



Multilateral Fund for the Implementation of the Montreal Protocol

POLICIES, PROCEDURES, GUIDELINES AND CRITERIA

(As at December 2023)

INTRODUCTION

This compendium contains the policies, procedures, guidelines and criteria of the Financial Mechanism under the Montreal Protocol on Substances that Deplete the Ozone Layer as established by the Meetings of the Parties under the Montreal Protocol and elaborated by the Executive Committee of the Multilateral Fund in accordance with its terms of reference.

The policies, procedures, guidelines or criteria in each section are grouped by subject area. Text provided for each entry is quoted from either the final report of a Meeting of the Parties or a meeting of the Executive Committee at which the entry was adopted. The number of either the Meeting of the Parties, or the Meeting of the Executive Committee at which the policy, procedure, guideline or criteria was considered and adopted, is indicated along with the reference document. A list of supporting documents, if any, is also provided for entries, mainly related to procedures and guidelines. These are presented in small italic characters.

The Report is divided into eleven chapters:

- I. Financial Mechanism
- II. Executive Committee
- III. Fund Secretariat
- IV. Bilateral Cooperation
- V. Implementing Agencies
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- VII. Controlled Substances
- VIII. Country Programmes
- IX. Project Proposals
- X. Institutional Strengthening
- XI. Monitoring and Evaluation

From the Nineteenth Meeting of the Executive Committee onwards (May 1996), this compendium has included every decision of the Executive Committee and the Meetings of the Parties that establishes policies, procedures, guidelines or criteria that could have an impact on the future operation of the Fund. That is, all relevant decisions are listed other than those relating to approval of funding for specific projects or activities.

Thus, the compendium is both a reference document on the policies, procedures, guidelines and criteria of the Multilateral Fund and a record of related decisions of the Executive Committee. The compendium is updated, in full, after each meeting of the Executive Committee.

The list of dates and venues of the Meetings of the Parties to the Montreal Protocol and the Executive Committee of the Multilateral Fund is presented below.

Note: Some countries have changed their name after the decisions by the Meeting of the Parties and the Executive Committee were adopted. This document does not change the name in the original text of decisions.

I. Meetings of the Parties to the Montreal Protocol on Substances that Deplete the Ozone Layer

First.....	Helsinki.....	02-05 May 1989
Second.....	London.....	27-29 June 1990
Third.....	Nairobi.....	19-21 June 1991
Fourth.....	Copenhagen.....	23-25 November 1992
Fifth.....	Bangkok.....	17-19 November 1993
Sixth.....	Nairobi.....	3-7 October 1994
Seventh.....	Vienna.....	5-7 December 1995
Eighth.....	San Jose.....	25-27 November 1996
Ninth.....	Montreal.....	15-17 September 1997
Tenth.....	Cairo.....	23-24 November 1998
Eleventh.....	Beijing.....	29 November-3 December 1999
Twelfth.....	Ouagadougou.....	11-14 December 2000
Thirteenth.....	Colombo.....	16-19 October 2001
Fourteenth.....	Rome.....	25-29 November 2002
Fifteenth.....	Nairobi.....	10-14 November 2003
First Extraordinary.....	Montreal.....	24-26 March 2004
Sixteenth.....	Prague.....	22-26 November 2004
Second Extraordinary.....	Montreal.....	1 July 2005
Seventeenth.....	Dakar.....	12-16 December 2005
Eighteenth.....	New Delhi.....	30 October-3 November 2006
Nineteenth.....	Montreal.....	17-21 September 2007
Twentieth.....	Doha.....	16-20 November 2008
Twenty-first.....	Port Ghalib.....	4-8 November 2009
Twenty-second.....	Bangkok.....	8-12 November 2010
Twenty-third.....	Bali.....	21-25 November 2011
Twenty-fourth.....	Geneva.....	12-16 November 2012
Twenty-fifth.....	Bangkok.....	21-25 October 2013
Twenty-sixth.....	Paris.....	17-21 November 2014
Twenty-seventh.....	Dubai.....	1-5 November 2015
Third Extraordinary.....	Vienna.....	22-23 July 2016
Twenty-eighth.....	Kigali.....	10-15 October 2016
Twenty-ninth.....	Montreal.....	20-24 November 2017
Thirtieth.....	Quito.....	5-9 November 2018
Thirty-first.....	Rome.....	4-8 November 2019
Thirty-second.....	Virtual.....	23-27 November 2020
Fourth Extraordinary.....	Virtual.....	21 May 2021
Thirty-third.....	Virtual.....	23-29 October 2021
Fifth Extraordinary.....	Bangkok.....	16 July 2022
Thirty-fourth.....	Montreal.....	31 October-4 November 2022
Thirty-fifth.....	Nairobi.....	23-27 October 2023

II. Meetings of the Executive Committee of the Multilateral Fund for the Implementation of the Montreal Protocol

First.....	Montreal.....	19-21 September 1990
Second.....	Montreal.....	17-19 December 1990
Third.....	Montreal.....	15-19 April 1991
Fourth.....	Nairobi.....	17-18 June 1991
Fifth.....	Montreal.....	18-22 November 1991

