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Note by the secretariat

I. INTRODUCTION

Applications have been received from a number of intergovernmental (IGOs) and non-governmental organizations (NGOs) for admission as observers. The Bureau of the Conference of the Parties (COP) has recommended that each subsidiary body may admit new applicant organizations that have been screened by the secretariat to attend the sessions of the body for which they have applied, without prejudice to subsequent action by the COP. The secretariat has screened these applications on the basis of the provisions of Article 7.6 of the Convention and in accordance with the procedures established by the COP for the admission of organizations as observers, that is, that the organizations be non-profit oriented (tax exempt) in the case of non-governmental organizations, and that they be qualified in matters covered by the Convention. The IGOs and NGOs concerned are listed below.

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II. IGOs

1. Commission for Environmental Cooperation (CEC) (Mexico, Canada and the US)
2. European Conference of Ministers of Transport (ECMT) Paris, France
3. Latin American Energy Organization (OLADE) Quito, Ecuador

II. NGOs

1. A SEED EUROPE (Action for Solidarity, Equality, Environment and Development Groebenzell, Germany)
2. Canadian Vehicle Manufacturers' Association (CVMA) Toronto, Canada
3. CEDARENA (Environmental and Natural Resources Law Center), San José, Costa Rica
4. The Cohort for Research on Environment, Urban Management and Human Settlement (CREUMHS), Nairobi, Kenya
5. Center for Energy Policy (CEP), Moscow, The Russian Federation
6. Confederación Sindical de Comisiones Obreras (CC.OO), Madrid, Spain
7. Emilia Romagna Technological Development Agency (ASTER) Bologna, Italy
8. European Association for Solar Energy (EUROSOLAR), Bonn, Germany
9. European Environmental Bureau (EEB) Brussels, Belgium
10. Green City, Munich, Germany
11. Harvard University, Harvard, U.S.A.
12. International Council of Scientific Unions (ICSU), Paris, France
13. International Union of Public Transport (IUTP), Brussels, Belgium
14. Information Agency of the German Power Plants (IZE) Frankfurt, Germany
15. Joint Institute for Energy & Environment, Knoxville, U.S.A.
16. Japan Federation of Bar Associations, Tokyo, Japan
17. National Association of State Fire Marshals, Washington, U.S.A.

18. Netherlands Committee for IUCN, Amsterdam, Netherlands
19. Nuclear Energy Institute (NEI), Washington, U.S.A.
20. The Solar Century, Oxford, UK
21. TELLUS Institute, Boston, U.S.A.
