

1. As a first step, Canada will publish in the Canada Gazette, Part I, a proposed regulation to reduce annual production and consumption of CFCs to 50% of the 1986 level by 1998 to ensure compliance with the Montreal Protocol.

December 19, 1987 and the Environmental Contaminants Act Notice with respect to Chlorofluorocarbons and Bromofluorocarbons.

(4) The Minister may

- (a) increase the manufacture reference weighted aggregate quantity for the manufacture of chlorofluorocarbon by a person described in subsection (1), during a control period by an amount specified in subsection (5), or

- (b) assign to any other person a manufacture reference weighted aggregate quantity for the manufacture of chlorofluorocarbon during a control period in an amount specified in subsection (5),

where

- (c) a person described in subsection (1) has agreed in writing to have his manufacture reference weighted aggregate quantity for the manufacture of chlorofluorocarbon reduced for that control period,

- (d) the chlorofluorocarbon will be exported in that control period to a country operating under Article 5 of the Protocol, or

- (e) the government of another Party to the Protocol has agreed with the government of Canada to transfer all or a portion of its calculated level of production of chlorofluorocarbon to Canada, for the purpose of industrial rationalization.

(5) For the purpose of subsection (4), the amount specified is an amount that does not exceed

- (a) where paragraph (4)(c) applies, the amount by which the person referred to in that paragraph agreed to have his manufacture reference weighted aggregate quantity reduced;

- (b) where paragraph (4)(d) applies, the weighted aggregate quantity of chlorofluorocarbon that will be exported; and

- (c) where paragraph (4)(e) applies, the amount of the calculated level of production that the Party referred to in that paragraph has agreed to transfer to Canada.