



HIGH COMMISSION FOR PAKISTAN NAIROBI

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The High Commission of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan presents compliments to the Presidency of the UN Environment Assembly and with reference to informal consultations on the draft ministerial declaration held on 6 November 2017 has the honour to make the following suggestions:-

- (i) **OP-1:** The exact source of the statistics may be specified through a footnote.
- (ii) **OP-2:** There is a need to have a realistic expectations regarding UNEP's role related to chemicals especially their tracking.
- (iii) **OP-8(1):** In the context of stakeholders engagement it is important to remember that UNEP's stakeholder engagement policy is not yet final and that UNEP's and UNEA's work is essentially an intergovernmental process.
- (iv) **OP-10:** the word "partners" may be deleted. The current formulation can be construed as an attempt to change the definition of family.

The High Commission of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the Presidency of the UN Environment Assembly, the assurances of its highest considerations.



Presidency of the
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