitments would have to be accompanied by substantial and mandatory reporting commitments, appropriate parts of Article 12 of the Convention could be carried over into the Protocol as such. Additions to the "Guidelines for the preparation of National Communications by Annex I Parties" consistent with the control schedule will also have to be made.

⁵⁵ Proposal from the EU

⁵⁶ Proposal from the G-77 and China