

Recent Amendments

under the Basel Convention on the Control of Transboundary Movement of hazardous Waste and its Disposal



The Ban Amendment

- Entered into force on December 05, 2019
- Parties agreed that those listed in Annex VII immediately prohibit all transboundary movement of hazardous wastes destined for final disposal operations from OECD to non-OECD states.

The E-waste Amendments



- **Annex VIII**
 - New entry A1181
 - B1180 effective until December 31 2024
- **Annex IX**
 - Deletion of existing B1110 (e-wastes) and B4030 (single use cameras)
 - Non-hazardous e-wastes
 - Not subject to the PIC procedure
- **Annex II**
 - New entry Y49
 - All hazardous e-wastes except those under entry A1181
 - Subject to PIC procedure



The Plastic Waste Amendments

- **Annex VIII**
 - New entry A3210
 - Hazardous plastic wastes
 - Subject to the PIC procedure
- **Annex IX**
 - New entry B3011 replacing existing entry B3010
 - Non-hazardous plastic wastes
 - Not subject to the PIC procedure
- **Annex II**
 - New entry Y48
 - Covers all plastic waste, including mixtures of plastic wastes unless these are hazardous (as they would fall under A3210) or presumed to not be hazardous (under B3011)