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Sixth	Montreal	27-28 February 1992
Seventh	Montreal	23-26 June 1992
Eighth	Montreal	19-21 October 1992
Ninth	Montreal	08-10 March 1993
Tenth	Montreal	28 June-01 July 1993
Eleventh	Bangkok	10-12 November 1993
Twelfth	Montreal	28-31 March 1994
Thirteenth	Montreal	25-27 July 1994
Fourteenth	Nairobi	29-30 September 1994
Fifteenth	Montreal	13-16 December 1994
Sixteenth	Montreal	15-17 March 1995
Seventeenth	Montreal	26-28 July 1995
Eighteenth	Vienna	22-24 November 1995
Nineteenth	Montreal	8-10 May 1996
Twentieth	Montreal	16-18 October 1996
Twenty-first	Montreal	18-20 February 1997
Twenty-second	Nairobi	28-30 May 1997
Twenty-third	Montreal	12-14 November 1997
Twenty-fourth	Montreal	25-27 March 1998
Twenty-fifth	Montreal	29-31 July 1998
Twenty-sixth	Cairo	11-13 November 1998
Twenty-seventh	Montreal	24-26 March 1999
Twenty-eighth	Montreal	14-16 July 1999
Twenty-ninth	Beijing	24-26 November 1999
Thirtieth	Montreal	29-31 March 2000
Thirty-first	Geneva	5-7 July 2000
Thirty-second	Ouagadougou	6-8 December 2000
Thirty-third	Montreal	28-30 March 2001
Thirty-fourth	Montreal	18-20 July 2001
Thirty-fifth	Montreal	5-7 December 2001
Thirty-sixth	Montreal	20-22 March 2002
Thirty-seventh	Montreal	17-19 July 2002
Thirty-eighth	Rome	20-22 November 2002
Thirty-ninth	Montreal	2-4 April 2003
Fortieth	Montreal	16-18 July 2003
Forty-first	Montreal	17-19 December 2003
Forty-second	Montreal	29 March-2 April 2004
Forty-third	Geneva	5-9 July 2004
Forty-fourth	Prague	29 November 3 December 2004
Forty-fifth	Montreal	4-8 April 2005
Forty-sixth	Montreal	4-8 July 2005
Forty-seventh	Montreal	21-25 November 2005
Forty-eighth	Montreal	3-7 April 2006
Forty-ninth	Montreal	10-14 July 2006
Fiftieth	New Delhi	6-10 November 2006
Fifty-first	Montreal	19-23 March 2007
Fifty-second	Montreal	23-27 July 2007
Fifty-third	Montreal	26-30 November 2007
Fifty-fourth	Montreal	7-11 April 2008
Fifty-fifth	Bangkok	14-18 July 2008
Fifty-sixth	Doha	8-12 November 2008
Fifty-seventh	Montreal	30 March-3 April 2009
Fifty-eighth	Montreal	6-10 July 2009

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Fifty-ninth	Port Ghalib	10-14 November 2009
Sixtieth	Montreal	12-15 April 2010
Sixty-first	Montreal	5-9 July 2010
Sixty-second	Montreal	29 November-3 December 2010
Sixty-third	Montreal	4-8 April 2011
Sixty-fourth	Montreal	25-29 July 2011
Sixty-fifth	Bali	13-17 November 2011
Sixty-sixth	Montreal	16-20 April 2012
Sixty-seventh	Bangkok	16-20 July 2012
Sixty-eighth	Montreal	3-7 December 2012
Sixty-ninth	Montreal	15-19 April 2013
Seventieth	Bangkok	1-5 July 2013
Seventy-first	Montreal	2-6 December 2013
Seventy-second	Montreal	12-16 May 2014
Seventy-third	Paris	9-13 November 2014
Seventy-fourth	Montreal	18-22 May 2015
Seventy-fifth	Montreal	16-20 November 2015
Seventy-sixth	Montreal	9-13 May 2016
Seventy-seventh	Montreal	28 November – 2 December 2016
Seventy-eighth	Montreal	4-7 April 2017
Seventy-ninth	Montreal	3-7 July 2017
Eightieth	Montreal	13-17 November 2017
Eighty-first	Montreal	18-22 June 2018
Eighty-second	Montreal	3-7 December 2018
Eighty-third	Montreal	27-31 May 2019
Eighty-fourth	Montreal	16-20 December 2019
Eighty-fifth	Virtual	21 May-3 June 2020, 9 April 2021
Eighty-sixth	Virtual	16 November–3 December 2020, 29 March – 7 May 2021, 6, 9, 12, 16 April 2021, 28 June 2021
Eighty-seventh	Virtual	25 and 28 June, 2 July 2021, and 28 June to 27 July 2021
Eighty-eighth	Virtual	22 and 26 November 2021, and 28 November to 27 December 2021
Eighty-ninth	Virtual/Montreal	16, 18, 20 May 2022 and 16- 18 June 2022
Ninetieth	Montreal	20-23 June 2022
Ninety-first	Montreal	5-9 December 2022
Ninety-second	Montreal	29 May-2 June 2023
Ninety-third	Montreal	15-19 December 2023